# Alexandra Park and Palace Advisory Committee.

## (Established by Statute in 1985)

## To: <u>The Members of the</u> Advisory Committee (Statutory)

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## Dear Member,

A meeting of the <u>ALEXANDRA PARK AND PALACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u>, will take place on <u>MONDAY, 13TH MAY, 2013</u> commencing at <u>19:30</u> hrs in <u>TRANSMITTER HALL,</u> <u>ALEXANDRA PALACE, PALACE WAY, WOOD GREEN, LONDON N22 7AY</u> to consider the business set out in the Agenda detailed below.

Yours sincerely

Felicity Parker Clerk to the Committee

## AGENDA

## 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

## 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

A member with a disclosable pecuniary interest or a prejudicial interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the authority at which the matter is considered:

(i) must disclose the interest at the start of the meeting or when the interest becomes apparent, and

(ii) may not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must withdraw from the meeting room.

A member who discloses at a meeting a disclosable pecuniary interest which is not registered in the Register of Members' Interests or the subject of a pending notification must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest within 28 days of the disclosure.

Disclosable pecuniary interests, personal interests and prejudicial interests are defined at Paragraphs 5-7 and Appendix A of the Members' Code of Conduct.

## 3. MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING (PAGES 1 - 16)

- i) To approve the minutes of the Advisory Committee held on 15 January 2013.
- ii) To note the minutes of the Joint Informal Statutory Advisory and Consultative Committees held on 15 January 2013.
- ii) To note the draft minutes of the Alexandra Palace and Park Board meeting held on 7 February 2013.

## 4. REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

To receive the report of the Chief Executive, Alexandra Palace and Park.

Note – the papers are included within the Joint Informal SAC/CC agenda pack.

## 5. PARK UPDATE

To receive the report of the Park Manager, Alexandra Palace and Park.

Note – the papers are included within the Joint Informal SAC/CC agenda pack.

## 6. DESIGN ISSUES

To receive the report of the Chief Executive, Alexandra Palace and Park.

Note – the papers are included within the Joint Informal SAC/CC agenda pack.

## 7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

## 8. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

To note the dates of future meetings of the Advisory Committee as follows:

Tuesday 18 June 2013 *(Members, please note the change in date)* Thursday 10 October 2013 Tuesday 28 January 2014

## To: Nominated Members of:

Alexandra Residents' Association	: Mrs J. Hutchinson
Bounds Green and District Residents' Association	: Mr K. Ranson
Muswell Hill and Fortis Green Association Palace Gates Residents' Association	: Mr D. Heathcote : Mr K. Stanfield
Palace View Residents' Association	: Ms E. Richardson
The Rookfield Association	: Mr D. Frith
Warner Estate Residents' Association	: Mr D. Liebeck

## Appointed Members:

Alexandra Ward	:	Councillor Beacham
Bounds Green Ward	:	Councillor Christophides
Fortis Green Ward	:	Councillor Erskine
Hornsey Ward	:	Councillor Gorrie
Muswell Hill Ward	:	Councillor Jenks
Noel Park Ward	:	Councillor Gibson
Council-wide Member	:	Councillor Griffith
Council-wide Member	:	Councillor Dogus

## Also to:

Chief Executive Director of Corporate Resources Head of Legal Services

Agenda Item 3 MINUTES OF THE ALEXANDRA PARK AND PALACE ADVISORY **TUESDAY, 15 JANUARY 2013** 

## PRESENT: \* denotes absence

## NOMINATED BY LOCAL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATIONS

Mrs J. Hutchinson Mr K. Ranson	:	Alexandra Residents' Association Bounds Green and District Residents'
Mr D. Heathcote	:	Association Muswell Hill and Fortis Green Association
*Mr J. Athanassiou	:	Palace Gates Residents' Association
Ms L. Richardson		Palace View Residents' Association
Mr. D. Frith	:	The Rookfield Association
Mr. D. Liebeck	:	Warner Estate Residents' Association

#### **APPOINTED MEMBERS**

Councillor Beacham	:	Alexandra Ward
Councillor Christophides	:	Bounds Green Ward
Councillor Erskine	:	Fortis Green Ward
*Councillor Gorrie	:	Hornsey Ward
Councillor J. Jenks	:	Muswell Hill Ward
*Councillor P. Gibson		Noel Park Ward
*Councillor E. Griffith	:	Council Wide appointment
*Councillor Dogus	:	Council Wide appointment

