Clerks Report for March 22

Playing Field:

The Annual Safety inspection has been arranged; this is due to be undertaken in April.

The painting of the goal posts has been completed. The Goal post at the Hendra Prazey side of the pitch needs replacement. The Casual staff have informed that the metal work is deteriorating and very thin in places where it has rusted in the past.

The casual staff have been strimming behind the fence and the area is a lot tidier. There are still some areas behind the lower fence that cannot be completed until the logs have been removed. Unfortunately, whilst undertaking the strimming there was an incident where the strimmer caught a small stump and has kicked back, this has severed the wire and ducting for the CCTV.

Ball stop netting was due to be erected but the contractor has informed that they are unable to install. The office is currently looking at other options for the install.

Cemetery:

Following the removal of the trees we have been receiving both complaints and compliments about the Cemetery in equal measures. A member of the public has been in touch enquiring about the possibility of a bin being placed along the fenced off footpath, we have moved one of the lesser used bins down to this area to accommodate this request.

The bench plaque has been installed; quotes are being looked for as the bench itself needs some attention on the seat slats.

The new CCTV camera has been ordered we are currently awaiting an install date.

We are still awaiting confirmation for the removal of the tree stumps, and grass cutting has resumed.

Quotes for the replacement of the side gate will be circulated soon, this needs to be replaced following the damage caused to the existing gate at the end of February.

General:

Hendra Prazey: site meeting with a contractor has been undertaken to review the condition of the gabion baskets on the bank of the leat.

Enquiries have been made for the waste removal and we are hopeful that this will be undertaken in the near future, this will then enable the removal of the shed.

A quote has been obtained for the fencing, but this cannot be installed until the issues with the banks on the leat have been addressed.

I have drafted a full report for Cllrs about the above.

Bus Shelters: The painting of the bus shelters has not yet started the bus shelters at Enniscaven and Treviscoe need work to be undertaken on the roofs, a product has been found that can be painted on the surface and offers a 25-year guarantee. This product is designed for concrete roofs and bridges small gaps /cracks meaning that there is no need to fill with concrete.

Good citizens award: We have received 4 nominations at present which is disappointing. A decision needs to be made about continuing with this. We could extend the deadline and concentrate more

on promoting the event possibly tie this in with either the jubilee celebrations or if it is running this year the Carnival week. We have received one nomination from a Cllr to date.

Office:

- Internal control check has been carried out by Cllr Burnett.
- New computers have been ordered

Issues Reported to Cornwall Council in March: Dog bin in the Playing Field rusting out. Fly tipping Trelavour Rd layby. Bollard Broken School Iane