

# Hereford Allotment & Leisure Gardeners

## Site Rep Meeting Minutes

Date: 19th June 2023

Attendees: David Fletcher (DF), Sylvia Fletcher (SF), Malcolm Watkin (MW), Roland Brown (RB) Tasha Bennett (TB), Derek Mumford (DM), Roy Matthews (RM), Helen Cooper-Bennett (HCB), Jan Poole (JP), Viv Webster (VW), Annie Jones (AJ)

Apologies: John Rosser (JR), Val Simms (VS), Pauline Shannon (PS), Jo Simms (JS), Sam Perkins (SP), Roy Matthews (RM), Mick Paine (MP)

Absent:

Chair: Malcolm Watkin (MW)

Previous minutes: Agreed

### Site rep reports by exception

**Ash:** Site rep unable to attend meeting:

- Nothing additional from report

**College:** Site rep unable to attend meeting:

- Nothing additional from report

**Corporation:** Update from VW and AJ:

- Water reading 01553.
- One plot holder has given up following the letter received.
- Grass cut really well.

**Drybridge:** Update from HCB:

- Water reading 17542
- HCB asked for any update on paperwork for Asda around parking. Deputy Manager of Asda has been very helpful, he has wiped all the parking tickets and added the two new allotment plot holders. HCB reiterated don't need parking spaces in Asda but need access. DM advised JR looking into historical meeting minutes. Person from Kindle Centre has given HCB the direct contact details from Parking Eye in case there are any further issues.

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**Eign:** Site rep unable to attend meeting:

- Water reading 249.11
- Nothing additional from report

**Holmer:** Update from MW:

- Water reading 3846
- Two plots who have received letters but not much improvement
- Meter for skate park has been moved from Holmer site onto Skate Park - MW going to investigate as agreement with skate park was that the meter was on our site. MW has contacted the skate park committee.
- Can the contractor who cuts the grass cut the orchard at the bottom as previously agreed.

**Rockfield:** Update from SF & DF:

- Water reading 07008 -37
- DF asked if a part of hedge can be cut. Was advised not until October.
- Charity on one of the plots who have not done anything.
- Some issues with people not working plots which is being managed. Letters may be needed, will discuss with DM.
- A couple of plot holders are going to help DF to move shed. Thank you to the plot holders and DF. Fan has stopped working again on toilet. DM advised as soon as shed has been moved he will contact the supplier of the toilet.
- Two bags of gravel is required - DM advised to get some from Radbournes.

**Westfaling:** Update from RB:

- Water reading 1027
- Two problem plots which have been sorted. One is being worked and the other is being looked into by MW.

**Wordsworth:** Update from MW:

- Water reading 5529
- No more leaks

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- Majority are working plots. Those who have received letters have started to work their plots.

### **AOB:**

- HCB advised school visit to Drybridge on 22.06.23 - MW will support the visit. The contact at the school has emailed for another date in September 2023 and one in June 2024. HCB will email MW the details.
- DM advised summer judging will be middle of July so will need names of those who want to be judge at the beginning of July.

END OF MEETING

Next Meeting: Monday 17th July 2023 @ 18:30 at Hereford Welsh Club.