

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Hursley Parish Council meeting

Parish Hall, Hursley

6:30 1st September 2026

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Present	In attendance	Apologies
Cllr Guest		Cllr Killeen
Cllr Chik	4 members of the public	Cllr Lowe
Cllr Hanna	Elizabeth Billingham (Clerk	Cllr Bell
Cllr Edgoose		
Cllr Waldron		

	<u>Minutes of the meeting of the Hursley Parish Council</u>	<u>Pending Actions</u>
Item		
26/40	Welcome and apologies	
	Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting	
26/41	Public Participation	
	A member of the public read out a statement from a resident about the Recreation Ground. Cllr Guest noted the correspondence had been sent to the Chair and Clerk that evening and responded to some of the points. It was noted that currently SSE works on the Main Road made it necessary for some of the Recreation Ground be used to store equipment. The Council were keen to hear of adult ideas for the area and that pétanque was a good suggestion. He noted he would be making statement/update to the village after the meeting. Another member of the public spoke about the planning of the play equipment and any future planning needed. It was suggested that a strategic document on the website might help residents be aware of the plans for the Recreation Ground. Other members of the public also commented on the need for play equipment and consulting with members of the public. There was support for the zipwire. Cllr Chik and Cllr Guest addressed some of the concerns and facts within the meeting.	
	Meeting resumed:	
26/40	Recreation Ground	
	To discuss quotes and agree action regarding the purchase of a zipline for the Recreation Ground	
	Cllr Guest gave a brief back ground to the play equipment and update on the pieces ordered after the last meeting. Cllr Chik discussed the background of public consultation both 2 years ago and this year. This year had been with approximately 30 families. It was explained that Zip wire had come high on the requests for equipment. The current new equipment supplier had offered an excellent quote for installation of a zipline which could be installed at the same time as the other equipment. Cllr Chik had obtained three other quotes for a zipline and presented them to the Council. RESOLVED to agree the purchase of the zipline from Outdoor Play Devon for £9735 plus VAT	
	ACTION Clerk to order equipment.	
	ACTION Clerk to put together a strategic document with tracking of decisions for the November meeting	AGENDA
26/41	Date of next meeting – 14th September 2026	