

Folkestone Parks and Pleasure Grounds Charity

Held at:	Council Chamber - Civic Centre Folkestone
Date	Thursday, 20 April 2023
Present	Councillors John Collier, Ray Field, David Godfrey, David Monk, Tim Prater, Lesley Whybrow and David Wimble
Apologies for Absence	Councillor Mrs Jennifer Hollingsbee and Councillor Stuart Peall
Officers Present:	Andy Blaszkowicz (Director of Housing and Operations), Ewan Green (Director of Place), Amandeep Khroud (Assistant Director), Susan Priest (Chief Executive) and Jemma West (Democratic Services Senior Specialist)

17. **Declarations of interest**

There were no declarations of interest at the meeting.

18. **Minutes**

The minutes of the meeting held on 25 January 2023 were agreed as a true record.

19. **Radnor Park - Community group funding for Pétanque Courts**

This report provided the Board with a summary of a proposal for a pétanque court at Radnor Park and its proposed maintenance in the future.

Proposed by Councillor Collier,
Seconded by Councillor Wimble; and

RESOLVED:

- 1. That report FPPG/22/10 be received and noted.**
- 2. That the funds raised by the Radnor Park Community Group be used to install the Pétanque Court at Radnor Park.**
- 3. That Full Council be asked to consider adding the funds raised by the Radnor Park Community Group to the Medium Term Capital Programme.**
- 4. That that annual maintenance of the proposed pétanque court at Radnor Park be funded by the Folkestone Parks and Pleasure Ground Charity and added to the revenue budget for 23/24.**

(Voting figures: 7 for, 0 against, 0 abstentions).

20. **East Cliff Pavilion - Update**

The report provided the Board with an update in relation to the East Cliff Pavilion and alterations made to the Property by the tenant.

Proposed by Councillor Monk,
Seconded by Councillor Wimble; and

RESOLVED:

That a letter of intent to open the premises to the public within a reasonable timeframe be requested from the leaseholder. If the letter is not received, this report be brought back to the FPPG in order to consider the recommendations.

(Voting figures: 7 for, 0 against, 0 abstentions).

21. **Urgent item of business - Events Application to use Mermaid Beach**

The report detailed the recent event application that has been received for an event to be held on Mermaid Beach, Folkestone.

Proposed by Councillor Monk,
Seconded by Councillor Whybrow; and

RESOLVED:

- 1. That the event not be permitted to go ahead.**

(Voting figures: 7 for, 0 against, 0 abstentions).