

ETWALL PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Youth Recreation and Allotments Committee
held on Monday 18th April 2016**

Present:	Committee members	Non-committee Members
	Cllr R Warburton	Cllr D Neal
	Cllr D Muller	Cllr I Bennett
	Cllr J Patten	Cllr B Payton
	Cllr D McDonald	Cllr N Ireland
	Cllr H Ritchie-Smith	
		One member of the public

- 452 **Apologies for absence** – Cllr V Roe
- 453 **Declaration of interests**- All members of Etwall Parish Council attending this meeting, being automatically Trustees of Frank Wickham Hall Charity, declared their interest. Cllr McDonald also declared an interest as an allotment holder.
- 454 **Minutes of the meeting held on 18th January 2016** – Already approved at full Council meeting
- 455 **Finance** – IT WAS DECIDED to hire a skip from Wilshees for the removal of rubbish at the bowling green at a cost of £84.66. The Clerk to ask BT if it could be sited on their land for a maximum of 3 days.
- 456 **Risk Assessment Update** – The risk assessment was updated as per the attached. An item was to be added concerning the misuse of the public toilets. IT WAS DECIDED to consider the future of the public toilets at the next Parish Council meeting and the Clerk to advertise that this discussion was to take place to allow anyone with an interest to let the Parish Council have their views.
- 457 **Allotments – Keeping of Chickens** – A request had been received to keep chickens on the allotments. Further information on this issue to be sought from Severn-Trent, SDDC and DALC.
- 458 **Improvements to King George V Playing Field** – Quotations had been received for both zip wires and climbing frames but discussions were still ongoing with play equipment providers. As the Biffa application had been unsuccessful some funding from the Parish Council may be required in order to obtain the best outcome from the grant already received.
- 459 **Any Other Business** – The Groundsmen to be asked to refill the holes in the hardstanding area with grass seed once the new part-time groundsman has become established.
- 460 **Date of next meeting** – To be decided.

Signed Date