COOKSTOWN DISTRICT COUNCILS

Minutes of proceedings of a **SPORT & LEISURE SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING** of the Council held in the Council Chamber on Tuesday 28 January 2014 immediately following the Policy Resources & Services Committee meeting.

Present: J McGarvey, Chairman

Councillors: Buchanan, Clarke, Glasgow MBE, Kelly, Lees, Mallaghan,

McCartney, McElhone, McFlynn, McNamee, Wilson

Officers Chief Executive (Acting)

Head of Leisure Services Head of Sports Service

Clerk's Secretary

1 APOLOGIES

Apologies were received on behalf of Councillors Mayo, McAleer, McIvor and Quinn

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors Glasgow and Wilson declared an interest in the Pipe Band Association.

3 REPORT OF HEAD OF LEISURE SERVICES

A copy of the above report had been previously circulated. The Committee adopted the report together with the following matters contained therein.

3.1 Household Membership

The Committee RECOMMENDED that household membership should be introduced and also be made available at other Sport and Leisure facilities in Mid Ulster, to be introduced in April 2015 as part of an overall Mid Ulster Leisure Services Membership package.

3.2 Climbing Wall

The Committee RECOMMENDED that tenders are sought for a Mobile Climbing Wall and a second hand 4 x 4 vehicle to be situated at Ballyronan Marina Boat Park to be operated by Leisure Service Staff.

3.3 Ballyronan Boat Club Sailing Courses for People with a Disability

The Committee RECOMMENDED that Council installs a ramp and hoist at the jetty to allow the Club to provided sailing instruction for people with disabilities.

3.4 Riverside, Dunman Residents Request for a Play Park

The Committee RECOMMENDED that Council writes to Riverside residents informing them that the land owned by Dale Farm.

3.5 Pricing Policy

The Committee RECOMMENDED that for the financial year 2014/15 the existing pricing policy for Leisure Services remains unchanged.

4 REPORT OF HEAD OF SPORT SERVICES

A copy of the above report had been previously circulated. The Committee adopted the report together with the following matters contained therein.

4.1 Five Aside Synthetic Pitch

The Committee RECOMMENDED retrospectively that the Five Aside Synthetic Pitch at MUSA is replaced at a cost of £21,000 plus VAT.

4.2 Event Support

The Committee NOTED that the Sports Services Department will support the following events in 2014:-

Pomeroy BST 10K 21 June 2014 in Pomeroy Forest Lough Neagh Triathlon 16 August 2014 at Ballyronan

Cookstown Streets League June & July 2014 at MUSA and Fairhill

Sperrins Harriers Autumn Race Date TBC Mid Ulster Pipe Band 2 August at MUSA

Competition

The meeting ended at 8.25 pm.

Chairman
Clerk/Chief Executive