# Ron Jury report for PPC meeting Tuesday 13th September

## **Allotments**

- Some overgrown plots
- Some pathways overgrown
- Communal area by the pump badly overgrown, hiding the hose.

### **Honeybees**

- ♣ New area fencing to accommodate the ship is in place
- Some branches need to be cut back once the ship is ready to be moved
- Honeybees to organise and carry out moving the ship
- ♣ Tina requested that some signs are made to say something like 'Honeybees Use Only Not general playpark use'
- ♣ New hours in place when in the learning area outside
- Nick B to speak about Honeybees meeting 23<sup>rd</sup> August
  - o aircon units
  - acoustic fencing

### **Pavilion**

- ♣ The new radiators are in place
- ♣ PF Committee met 7th September
- Chair advised junior football that the defib pads expiry date is January 2023
- Simon Ward advised that another defib unit could be obtained free of charge and requested that if this goes ahead it becomes the responsibility of PPC
- It was pointed out that the all existing defibs should have the postcode visible so that if emergency services are called the location is clear. This will help non-local people in the event of having to call for an ambulance
- Simon Ward requested that the Booking System be blocked out for Junior football. Nick S agreed to speak to Jane D
- ♣ Jo T advised that the jumble sale had raised >£1000 a fantastic achievement.
- ♣ Jo T advised that the preparation process takes 3 days including the actual jumble sale and clearing away, and that this was the last event she would manage
- ♣ Jo enquired why for the last 2 years, a charge had been made for the VH use for the jumble sale Nick S agreed to follow this up
- → Jo T advised that although stoolball had finished for the season, an annual charity event is planned for Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September
- ♣ Kelvin S advised that the cricket table seeding / sanding was scheduled for 25<sup>th</sup> September
- Kelvin advised that the shower problem of water running outside the footwell is still happening – Chair to follow up with James Eastwood
- ★ Kelvin S advised that the cricket club is investigating an electronic scoreboard that would be fixed to the pavilion wall. The chair requested that Kelvin present a proposition to PPC once his investigations are complete
- It was noted that the light sensor in the gents toilet stays on for >15 minutes when no one is present. Nick S agreed to follow this up
- Kelvin S advised that he would forward details to the chair of when the Nye shed would be demolished and removed

- ♣ Rob L stated that archery would like to take over the shed foot print as they are still investigating upgrading their existing storage facility The chair requested that Rob present a proposition to PPC once his investigations are complete
- ♣ Rob requested that he be invited to the December PPC meeting and archery storage be added to the agenda
- RJ is awaiting a materials quote from Derrick Taylor for the proposed cladding repair to the exterior pavilion walls. A quote is in place from another source that includes the labour and this will be readdressed once the materials quote is received

### **Playpark**

♣ Anita E has noticed (and ordered) some playpit sand as the level is low. Some help will be needed to move the sand once delivered.

#### Skatepark

- Some residents have advised that there is a 'rough' area on the slope when sliding down from the shelf, causing scratches to children
- RJ has 2 meetings arranged to investigate what can be done but it needs to be pointed out that this area is a skatepark and not a playpark slide.

Some general minor maintenance has been carried out, such as:

- Fix a new curtain rail that is continually breaking
- New brooms have been supplied

RJ advised that the water stopcock for the tennis club is within the skatepark area, and that the cover is so rusted in that it cannot be lifted at the moment. Requires attention as the meter may also be under the cover.