

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE MOULTON SPORTS COMPLEX HELD ON
MONDAY, 3 MARCH 2008**

PRESENT : Mrs J Austin, Mr S Barrick, Mr C Dabbs, Miss J Horne,
Mrs R Knight (Chair), Mr T Jones, Mr N Schanschieff

1/08 APOLOGIES

Mr F Henson, Mr M Henderson, Representatives of DDC

2/08 MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF 19 NOVEMBER 2007

Accepted as a true record.

3/08 MATTERS ARISING

13/07 Funding from Daventry District Council. Mr Schanschieff reported that funding was not available from DC.

4/08 MANAGER'S REPORT

Mr Schanschieff presented his report which had previously been circulated to all members of the committee and included items on :

Maintenance/ Building

Bar/reception area - refurbishment of the bar, reception and bar toilets had been completed, partly grant funded by Northants County Council. Outside paintwork is to be completed during the summer months.

Outdoor female changing rooms - painting of these had been completed by a member of the Roadrunners Club and Mr Schanschieff passed on his thanks for this.

Roofing repairs - completed.

Disabled lift – major repair works to be carried out. Damage caused by water so works will be covered by insurance.

Bank at rear of complex – work still outstanding, Cyril Roberts keeping in contact with company carrying out work.

Alarm System - ADT updated system in line with police requirements, free of charge as they were responsible for complex losing police response. System now fully operational

Break-in 28 January PE office – laptop, digital camera stolen. Unfortunately police did not attend for statement and collection of CCTV images until 2 weeks later. Complex has also been suffering with antisocial behaviour with youths onsite and PCSO Wenmouth has been helpful in dealing with this. Only a couple of these youths have been identified as Moulton School students, and they have been dealt with by the school.

Funding proposal - almost completed. Will be sent off to County Councillor Judy Shephard to secure funding for new sporting equipment. An application will also be submitted for funding from "Awards for All" to upgrade fitness room.

Food Vending machines – complex has been forced to close down the vending machines during school hours because of the new healthier eating legislation for schools.

Staffing - structure has remained fairly stable. Simon Hollis has taken on extra days following a resignation. William James welcomed as new part-time General Attendant.

Programmes

February playscheme numbers were excellent. Thanks to the school for making English Block and Drama Studio available.

Children's party bookings have decreased sometimes because of clashes with soccer bookings. Mrs Austin suggested Village Hall could be used if available.

Manchester United Soccer schools have booked again for a weekend in May.

Applications have gone out for annual 5 a-side leagues which hopefully will again be sponsored by Jackson Grundy.

Sports Development – Football courses run by Freestyle Soccer Academy Saturday am – excellent attendance; basketball Sunday am; Badminton Wednesday – good numbers; Junior Fitness Mondays and Wednesday – numbers are up; Roller Disco Fridays – numbers going up; Leisure Club Thursdays pm – numbers are good; Tea Dance one Friday per month; Bar Special events – numbers increasing.

Membership update – currently full indoors and on Astro turf for all block bookings for the week. Saturdays are full with Northampton Saints fixtures and Sundays are busier due to extra hockey matches and a new football league which started in September. Weekdays usage is almost 100%

Usage figures - numbers are good for Sports Hall and Astro Turf, numbers are down for hard court area.

5/08 ACCIDENT REPORT

Mr Schanschieff presented report showing minor injuries

6/08 VILLAGE HALL REPORT

Maintenance - Mrs Austin reported that redecoration of interior of the Village Hall had been completed. The exterior paintwork would be carried out in the summer.

Car Parking – continuing problems with lack of parking spaces for users of Village Hall. Moulton College students and some unauthorised Sixth Form students are using the car park. A major parking problem had occurred on Saturday 1 March with regard to the Railway Fair held at school. No advance warning had been given of the event and there had been no parking supervision. Mr Jones felt this had been caused by lack of communication and confirmed that these issues would be addressed at next year's event. It was suggested that parking permits for all Moulton School staff and those sixth formers entitled to use the car park could be issued to see what percentage of the

car park was being used legitimately. Mrs Austin confirmed that the school was doing all that it could to help solve this problem.

7/08 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Monday, 9 June at 2.00 pm