



Gerrards Cross Parish Council

South Lodge, East Common, Gerrards Cross SL9 7AD
Clerk to the Council - Mrs Diana Hepburn-Park

Minutes of the Commons Committee Meeting Held 7.00 pm on Monday 1st February 2010 at South Lodge

Present: Mr I Gordon(Chairman), Mrs S Sharma, Mr P Grimes, Mrs J Woolveridge, Mr Peter Chapman and Mrs D C Hepburn Park (Clerk).

1 **Apologies for absence – Mr D Peters** Action

2 **Review actions from meeting on 4th January 2010.**
Clerk to meet with Latchmoor Garden Care and organise the gorse removal to be done at the Windsor Road, Packhorse Road intersection.

3 **Reports**
East Common
JW reported she had collected 5 bags of rubbish.
The underpass is in good condition all lights working and only a little glass which she cleared.
There is graffiti on a bench by the One Stop Shop and on the first bench going for the play area. Clerk to organise removal. DCHP

Play Equipment
SS visited the play area this morning. One of the rubbish bins had been vandalised again, one of the larger swings had been wrapped around the top bar. There was a lot of damage to the grass, but no action is required, it will all grow again. She has litter picked all the play area.

West Common
PC reported that the area was generally in good condition.
IG advised that the front of both sections had been flailed.
There is an area just opposite The Bull where youths have put various planks of wood. PC to clear.

The Camp
PG reported that the edges have been flailed exposing all the litter and cans. He will talk to Bulstrode Camp Limited representatives with the hope that they will assist in this matter. He has moved the Ivy from Valley Way footpath, IG will remove. DCHP
More Ivy is causing problems on the Water Tower footpath, Clerk to write to first house on right hand side and ask them remove. DCHP
The Clerk confirmed that work on the trees on the Windsor Road entrance would be started soon.



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PC asked if the country hedge could be done at the same time, the Committee agreed. DCHP

Mr & Mrs Keizner have replied to our letter of 11th January 2010.
No reply required.
Report has not as yet been sent after the survey of the Trees, Clerk to chase.

GXCV

January 2010 meeting was cancelled because of snow.

4 **Footpaths**

JW updated the committee on footpath 23.

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Task list

IG to check shed and see what repairs are required.
Painting of railing is only half done.

IG

Finance

None.

6 **Correspondence**

Fun Run – Has now changed the date to 23rd May 2010.
Gerrards Cross Community Association asks to use the Common from parking on when they hold their annual Jumble Sale. Agree.
Cirque Normandy request to visit from 27th May 2010 to 6th June 2010. Agreed.

7. **Date of next meeting** Monday 1st February at 7.00pm

The meeting commenced at 7.00p.m. and ended at 7.45 p.m.

Signed:

18th January 2010