

ETWALL LEISURE CENTRE JOINT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

24th April 2006

PRESENT:

Representatives of South Derbyshire District Council

Labour Group

Councillor Shepherd (Chair) and Councillor Richards.

Conservative Group

Councillors Mrs. Hood and Lemmon.

Officers

D. Clamp, C. Mason, S. Wright and D. Townsend.

Representatives of Etwall John Port School

Governors

M. Crane.

Officers

F. Briggs and P. Kennerdell.

Representative of Derbyshire County Council

Councillor Bambrick.

Community Group Representative

Mrs. Bussell.

APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence from the Meeting were received from District Councillor Pabla, County Councillor Hood, M. Alflat (Director of Community Services), D. Clemens (Governor of John Port School) and Mrs. Wedgebury (Community Group Representative).

EL/27. **MINUTES**

The Open Minutes of the Meeting held on 16th January 2006 were taken as read, approved as a true record and signed by the Chair.

MATTERS DELEGATED TO COMMITTEE

EL/28. **USAGE INFORMATION**

The Leisure Centre Manager presented a report that gave a breakdown of public usage of the swimming pool, squash courts and tennis courts for the financial years 2001/02 to 2005/06. He also handed out a report on admissions to week 52 (2006).

In particular, it was reiterated, as reported at the last Meeting, that the large pool inflatable had come to the end of its useful life in July 2005. Other fun equipment was being used during the fun sessions, but the large inflatable was

clearly missed and this was reflected in the fall in admissions. To address the decline in numbers, a new large pool inflatable had now been ordered and should be in use by the end of May 2006. In response to a question, the Leisure Centre Manager confirmed that the number of public swim hours currently available had changed recently to accommodate an increase in lessons. He also confirmed that lessons were not included within the public swim time figures.

The Leisure Centre Manager reported that the Derby Triathlon Club was holding an event for children on Sunday, 30th April. The pool would be closed for public swimming on this date until 1.30 p.m.

RESOLVED:-

That the Usage Information Report and the report on admissions to week 52 be noted.

EL/29. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 (AS AMENDED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT [ACCESS TO INFORMATION] ACT 1985)**

RESOLVED:-

That, in accordance with Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), the press and public be excluded from the remainder of the Meeting as it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that there would be disclosed exempt information as defined in the paragraphs of Part 1 of the Schedule 12A of the Act indicated in brackets after each item.

MINUTES

The Exempt Minutes of the Meeting held on 16th January 2006 were received.

EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNAL CLAIM UPDATE (Paragraph 1)

The Head of Human Resources gave a verbal update on this item.

D.G SHEPHERD

CHAIR