

Meeting: KING GEORGE V PLAYING FIELD TRUST
20th January 2026 at 7pm

Council Cllr. Phillipa Simms, Chair (PS)
Members in Cllr. John Keech (JK)
attendance: Cllr. Eric Cooper (EC)
Cllr. Ian Gaskin (IG)
Cllr. Allan Prudham (AP)
Cllr. James Petrides (JP)
Cllr. Jacky Fraser (JF)
Cllr John Reid (JR)
Cllr. Sarah Walker, Vice Chair (SW)
Cllr. Nigel Sparrow (NS)
Cllr. Tamsin Bromley-Rahike (TBR)
Cllr. Adrian Langley (AL)

Apologies Cllr. Charlie Tompkins (CT)
received: Cllr. Michael Walmsley (MW)

Non-
attendance:

Borough Council Borough Cllr. Jane Walker (JW)
Member: Borough Cllr. Jon Abbott (JA)

Clerk to the Rosemary Plum (RP)
Council:

Public
Attendance

MINUTES OF MEETING

1. Apologies for Absence

PS confirmed retirement of Cllr. Ali Dove.

2. Declarations of Interest

Cllr. Adrian Langley – Item 8

3. Open Forum

4. Nothing to report

5. Minutes of Previous meeting

Correction made - date of meeting was 16th December 2025.

6. Matters Arising from the Minutes (*for information only*)

Nothing to report.

7. Clerk's Report *(for information only)*

- I. Charities Commission Annual Return due in 31 Jan 2026

8. Playing Field

a) Update

- I. Play Equipment Inspection December 2025 - A few issues being dealt with including a gate that closes too quickly in less than 4 seconds.

9. Football Club

a) Update

- I. Back to normal schedule as of last week after a frozen start to the year.
- II. Sign at top entrance to playing field needs updating/replacing. RP
RP to check all signs and replace where necessary.

10. Millennium Park

a) Update

- I. Following resignation of AD, new Steering Group lead SW has taken over. Handover of paperwork complet and RP has a lot in flight already.
- II. Bulk of energy and input will come from the steering group led by SW. SW
- III. Priority actions will be identified over next couple of weeks SW
- IV. Initial prep work done and now move to galvanise the responses to create a 'Friends of Millennium Park' action group.
- V. Regular comms and information strategy will be created. RP/SW
- VI. The Steering Group is in a good position including developed action plan with view to launching at Easter.

11. Finance

a) Payment of accounts

Accounts to be ratified were circulated to members prior to the meeting.

PROPOSED: Cllr. John Keech

SECONDED: Cllr. Sarah Walker

12. Correspondence

Nothing to report.

13. Date of Next Meeting

- Tuesday 17th February 2026 in the Methodist Church Hall, Clapham

The meeting was closed by the Chair at 19.09 hrs.

Signed as a true reflection of the meeting:

Signed	Chair
Dated	17 th February 2026