

CEMETERY COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting of the Cemetery Committee held at 7.15pm on Thursday 7th May 2009 in the Meeting Room at the Institute. Councillors Auger, Blessett, Lindfors-Windsor, Wallis and the Clerk, Mrs S Kostyrka attended. No members of the public were present.

- 17. To receive apologies for absence.**
Apologies were received from Cllr Barber who had met with the Clerk at 5.30 due to a previous engagement.
- 18. To receive declarations of interest, if any.**
None.
- 19. To adopt the Minutes of the previous meeting held on 12th February 2009 and to report on any matters arising not included on the agenda.**
The wooden bench is to be painted as soon as possible.
- 20. To report on the ongoing work of the Probation Team.**
It was confirmed that the probation team was now under the supervision of Andy Anderson. They were attending alternate Tuesdays and were now re-setting the kerb stones in the old cemetery.
- 21. To consider the possible location of trees and make recommendations to Council. (Ref 14.08)**
It was recommended to Council that Cllr Barber purchase 12 small colourful trees (e.g. cherry, laburnum, rowan, and acer) to the value of £250 for planting along the fence boundary with the maintenance man.
- 22. To consider a double cremations plot (side by side) and make recommendations to Council.**
It was recommended to Council that subject to public requests, a "Double Plot" be made available in the cremated remains section at the same cost, to allow people to be interred directly adjacent to each other, to enable a joint memorial to be erected.
- 23. To inspect the site and make recommendations to Council.**
The site was in very good condition, and the Clerk was asked to thank the contractor and maintenance man. It was agreed that the green waste in the back of the cemetery would be disposed of in the autumn.
- 24. Date of next meeting.**
The next meeting will take place on 6th August at 6.30pm in the meeting room to consider the scale of cemetery fees and the precept requirements for 2009-10.

There being no further business, the meeting was closed at 7.45pm