Also in attendance:

Mr Duncan Wilson - Chief Executive - Alexandra Palace Mr Mark Evison - Park Manager - Alexandra Palace Miss Felicity Parker - Clerk to the Committee

**Public Gallery:** 

#### MINUTE NO.

## SUBJECT/DECISION

APSC80.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
	Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Gibson, Gorrie and Griffith.
APSC81.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
	Councillor Jenks declared a personal interest as he was a member of the Warner Estate Residents' Association.
APSC82.	MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING
	i) The minutes of the Statutory Advisory Committee held on 16 October 2012 were approved as a correct record of the meeting.
	ii) The minutes of the informal Joint Statutory Advisory and Consultative Committees held on 16 October 2012 were noted.

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	iii) The minutes of the Alexandra Palace and Park Board meetings held on 24 July 2012 and 6 November 2012 were noted.
APSC83.	PARK ACTIVITIES UPDATE
	The Committee noted the discussion held during the Joint SAC/CC meeting.
	RESOLVED to note the report.
APSC84.	FORTHCOMING EVENTS
	The Committee noted the discussion held during the Joint SAC/CC meeting.
	RESOLVED to :
	i) Note the events report.
	<ul> <li>i) Note the events report;</li> <li>ii) To endorse the outdoor events strategy for discussion at the Board and</li> </ul>
	approval subject to comments as deemed appropriate.
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APSC85.	REGENERATION
	The Committee noted the discussion held during the Joint SAC/CC meeting.
	RESOLVED to note the report
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APSC86.	GOVERNANCE
	The Committee noted the discussion held during the Joint SAC/CC meeting
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APSC87.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS
	There was no such business.
APSC88.	DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS
	The dates of the meetings for the next Municipal Year would be provided to
	members as soon as they were available.
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Denis Heathcote

Chair

Signed by the Chair .....

Date .....

#### MINUTES OF THE JOINT INFORMAL MEETING OF THE ALEXANDRA PARK & PALACE STATUTORY ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND THE ALEXANDRA PALACE AND PARK CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE TUESDAY, 15 JANUARY 2013

PRESENT: \* denotes absence

#### NOMINATED BY LOCAL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATIONS

#### Advisory Committee Nominated Members of:

Alexandra Residents' Association
Bounds Green and District Residents Association

Muswell Hill and Fortis Green Association Palace Gates Residents' Association

Palace View Residents Association The Rookfield Association Warner Estate Residents' Association 1 Vacancy

#### Advisory Committee Appointed Members:

Alexandra Ward	:	Councillor Beacham
Bounds Green Ward	:	Councillor Christophides
Fortis Green Ward	:	Councillor Erskine
Hornsey Ward	:	*Councillor Gorrie
Muswell Hill Ward	:	Councillor Jenks
Noel Park Ward	:	*Councillor Gibson
Council-wide Member	:	*Councillor Griffith
Council-wide Member	:	*Councillor Dogus
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## **Consultative Committee Nominated Members:**

Alexandra Palace Amateur Ice Skating Club Alexandra Palace Allotments Association Alexandra Palace Angling Association Alexandra Palace Organ Appeal Alexandra Palace Television Group Alexandra Residents' Association Alexandra Palace Garden Centre Alexandra Park and Palace Conservation Area Advisory Committee Bounds Green and District Residents' Association **CUFOS** Friends of Alexandra Park Friends of the Alexandra Palace Theatre Hornsey Historical Society Muswell Hill and Fortis Green Association Muswell Hill Metro Group New River Action Group Palace View Residents' Association Vitrine Ltd - The Lakeside Café Warner Estate Residents' Association

\*Mr M. Tarpey Ms E. Regan \*Mr K. Pestell \*Mr R. Tucker Mr J. Thompson Ms C. Hayter \*Mr C. Campbell-Preston

