

ETWALL PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Youth Recreation and Allotments Committee held on
Monday 18th March 2019**

Present:	Committee Members	Non-Committee Members
	Cllr D Smith (Chair)	Cllr A Whitehouse
	Cllr D Neal	Cllr I Bennett
	Cllr B Payton	Mr D Belfield – Streetscape
	Cllr A Kirke	One member of the public
	Cllr S Fryer	
	Cllr N Ireland	
	Cllr A Muller	

- 571 **Apologies for Absence** – Cllr D McDonald
- 572 **Declaration of Interests** – All members of Etwall Parish Council attending this meeting, being automatically Trustees of the Frank Wickham Hall Charity, declared their interest.
- 573 **Minutes of the meeting held on 19th November 2018** – Approved at Full Council meeting.
- 574 **Public Speaking** – None
- 575 **Outdoor Gym Equipment** – Mr Belfield explained the three different types of outdoor gym equipment and that consultation was required to find out which type was best suited to Etwall’s King George V Playing Field. A survey would also be required to find the best position for it and this may have an effect on which pieces would fit best. Ideally it would not be sited near play equipment as it was designed for those over 1.4m in height although younger people could use the equipment if supervised. A soft safety surface was not necessarily required. Mr Belfield offered to supply the Parish Council with some images that could be included in the survey. The cost for five pieces of equipment was approx. £10,000. Grants were available from Awards for All and Tesco Bags of Help. IT WAS DECIDED to draw up an action plan to take this project forward.
- 576 **Chestnut Grove Children’s Play Area** – New plans were required in order to take into account the comments of local residents. These would then need to be costed.
- 577 **Any Other Business** – An Etwall resident asked whether the Parish Council would support the improvement of the nature area at the end of Old Station Close. Suggestions for improvement included the provision of more nature habitats, improved paths, signing etc. The Parish Council had no objections and the resident agreed to contact SDDC who currently maintained the area.
- 578 **Date of Next Meeting** – To be decided after the election.

Signed

Date

