

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE AMENITIES COMMITTEE**  
**HELD IN THE GUILDHALL, HELSTON**  
**ON THURSDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> JULY 2010 AT 7.00 PM**

**Councillors:** Mrs S M E Swift in the Chair

R Williams  
Mrs F N E Boase

R R Pryor

Mrs W A Radford-Gaby

**Officers:** Mr C Dawson - Town Clerk

**Councillor D C Swift was also present**

**146. Minutes**

On the proposition of Councillor Williams, seconded by Councillor Pryor, it was

RESOLVED – that the Minutes of the meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2010 be approved and signed as a true record.

**147. Public Participation**

Mr Lord spoke in support of his letter to be considered by the Committee at the following agenda item. Mr Lord explained the problems regarding the ball games including damage to property and disturbance late into the evenings. Councillor Williams advised that he had experienced similar issues where he lived, but regular visits by the Police had resolved the problems. Mr Lord suggested that the Police had more pressing matters to deal with and a “No Ball Games” sign might help the situation and enable local residents to monitor the area.

**148. Ball Games in Hellis Wartha**

Members considered a letter received from Mr Lord and the further comments he made during public participation. Following the discussion it was proposed by the Chairman, seconded by Councillor Pryor, and

RESOLVED – that the Town Clerk erect a “No Ball Games” sign adjacent to the existing sign in the Hellis Wartha Play Area.

**149. Continental Market**

Members considered the results of a survey conducted following the April Continental Market. The Town Clerk advised that he had personally delivered 55 survey forms to businesses in Meneage Street and 19 completed forms had been returned. He also advised that lessons had been learned from the two markets held and the locations of pitches could be looked at in September to make further improvements.

The Chairman was of the opinion that the market was good for the town but requested that the Town Clerk enquire as to what stalls would attend in September as there was a large non-continental stall in April. The Town Clerk agreed to investigate and informed Members that the company was referring to the market as ‘European’ rather than ‘Continental’.

At the conclusion of the debate it was proposed by Councillor Mrs Boase, seconded by Councillor Pryor, and unanimously

RESOLVED – that a European Market be held in Meneage Street on 18<sup>th</sup> September 2010.

**150. Proposed Coinagehall Street Bus Shelter**

The Town Clerk advised that he had contacted the Conservation Officer to obtain a suitable bus shelter design and cost. This had not yet been received and the Town Clerk advised he would continue to pursue.

**Meeting closed at 7.35pm**

**Confirmed**

**Chairman**