: Ms J. Hutchinson : Mr K. Ranson

: Mr D. Heathcote

: \*Mr J. Athanassiou

: Ms E. Richardson

: Mr D. Frith

: Mr D. Liebeck

Mr C. Marr Mr K. Ranson \*Mr J. Smith Mr G. Hutchinson Mr N. Willmott \*Mr J. O'Callaghan Ms D Feeney Mr J. Boshier Miss R. Macdonald \*Ms V. Paley \*Mr A. Yener Prof. R. Hudson

## **Consultative Committee Appointed Members:**

\*Councillor Cooke \*Councillor Demirci Councillor Hare Councillor Peacock

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**Councillor Scott** \*Councillor Stewart \*Councillor Williams

#### Also attending

Duncan Wilson – Chief Executive – Alexandra Palace Mark Evison - Park Manager, Alexandra Palace Emma Dagnes – Alexandra Palace Felicity Parker – Clerk to the Committee (LB Haringey)

MINUTE NO.	SUBJECT/DECISION		
APSC98.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE		
	Apologies for absence were received from Kevin Pestell, Jacob O'Callaghan, Val Paley, and Councillors Gibson, Gorrie, Griffith, Stewart and Williams.		
APSC99.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST		
	Councillor Jenks declared a personal interest as he was a member of the Warner Estate Residents' Association.		
APSC100	MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING		
	i) The minutes of the informal Joint Statutory Advisory and Consultative Committees held on 16 October 2012 were approved as a correct record of the meeting.		
	ii) The minutes of the Advisory Committee held on 16 October 2012 were noted.		
	iii) The minutes of the Alexandra Palace and Park Board meetings held on 24 July 2012 and 6 November 2012 were noted.		
APSC101	PARK ACTIVITIES UPDATE		
	RECEIVED the report of Mark Evison, Park Manager.		
	NOTED:		
	• The Park had been voted fourth in the People's Choice Awards, and the second placed London Park.		
	<ul> <li><u>Red Bull</u></li> <li>There were ongoing discussions with regards to the proposed Red Bull event in Summer 2013. The organisers and Mark Evison had met with the Friends of Alexandra Park to talk through ideas, identify potential issues and how to resolve them.</li> <li>The feedback from the consultation with SAC / CC Chairmen had been passed</li> </ul>		

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to the Alexandra Palace and Park Board before Christmas, where the decision was taken to proceed with the event, subject to addressing the issues raised by interested groups.

- Lessons were learned following the last event and would be taken into • consideration for this event.
- Gordon Hutchinson, as a representative for Friend of Alexandra Park, • confirmed that following the meeting with event organisers he was satisfied that assurances had been given and potential issues had been dealt with.
- The breakdown of the event was due to take two days the road would be reopened on Monday, and the materials to be removed were mostly fencing and barriers.

150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Alexandra Park

- The Park's 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary would be celebrated during the year with a series • of events and activities - with a 'big birthday party' in July.
- Some members felt that there had not been any consultation or involvement of the local community with the planning of the day. Duncan Wilson explained that the proposed events for the day were discussed with the Friends of Alexandra Park, however he asked members to email him if they had any ideas for activities.

## **RESOLVED** to note the report.

## APSC102 FORTHCOMING EVENTS

RECEIVED the report of the Chief Executive, Alexandra Palace.

NOTED:

- The list of forthcoming events at the Palace.
- Duncan Wilson introduced a "draft strategy for outdoor events in the Park" to • provide a more secure basis for decision making on individual events. Duncan Wilson also suggested that it would be useful to commission an independent events consultant to advise on type, frequency and maximum size of possible events.
- Following a discussion, members made the following suggestions:
  - The value of the park as an open space rich is bio-diversity needed to be recognised
  - The suggested target of 20% of the Parks budget to come from events was seen as reasonable - this corresponding to the equivalent of one Red Bull type event a year.
  - Some thought should be given to the scale and frequency of events, for example, up to 3 or 4 events with no more than 10,000 people per year
  - It would be useful to set out which events would be welcomed in the park and also which events would not be suitable
  - Events lasting more than 28 days would require planning permission this should be made clear in the document

Duncan Wilson asked for further suggestions to be emailed to him. He added that this report will be presented to the Board, however it could be brought back to a future meeting of the SAC/CC to discuss in further detail.

