

**FINAL Minutes of Friends of Crofton and Sparrow Woods Committee Meeting at 6.30pm**

**ON 16 September 2025 by Zoom**

**Present:**

Jane Andrews

John Bray

Karen King

Claire Osborn

Kirsty Blackman

Danielle Wells

Apologies: Joao Peres

**1. Welcome & discuss minutes of last meeting**

Previous minutes accepted

**2. Updates**

No more signboards planned

Horses: Council chivvied to consider enforcement.

Benches: No progress because Luke busy. **Action Luke, Karen**

Playground repainted, need ladder to paint top of swings.

Overhanging branches on recreation ground pruned.

Vegetation encroaching on recreation ground paths. **Jane to Issue FMS report**

Sewer pipe work ongoing in Ember Close which should fix the pollution problem.

Autumn plan agreed.

Circular walk stalled because Luke busy.

No change on pavilion.

Grass at end of recreation ground cut and gathered.

Buy £50 of wildflower seed and yellow rattle and scatter over newly mown area.

**Kirsty**

Beaver people planning a site visit with Luke and **Danielle**.

Sundial scheme looks promising. Residents Associations keener than Schools. **Jane pursuing**

Centre of bridge near recreation ground repaired.

Tarmac path by stream has temporary repair.

### **3. Membership and Finances**

Up 1 to 112.

down £60 to £2734.94

### **4. Upcoming events**

Wreath making Sat 6 December 1-5 including setup/teardown for 20 people £42

Saturday sessions. **Action Jane to talk to Caroline**

### **5. AOB**

**Next Committee meeting 24th November**

**John Bray**

**Secretary**

These minutes were agreed at the Committee meeting on 24 November 2025.