

ASHILL PARISH COUNCIL

The follow-on meeting from Tuesday 26th MAY is arranged for Tuesday 2nd JUNE at 7.30pm

Apologies for absence and Declarations of Interest will be recorded and the meeting will recommence from ITEM 6(e) as this is the point that Zoom closed down.

Please note that the minutes from both Meetings will be presented as one meeting for approval at the next meeting on 23rd JUNE 2020

However to clarify the siting of fitness equipment that was agreed by all Members this is recorded as follows :-

Item 6 (d)

After much discussion and further information being provided by Clerk that she had received from FAF that EN16630 states that fitness equipment should not be installed in the immediate vicinity of children's playgrounds. When installed the fitness equipment needs to be separated from play equipment by an appropriate distance, fencing or other structural measures. The general advice is to leave a space of 25metres. KM pointed out that FAF are the professionals and we should take advice from them. Following this advice RL had measured the playing field and established that sites A & B advised by KM by email prior to this meeting were unsuitable and advised that there is adequate space along western side of MUGA towards goal post (which could easily be moved as pitch could run south to north).

It was agreed by all that the equipment should be placed in a square and not in long line.

The question of who should meet the installers was confirmed after a heated discussion as JL, AS, KM and Clerk as both Chair & Vice-chair had other commitments. This was agreed 6 to 1.

Therefore RL proposed seconded by JL that if at the meeting on Thursday 28th May the installation team advise that there is no objection to the site agreed by Members (on western side of MUGA towards goal post) the 2 Councillors on behalf of whole Council should give go ahead. This was AGREED by ALL Members.

The Chair made it clear that if FAF advise this is not suitable then this will have to return to Council to be discussed on 23rd June 2020.