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	RESOLVED to :
	<ul> <li>i) Note the events report;</li> <li>ii) To endorse the draft outdoor events strategy for discussion at the Board and approval subject to comments as deemed appropriate.</li> </ul>
APSC103	REGENERATION
	RECEIVED the report of the Chief Executive, Alexandra Palace, which included an update on the major HLF grant submission for which the main text of the bid had been provided.
	NOTED:
	<ul> <li>The HLF bid had now been submitted with letters of support from the Chairs of the Consultative and Statutory Advisory Committees.</li> <li>The Joint Committee welcomed the approach taken in the submission and endorsed its support for the bid.</li> <li>HLF representatives would visit the Palace during the 1<sup>st</sup> week of February and the findings would be reported back to the main HLF Committee on 23 April. The outcome of this meeting would be available approximately a week after this date.</li> <li>HLF support was usually provided for both building works and to support activities. Generally the decision was based on how the building would be used once it was restored.</li> <li>The Palace was due to submit another HLF bid for £80,000 over 4 years to support the learning programmes and the appointment of a 'Learning Officer'. Further detail would be provided at the next meeting.</li> </ul>
APSC104	GOVERNANCE
	RECEIVED a verbal update from the Chief Executive, Alexandra Palace.
	NOTED:
	• An Alexandra Palace and Park Board sub-group had convened to discuss the appointment of non-executive and non-voting members to the Board. These would be voluntary appointments, the first of which would be announced in the near future.
APSC105	NON-VOTING BOARD MEMBERS FEEDBACK
	Nigel Willmott reported that the previous Board meeting had considered any outstanding legal issues post Firoka and decided on no further action. Other matters had already been covered by the agenda.
APSC106	ITEMS RAISED BY INTERESTED GROUPS

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	None.
APSC107	ANY OTHER BUSINESS OR URGENT BUSINESS
	There was no such business.
APSC108	DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS
	The dates of the meetings for the next Municipal Year would be provided to members as soon as they were available.

Colin Marr

Chair

Signed by the Chair .....

Date .....

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# MINUTES OF THE ALEXANDRA PALACE AND PARK BOARD THURSDAY, 7 FEBRUARY 2013

Councillors Cooke (Chair), Stewart (Vice-Chair), Demirci, Hare, Peacock and Scott

Non-Voting C Marr and V Paley Representatives:

Also present:

Duncan Wilson – Chief Executive, Alexandra Palace Nigel Watts – Director of Finance, Alexandra Palace Isobel Aptaker – Learning Officer, Alexandra Palace Melissa Tettey – Head of Learning and Community Programme, Alexandra Palace

Julie Parker – Director of Resources and Chief Finance Officer, LBH Helen Chapman – Clerk, LBH

## MINUTE NO.

## SUBJECT/DECISION

APBO264.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
	Apologies for lateness were received from Cllr Peacock.
APBO265.	URGENT BUSINESS
	There were no items of urgent business.
APBO266.	DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS
	There were no declarations of interest.
APBO267.	QUESTIONS, DEPUTATIONS OR PETITIONS
	There were no such items.
APBO268.	MINUTES
	The Board thanked the Advisory Committee for its endorsement of the Trust's bid
	to the Heritage Lottery Fund, and the Chairmen of both the Statutory Advisory Committee and Consultative Committee for having written to the HLF in support
	of the bid.
	RESOLVED
	<ul> <li>That the unrestricted minutes of the Alexandra Palace and Park Board held on 6 November 2012 be approved as a correct record.</li> </ul>
	ii) That the minutes of the Alexandra Park and Palace Advisory Committee held on 16 October 2012 be noted.

