# Playing Field Committee Meeting To be held at 7.00pm in Old Franks, Elsenham on Wednesday 28 August 2024

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Apologies for absence.
- 2. Declaration of Interests.
- 3. Open to the public.
- 4. Approval of the minutes held on 31 July 2024.
- 5. Items brought forward from the meeting on 31 July 2024 Covered in the agenda.
- 6. Playing Field and Play Area
  - **6.1.** Grass growing through the new paths in the children's play area. Long term a contract might be needed to apply week-killer in June and October, as with the Isabel Drive play area.
    - Mick Burke should be asked if he would be prepared to give a price. Action: LJ
  - **6.2.** It is not possible to see when the clothes recycling bin is full. There is a QR code, and an instruction to use it to request that the bin is emptied. SW agreed to try the code at some time.
    - It was agreed that we should ask either for another bin or a larger bin. Action: LJ
  - **6.3.** No dogs notice moved onto the entrance gate to the play area. It was agreed that the existing notice is in poor condition, and that a new notice should be purchased and placed on the entrance gate. **Action: LJ**
  - **6.4.** The swing gate leading onto Station Road. **See JM's email, circulated 21 August Proposal** The Playing Field Committee repair the Leigh Way gate leading onto Station Road, overall cost of no more than £650. Funds to be taken from the playing field general maintenance budget 4220 which has
  - **6.5.** LJ is arranging a yearly check up on the CCTV camaras.
  - **6.6.** Village fete

Permission to hold the village fete on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2025 - same format as this year.

**6.7.** The Teen Shelter.

available funds of £3,692.

6.8. Grass cutting.

May Mick be given the authority to ask parents and children to leave the play area while he strims it?

# 7. RoSPA Report

Report on the meeting held on 20 August.

# 8. Outdoor Gym.

Update.

**9. Isabel Drive play area.** Grass area by the unused gate.

# 10. AOB.

11. Date of the next meeting, 25 September 2024.