

# THORNBURY TOWN COUNCIL

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**MEETING OF:** Open Spaces Committee  
**TO BE HELD ON:** Tuesday 29 June 2021  
**COMMENCING AT:** 7.30 pm  
**IN:** Thornbury Leisure Centre, Severnside Suite

*Please note that this meeting is open to the public. Public participation will be taken at the beginning of the meeting and/or at the calling of an agenda item at the discretion of the Chairman.*

*In order to comply with COVID restrictions, any members of the public wishing to attend this meeting should register their intention to attend by emailing [clerk@thornburytowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@thornburytowncouncil.gov.uk) before 12.00noon on Monday 28 June 2021.*

*This meeting is being held under the control measures outlined in the Risk Assessment for face to face Council meetings which is available from Thornbury Town Council and will be sent out with the meeting papers.*

## AGENDA

1. To receive any apologies for absence
2. To receive any members' declarations of interest
3. To receive any representations from the public
4. To approve the report of the Open Spaces Committee meeting held on 06.05.21 and to receive an update on any operational issues or matters arising from the report not considered elsewhere on the agenda (paper attached)
5. To note any decisions made out of meeting
6. To receive a general report on St Mary's Closed Churchyard
7. To receive a general report on tree planting from the Tree Warden
8. To receive an update from the working group looking at tree planting on Council land
9. To consider a request to cover the cost of annual inspections of proposed football goal posts on one of Council's open spaces
10. To receive an update on the redevelopment of Chantry Road Play Area including plans for consultation with local residents

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11. To receive an update on the actions from the RoSPA inspection of Council's play areas in April 2021 (paper attached)
12. To receive an update on a meeting with Thornbury Tennis Club and consider issues raised
13. To consider a request to set up a booking system for the public tennis courts (paper attached)
14. To receive an update on a meeting regarding planning for a new skatepark
15. To receive an update on a meeting with the SGC Commons and Biodiversity Co-ordinator and discuss the way forward regarding a Local Nature Action Plan for Thornbury (paper attached and related links as follows - [‘Hedgehog highway’ built at Thornbury housing development | Gazette Series](#) [Nature Recovery Network - WENP](#) [BIG Hedgehog Map](#) )
16. To consider a request to place a memorial on green space near Rock Street car park (paper attached)
17. To consider Council's involvement in the Open Spaces Society "Grant A Green Campaign" (paper attached including links)
18. *To resolve under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 that the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.*
19. To consider quotes for new football and rugby posts
20. To consider quotes for replacement Cemetery gates



Signed  
Wendy Sydenham  
Deputy Clerk

## BACKGROUND PAPERS

The following are circulated with, or have been previously circulated, and form part of this agenda:-

- (a) Report of the Open Spaces Committee meeting held on 06.05.21
- (b) Schedule of 2021 RoSPA Remedial Actions
- (c) Email – request to set up booking systems for public tennis courts
- (d) Slides from a presentation on Local Nature Action Plans
- (e) Letter – request to place a memorial near Rock Street car park
- (f) Email – Open Spaces Society "Grant A Green Campaign" (including links)