

Minutes for Hackney road Rec friends group initial meeting.

3rd March 2011, 1900.

Recorded attendance 21.

Introduction

Tom Wolseley and Sam Parry

Discussion of Tennis Court

Arguments were heard in favour of and against keeping the tennis court, it was then agreed that discussions should be withheld until an organisation had been established.

Election of committee

Tom Wolseley stood as Chair and was seconded by Dan Weston. Elected by majority.

Dan Weston stood as Secretary and was seconded by Ben Zola. Elected by majority.

Samuel Smith stood as Treasurer and was seconded by Sandie Macrae. Elected by majority.

Steve Nsolo stood as Vice Chair and was seconded by Tom Wolseley. Elected in.

Meeting frequency

The group agreed that we should initially meet monthly beginning on the 24th March at 1900.

Discussion of constitution

Sam Parry presented the group with 'A Park User Group Constitution' template document.

He then read from the Aims and Objectives, It was agreed that;

Consultation with St Leonards should be made explicit in the constitution.

Item 2.i. (Receipt of and action on complaints of nuisance/abuse) to be struck.

The document would be shared among the members and they could raise thoughts and objections over the week.

Discussion of border

Tom suggested that a small border consisting of ? trees could be planted as it would have no impact on any other plans for the ground.

Sam Parry agreed to get a quote for the job so we could discuss further.

Additional items

A vote was taken to repair the fence in the SW corner 33% agreed, and some discussion was held regarding a gate.

Broader vision for space: It was felt that we should be thinking about the space as a whole including the wider community and events that could take place rather than being limited to objects and layouts.