

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF HOCKHAM PARISH COUNCIL PLAYING FILED
COMMITTEE HELD ON MONDAY 18TH MARCH 2024 IN HOCKHAM VILLAGE HALL.**

Present Councillors, D Lloyd, J Leech and A Loft , advisors C Wiltshire, G Grant, A Taylor, V Sercombe, the clerk C Garrod. 1 member of the public and councillors Thomas and Bennett.

- 1) **Apologies for absence.** None
- 2) **Declarations of Interest,** J Leech as a farmer from Little Hockham and A Loft as an allotment holder
- 3) **Requests for dispensation.** None
- 4) **Chair opening address.** Chair Councillor Lloyd gave an outline of events to be organised in 2024 and asked for ideas to come forward for more events. Most business would be conducted at working party level in the future.
- 5) **Public Participation.** The meeting was briefly adjourned for any questions/comments.
- 6) **Finances.** The cheque signatories were in the process of change. The accounts would not come under parish council ownership until this had been sorted.
- 7) **Approval of Payments.** This would only normally be required for sums over £2500 but on this occasion, it was noted that £399 would be paid once the account was live, to pay for a playing field equipment inspection.
- 8) **Any Updates.** None
- 9) **Date of next meeting.** 22nd April 2024 @ 19.10