

Leigh-On-Mendip Recreation Field Management Committee

Minutes of meeting held on 11 May 2026

Present: Vicky Higgins, Vicki Trundle, Alan Dagger, Martin Carter, Ty Schlechter, Denis Pattison, David Pattison

Apologies:

1. The Mar minutes were agreed and signed. There was no meeting in April.

JOBS

2. Sign to Coronation Park on the garage. Rich says he will do it soon. **ACTION TS**
3. Wildflower area. Scarified and planted, but no rain since!.
4. Fence round the small car park. Another quote for simpler fence will be sought.

ACTION VH/MC

FINANCE

5. Electricity reading is 2877 usage 53 (2 months).
6. Allotments water reading 209.75. Main water reading 427.253.
7. VH passed bills adding up to £199.77 to DNP for payment. Main item was a new battery for the mower.
8. Chris Higgins is auditing the 2025 accounts. **ACTION DNP**

FOOTBALL

9. Coleford - all OK.

BONUS BALL

10. The 4 Apr Bonus Ball was 52. Winners are Tom & Sue Rodford and Maddy Lusby. They have been paid
11. Winners on 2 May, with 19 AGAIN are Margaret & Brian and Neville & Hazel. DP to pay them. DNP reimbursed £40 in cash. **ACTION DP**

FUND RAISING

Car show

12. Date is 5 July. It will be roughly the same as last year, but a bit bigger and including a small dog show. There should be a detailed layout agreed beforehand. **ACTION MC**
 - a. Dog show is coming. They need their own insurance.
 - b. Needs a TENS **ACTION DNP**
 - c. MC has a new banner
 - d. Decision re weather will be on the Friday. **ACTION MC**
 - e. The bird display may have to be replaced with a reptile/snake display
 - f. Rose will have a jumble stall for Ukraine
 - g. Goats are coming
 - h. Arts and Crafts are having stall
13. Rec will do the bar and BBQ as last year, but with better signage. Have agreed with FOLC (in the clubhouse) who does which soft drinks - bar will do "Zeros" and lemonade

for shandies. Cider - cans only. VH will buy the booze and food and do the rota.

ACTIONS VH

ALLOTMENTS Nil.

H&S.

14. Add chippings to the back track. Bid for suitable aggregate from the Halecombe Community Fund in the next round. **ACTION VH**

15. TS offered to approach Wainwrights through his new neighbour. **ACTION TS**

REGULAR ITEMS

16. Inspection completed daily/weekly in Mar/Apr by VH/DP. All well.

17. Emergency lighting, smoke/CO alarms, elec meter, water meters, accident book all checked by DP/VT/TS today. All is well.

18. Parish Mag –Bonus Club, Car Show, call for help incl car show **ACTION DP**

Jobs from annual list (deleted if done or not needed).

MARCH

a. Pay the rent - £1 to the Parish Council (when asked).

APRIL

b. Provide report to annual parish meeting in the hall, which is on Sat 16 May.

ACTION VH

c. Submit request for PC mowing grant.

ACTION DNP

MAY

d. Check propane cylinders and order replacements as necessary (get rid of empties at same time or you will get lumbered!).

e. Treat benches with teak oil during the summer. Issue list

ACTION DP

f. Survey ash trees.

ACTION DP/VH

g. Football payment due £250.

ACTION DNP

AOB

19. It was agreed to dispose of the old mower.

ACTION VH/FH

20. New basketball net is needed. VH has one.

ACTION VH

Date of next meeting 8 June at the Rec at 7.30pm