Clerks Report for July 2024

Playing Field:

- The ecological survey has been completed we are currently awaiting the results.
- The boundary survey has been undertaken on the 23rd July the results of this should be with us in the next 2 weeks
- Hole dug out by teen shelter and the earth scattered on the seating area. Maintenance Worker re-filled hole.
- The strimming behind the fence has been scheduled in for the 9th August.
- Quotes are being sought for the clearance of Penny Darn and the repairs to the fence near the zip wire as staff have informed that the work is too much for them to undertake.
- Reports in from maintenance workers of excessive rubbish following the events held by the Carnival Committee.
- Lost property found within the playing field has been advertised on Facebook.
- The chest press in the playing field has been repaired by our staff.
- The order for the removal and reduction of height on the trees in the playing field has been given to A1 as per the email decision.

Cemetery:

- The electric was out for 5 days within the Cemetery shed due to the trip switch on the pole tripping out. We will be monitoring this and if this continues, we will contact an electrician for further investigative work.
- An update on the memorial tests: It has now been confirmed with the diocese that we do not require permission to undertake the testing or for emergency stabilisation work. However, if memorials in consecrated ground are identified during the testing permission will need to be sought prior to the work being undertaken.
- Report from maintenance staff of verbal abuse from a member of the public when they were asked to move their car so that our staff could obtain entry to the Cemetery.

General:

- The legionella testing has been undertaken for the public toilets.
- Resident came into office to report over-flowing dog waste bin in Gullys Lane. Reported to Cornwall Council.
- Maintenance Worker reported household waste strewn over floor outside of Doctor's surgery. The area was cleaned up by our staff.
- Bags of rubbish dumped on the Working Men's Club footpath, next to the CC bin were reported in by our staff. Biffa has been notified.
- The work to refurbish the toilets is scheduled to start on the 12th August.
- Since there has been no further response from the estate agent the process for sale of the land at Hendra Prazey has been initiated by the solicitor.
- We have received several reports of overgrown footpaths, the office are in the process of scheduling in the second cut for the year, however it may be advisable to consider three cuts this year due to the growing conditions being experienced this year.
- Excessive rubbish blocking a pavement in Hendra Heights has been reported to Cornwall Council.
- Trelavour Road grit bin report received that the report from resident full of water. Maintenance operatives have checked the bin and advise that the lid blows up easily due to the previous damage. Consideration maybe required to replace this once it is empty.