

SEDFIELD TOWN COUNCIL

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Minutes of the meeting of the **APRIL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE** held following the Environment committee meeting in the **Council Offices**, Advice & Information Centre, Sedgfield, on **Monday 14th April 2008**.

MINUTES

Present Cllr. Tim Jeanes (Chairman)
Cllrs. D. Brown, M. Brown, H. Clifford-Brown, N. Dunn, S. Hannan, I. Sutherland, S. Sutherland, D. Waters

Officer L. K. Swinbank (Town Clerk)

1. Apologies

Cllrs. M. Garrod, J. Robinson, M. Robinson, A. Blakemore, R. Taylor

2. Declaration of interest

None

3. Matters of Information

3.1 Christmas Lights

The Clerk reported that prices have now been obtained from Blachere for the lights and the Community Development Officer Angela Simpson is obtaining prices from DCC re the connection.

RECOMMENDED

- i) **To receive the information**
- ii) **To discuss once prices have been received**

4. Reports

4.1 Tourism Information

The Clerk gave a brief verbal report on a recent Tourist Event which had been held and informed Members that she had prepared a Tourist Information leaflet "Welcome to Sedgfield" which is now being circulated along with other information throughout the area.

5. Correspondence

5.1 Recreational Land: SBC

A response has now been received from SBC re the financial arrangements for playing pitch

provision within Sedgefield. Mr. Ball has now confirmed that the Borough Council is working with Sedgefield Community College in an effort to restore the playing pitches within the village but at the Community College.

RECOMMENDED

To receive the information and take no further action

5.2 Chernobyl Children's Visit

An email has been received re the Town Council helping with a visit of 24 children from Chernobyl in August.

RECOMMENDED

- i) To receive the information**
- ii) To give free use of the Grounds of Ceddesfeld Hall**
- iii) The new Mayor to be approached to host the event**

The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 8.50 pm.