	iii) That the minutes of the informal joint Alexandra Palace and Park Consultative Committee and Alexandra Park and Palace Advisory Committee held on 16 October 2012 be noted.			
APBO269.	REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE			
	Duncan Wilson – Chief Executive – introduced the report as set out:			
	Events update			
	<ul> <li>The importance of new business was emphasised; performance with regards to bringing in new business was positive, but it was noted that new business performance was a challenge to maintain.</li> </ul>			
	Draft Outdoor Events Strategy			
	<ul> <li>It was suggested that, once complete, the strategy should be made available online to give potential event organisers and members of the public a better understanding of the basis on which events in the park would be considered.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Alternative wording was proposed for the second paragraph of the document by Colin Marr as follows: "The overall management of the Park is the responsibility of the executive of the Trust on behalf of the Trustees" It was agreed that this amendment be made to the draft.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>The Chair agreed to allow Gordon Hutchinson, Friends of Alexandra Park to speak, at the request of the Board, and standing orders were suspended accordingly. Mr Hutchinson suggested that the strategy should explicitly acknowledge the particular challenges posed by the topography of the park, as well as the ecological and heritage assets which needed to be protected. The discussions regarding the draft strategy to date were fel- to have been valuable.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>There was a discussion regarding the need to balance the wish to establish prescriptive criteria for events, such as a specific maximum number of events of a certain size or nature per year, against the need to retain as much flexibility as possible. It was felt that there could be further discussion around this once the advice of the independent events consultant had been received.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>It was suggested that the strategy should make it clear that event organisers would be required to comply with the ecological standards that had been set out by the Trust, on the basis of the expert advice the Trust had received.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>It was confirmed that the income targets set out under section a represented realistic but challenging expectations.</li> <li>It was agreed that the last sentence under section 10 (*The Park would be limited) be omitted until the advice of the independent consultant was received.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>It was agreed that information for Kenwood and Trent Park be incorporated into the comparison table.</li> <li>The strategy would be promoted via direct contact with relevant promoters.</li> </ul>			

	Fabric Repair Project			
	<ul> <li>Work was scheduled to commence on site from the 18<sup>th</sup> February; the focus of repairs would be the SW colonnades and the roofing of the derelict pavilion at the SE corner of the ice rink foyer. It was noted that confirmation of the grant from English Heritage had taken longer than anticipated.</li> <li>An application for Listed Building Consent had been submitted for a number of fabric repair works.</li> </ul>			
	Actions taken following GLA election count			
	• The Board noted the response on this matter as set out in the report.			
	RESOLVED			
	i) That the content of the report be noted.			
	ii) That the advice of the Advisory and Consultative Committees, particularly with regard to the outdoor events paper, be noted and that the comments of the Board as indicated above be incorporated into a further draft of this paper.			
APBO270.	REGENERATION REPORT			
	The Chair gave an update on the meeting held in the week prior to the Board meeting, attended by Cllr Cooke, Chair of the Board, Duncan Wilson, Chief Executive of Alexandra Palace, Cllr Kober, Leader of Haringey Council, and Nick Walkley, Chief Executive of Haringey Council, as well representatives from the HLF. The meeting was reported to have been positive, and had provided some valuable guidance in terms of further information that may be requested as the bid progressed. The demonstration of strong cross-party support for the bid, and the support from the Leader and Chief Executive of the Council as illustrated by their participation in the meeting, were felt to have been favourably received by the HLF. It was emphasised that Alexandra Palace should play a key role in any cultural strategy produced by the Council.			
	Duncan Wilson – Chief Executive – introduced the report as set out.			
	Property Advisor tender			
	<ul> <li>There would be an update on the work undertaken by Knight Frank at the next meeting of the Board. A regeneration strategy workshop was planned in advance of the next Board meeting.</li> </ul>			
	<u>Recruitment</u>			
	<ul> <li>There had been a good response to the recruitment advert for the post of Director Regeneration and Property. Advertisement for this post had been</li> </ul>			

	undertaken by MacDonald and Company.			
	Fundraising			
	• An early draft of the fundraising strategy would be circulated in due course.			
	HLF Update			
	• The report outlined the smaller Your Heritage Grant pre-application, for education and learning, which would include work to improve learning facilities in the Transmitter Hall. In response to a question from the Board, it was confirmed that it was intended to retain the Transmitter Hall name.			
	The Board thanked Duncan Wilson and his team for the progress that had been made.			
	NOTED			
APBO271.	Nigel Watts – Director of Finance and Resources, Alexandra Palace – introduced			
	the report as set out.			
	<ul> <li>Next year's financial reporting would give a more detailed breakdown of income and expenditure; the current report gave a breakdown into the</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>main areas of activity.</li> <li>It was noted that the £152k regeneration underspend was largely due to the nature of the work and the associated pattern of expenditure having changed, subsequent to the budget being set. It was hoped that this underspend could be carried over to the next financial year.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>The overall forecast for the year was for a reduction in the net deficit; after Gift Aid, there was confidence that the performance would exceed the original budget.</li> </ul>			
	The Board congratulated the Director of Finance and Resources and his team on the clarity of the report, and also on the work undertaken to implement the new financial system. The format of the report was agreed to represent a significant improvement.			
	NOTED			
APBO272.	REPORT OF THE PARKS MANAGER			
	Duncan Wilson presented the report as set out, on behalf of the Park Manager.			
	150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Alexandra Park			
	• The programme of events was being developed. There had been offers of support from the local community, particularly from local musical groups. Celebrations for the event on 21 <sup>st</sup> July, 11am-4pm, were likely to include a			

