

KINGS SUTTON PLAYING FIELDS ASSOCIATION REPORT **2018-19**

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

As there were no volunteers for the committee the old committee will continue with Phil Addison as Chairman and Taffy Sharpe as vice-chairman. Terri Fielder as Treasurer/Secretary and Jo Lawton and Keely Burton as assistant secretaries. We welcomed Susanne Read-Maskell as representative for Parish Council and Womens Institute, and also Wayne Sellwood who is representing the cricket club. Helen Loggin who has worked so hard for us in fund raising in the past has unfortunately stepped down but has been replaced by Michael Loggin as representative for the Tennis Club.

FUND RAISING:

Fete: the fete in June this year was hampered by the heat and England World cup match. At 3pm the field had emptied and cheering could be heard from the Butchers, so a disappointing amount of £526 was raised. With many thanks being given to Helen Loggin who auctioned a fantastic golf package which went for £305.

Fireworks: We had another splendid fireworks display last year. All who attended found it much safer, and access easier, due to the closing of the road for two hours - which was on the advice of the police. Not everyone was happy about this but safety is paramount. Hopefully this year more people will be aware that although the road will again be closed it will be open for vehicles who wish to park at the fireworks, but not for through traffic.

Race nights held at the Butchers Arms have proved great fun, and many thanks given to our regular race sponsors.

Bingo sessions have resumed on a Wednesday evening Bi-monthly, held in the Memorial Hall.

PLAYING FIELD:

We apologise for the pot holes in the car park which we are in the process of getting repaired. It is unfortunate that there is no path that runs continuously, and safely, to the playing field to enable easier and safer access. The field is there for the use of the villagers for walking, picnicking or playing sport. However PLEASE take your litter home. And if you do use the field for walking your dog please make sure they are kept on a lead and that you do not leave dog excrement for the players to find!

The surrounding hedgerows and the car park are not the place to dump your household litter or fly tip.

SECURITY: Owing to vandalism and joy riding last year we have had security lights and cameras installed.

Fireworks this year Sunday November 3RD