

Councillor Representation Reporting Form

Councillor: Amanda Frost

Body: Fen Park Friends

Report Date: 13 June 2019

Meetings	
attended a	nd
dates	

Fen Park Friends AGM – 10.00am Thursday 13 June 2019

Key issues discussed at the meeting(s) (relevant to LTC and its constituents)

Constitution was officially signed off and a copy for LTC given to me.

There is a committee vacancy for an Events Co-ordinator.

Minutes will be supplied to LTC and anyone else who would like to receive them.

Official email address is fenparkfriends2019@gmail.com

Anyone who lives in Kirkley is welcome to attend FPF meetings.

The group is called Fen Park Friends and NOT Friends of Fen Park, as it was previously known.

If anyone is aware of any funding opportunities that could be available to FPF then please let them know via their email above or the Fen Park Friends facebook page.

A weekly litter pick takes place, currently at 10.00am on Tuesday mornings, and everyone wishing to attend would be very welcome.

Gardening sessions are to be planned.

FPF asked that everyone shares their facebook page.

Any actions required by LTC?

- Please note the name of the group is Fen Park Friends and not Friends of Fen Park.
- The park has no noticeboards and would like a request to be considered by the AID committee, which would contain information as to fishing guidelines, water safety, etc.
- Previously the torn matting in the playground, which presents a trip
 hazard has been raised and a repair carried out but this is again in a
 dangerous, not fit for purpose condition and requires urgent attention.
- The infra-red is not working on the CCTV.
- Currently Norse do a litter pick early on Tuesday mornings and the FPF ask if it's possible for this to be changed to Mondays?
- The padlock on the service gate on Tom Crisp Way is padlocked and

- LTC and FPF do not have keys. Have Anglian Water been contacted about this?
- The brambles have not been cleared around the Anglian Water pumping station, as previously requested. Have Anglian Water been contacted about this?
- FPF would like to have gardening sessions (similar to those in Kensington Gardens) and would like approval please.
- A meeting between LTC, Norse, Kirkley People's Forum and Fen Park Friends is apparently in the process of being set up. Are there any dates for this meeting in the pipeline yet?
- Kirkley People's Forum has funding available for toilets in Fen Park should LTC wish to discuss this with them.
- In the playground, the "Peddle About" is squeaky and could do with oiling.
- There are several signage issues and no LTC signage within the park.
- Why is there no life-saving equipment where the majority of the fishing pontoons are?
- FPF ask if Fen Park is officially a "park" or a "green space". They would like confirmation because believe they can apply for more funding if it's officially a "park".
- The question of fly posting was discussed and Cllr Alice Taylor, who was
 present for some of the meeting, said that it doesn't have permission
 to be there so could be removed by FPF.

Signed: Amanda Frost Date: 13 June 2019