
Tinwald Reserve Board Minutes 30 August 2021

Minutes of the Tinwald Reserve Board meeting held on 30 August 2021, commencing at 7.30pm, on Zoom

Present

Cr Leen Braam, Ainsley Braam-Smith, Robin Kilworth, Cr Diane Rawlinson and David Oakley

Apologies

N/A

In attendance

Steve Fabish (GM Community Services) Ruben Garcia (Pickleball Representative) Jarod Pink (Holiday Park Manager) Clare Harden (Ashburton District Council minutes)

Correspondence

The Ashburton Dog Club have asked if they can use the Domain over the on 27/28 November 2021 and 26/27 March 2022. The Club will be asked to provide a Health and Safety plan and insurance cover proof.

Confirmation of Minutes

That the minutes of the Tinwald Reserve Board meeting held 26 July 2021, be taken as read and confirmed.

Kilworth/Rawlinson

Carried

Holiday Park Manager Report

- The laying of the piles ready for the Portacom move is well underway
- There have been a few cancellations due to the lockdown levels. It was agreed that refunds be given if cancellation is due to Covid restrictions, if not then default back to the standard refund policy.

That the report be received.

Braam-Smith/Oakley

Carried

Pickleball

Ruben Garcia gave an overview on Pickleball.

- Ruben is employed by the Ashburton District Council as the Communications Manager and is also President of the Pickleball Association in NZ.
- The Association are keen to discuss with the Board around using a court in the Domain.
- If there is not the need for the tennis court in the Tinwald Domain Ruben is keen to see if the Board would like to see the courts redesigned to Pickleball.
- With 1 tennis court you can develop 3 pickle ball courts. Ruben believes that this development would be an amazing asset not only to the Tinwald Domain but also the Ashburton district.
- Ruben is keen to have just a sole Pickle ball court and see this as a point of difference as opposed to a shared court. Courts resurfacing cost could be around \$50,000
- The Board is keen to assess what needs to be done for this project to go ahead. A meeting on site to be set up after lockdown.

Pool Report

- Steve discussed the audit report of the district pool. The Board need to decide what to do for this summer.
- An assessment on the changing rooms is being undertaken and a report will be provided to the Board.
- EA have been asked to provide swimmer numbers over the past five years.

General Business

- Jarrod is going to fill in potholes
- Leen has been in touch with a hedge trimmer and he is happy to do it at the same price Dave Horman.
- The front fence repair project is on hold due to Covid.
- Ian Soper is to undertake pruning along the pony paddock tree line. The developers that did unsanctioned work on this, will pay \$2,500 to the repair cost.
- Rotary have asked about trees; Pinks are looking after these over lockdown.
- Leen is keen to pick up the firewood from the Pony Club grounds. Leen is happy to take away and cut up is keen to donate 1/2 back to the community.

Plains Trust Report

- The Plains Museum Trust had an Occupier meeting in August which gave the user groups of the Domain a chance to network.
- The Occupiers are working on an event to raise awareness of volunteering at the museum. They are going to collectively come together to promote this.
- AGM planning is now in place date to be advised.
- The Plains Museum Trust have given permission for the shunter shed and the Lynnford Hall to go ahead.

That the report be received.

Oakley/ Rawlinson

Carried

The Meeting concluded at 8.45pm

Next meeting 27th September 2021

Dated 27/09/2021

Chair: _____

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