

**CLEVEDON TOWN COUNCIL**  
**SUB- COMMITTEE SALTHOUSE FIELDS TENNIS COURTS**

REPORT TO THE TOWN EVENTS & AMENITIES COMMITTEE OF THE MEETING  
 HELD ON FRIDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST 2018 AT 9.30AM IN THE COUNCIL HOUSE, 44  
 OLD STREET.

PRESENT:                   Committee Chairman – Cllr G Watkins  
                                   Cllr A Shopland & Cllr C Starr,  
                                   Mrs S Howard – Committee Clerk

**In attendance:** Mr S Bannerman

**STC/18/228 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies received from Cllr Geldart

**STC/18/229 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None declared.

**STC/18/230 MINUTES**

The notes of the Sub-Committee meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018, previously  
 circulated to the Sub-Committee were approved.

**STC/18/231 TO DISCUSS AND REVIEW THE TENNIS COURTS, CONDITION  
 AND USAGE, SINCE THE COMPLETION OF THE RESURFACING**

North Somerset Tennis Academy, NSTA, confirmed that the courts are well  
 used.

Concern raised with some asphalt beginning to show through, where the green  
 paint has come away from the base line area.

The gutter on Court 1 requires attention as there is moss, stones and mud that  
 is creating issues on the court surface.

Groups are still congregating around the courts and still verbal abuse by some.  
 Rubbish continues to be an issue, mainly on Court 1 which is close to the Multi  
 Use games area (MUGA).

**RESOLVED:**

To contact Courtstall to ascertain if there is a warranty with regards to the  
 courts surface.

To contact a contractor to rectify the issues with the gutter.

To enquire as to whether the Town Council Caretaker could monitor and clear  
 rubbish from the courts.

**STC/18/232 TO DISCUSS AND AGREE TO THE RENEWAL OF THE SERVICE  
 LEVEL AGREEMENT FOR NSTA, WHICH EXPIRES ON 31 AUGUST 2018**

NSTA discussed with members of the Committee the proposed revisions to the  
 current Service Level Agreement, SLA. The revisions include using the courts  
 seven days a week, part time.

**RESOLVED:** Further discussion concerning any amendments to session times  
 will be reviewed at the next Committee meeting to be held on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

**STC/18/233 TO DISCUSS AND FINALISE THE WORDING FOR A NEW NOTICE TO BE INSTALLED AT THE COURTS, EXPLAINING GUIDELINES FOR THE USE OF THE TENNIS COURTS**

Members agreed to the following wording:

Condition of use

- For Tennis use only, please wear tennis shoes only
- Keep gates shut
- All persons using the facility do so at their own risk
- This is a NO SMOKING area
- NO DOGS are allowed on the courts or in this area
- DO NOT bring bottles or alcohol into the area
- This is YOUR facility and for your safety, please keep it tidy and use the litter bins provided

Information

- These facilities are checked on a weekly basis
- In the event of ice or snow this facility will NOT be cleared
- Nearest toilets – on Elton Road by Bowling Club

**STC/18/234 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday 29 August 2018, at 11.00am

The meeting finished at 11.05am

APPROVED AS A TRUE RECORD

CHAIRMAN: .....

DATE: .....