	<ul> <li>"village fair" in the Grove, with live music from local bands and groups, pop-up food stalls and a farmers' market. The cricket club were proposing to hold an event, and other proposals included archery and a street party, with tables extending along the terrace. Wet-weather alternatives were also being planned.</li> <li>It was noted that the anniversary events were an opportunity to raise awareness of the regeneration work.</li> <li>A logo had been developed for the publicity of the anniversary events, and it was reported that a volunteering programme was also going to be launched.</li> <li>The Board made a number of suggestions for the Chief Executive to feed back to the events team.</li> <li>It was noted that Gardeners' Question Time was being held at the Palace on 5 March 2013; Board members were invited to contact Duncan Wilson with ideas relating to the Park that the Panel should be made aware of.</li> </ul> Dog Control Orders <ul> <li>An explanation had been sought as to why the detailed work undertaken by the Park Manager with regard to dog control orders had not been reflected in the DCOs issued by the Council. A further opportunity to feed into the policy would be sought. <ul> <li>The Board expressed its strong sense of disappointment that this useful piece of work had not been taken into account by the Council, and requested that its views on this matter be formally made known to the Council following this discussion. </li> <li>Closure of entrances</li> <li>The overnight closures of two gates had commenced for a trial period. There had been a small number of complaints, and this would be monitored.</li> <li>It was suggested that alternative routes be indicated on the closed gates. Although it was felt that, given the location of the gates concerned, it was unlikely that these would be used by people unfamiliar with the area, this would be discussed further with the Park Manager.</li> </ul></li></ul>
	Campsbourne Play Centre
	• Discussions had progressed with the Council, and a proposal was being developed for the transfer of the centre over to the Palace. A business case assessment would be produced and shared with the Board for consideration, with any proposal being considered on its merits.
	NOTED
APBO273.	ANY OTHER UNRESTRICTED BUSINESS THE CHAIR CONSIDERS TO BE URGENT
	There were no items of urgent business.
APBO274.	FUTURE MEETINGS

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	Dates for the 2013/14 municipal year had not yet been established and would be circulated as soon as possible.					
APBO275.	EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS					
	RESOLVED that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the consideration of agenda items 13 – 18 as they contain exempt information as defined in Section 100a of the Local Government Act 1972; Paragraph – Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual, Paragraph 3 – information relating to the business or financial affairs of a particular person (including the authority holding that information) and Paragraph 5 – information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.					
	SUMMARY OF EXEMPT ITEMS					
	APBO276	MINUTES				
		RESOLVED that the restricted minutes of the Alexandra Palace and Park Board held on 6 November 2012 be approved as a correct record.				
	APBO277	REPORT OF THE PARKS MANAGER - CONTRACT EXTENSION				
		The recommendations of the report were agreed.				
	APBO278	HLF LEARNING AND COMMUNITY PROGRAMME BID The recommendations of the report were agreed.				
	АРВО279	TRUST AND TRADING MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTS AND RISK REGISTER				
		The recommendations of the report were agreed.				
	APBO280	BOARD ADVISORY APPOINTMENT				
		The recommendations of the report were agreed.				
	APBO281	ANY OTHER EXEMPT BUSINESS THE CHAIR CONSIDERS TO BE URGENT				
		The Board acknowledged Cllr Peacock's last meeting. The Board recognised Cllr Peacock's dedication to the Board over a number of years and expressed its thanks for her work.				
		The meeting concluded at 21:50hrs.				

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COUNCILLOR MATT COOKE

Chair



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