

MINUTES of the meeting of the Golf & The View Committee held at The View at Seaford Head, Southdown Road, Seaford, BN25 4JS on Tuesday 6th September 2016 at 7.00pm.

Present:

Councillors A Latham (Chairman)

Councillors L Freeman, O Honeyman and L Worcester.

Mr James Corrigan - Town Clerk (Seaford Town Council)

Mr Fraser Morley - Golf Professional (Seaford Town Council)

Mr Simon Lambert - Head Greenkeeper (Seaford Town Council)

Mr Robert Macdonald – Manager, The View (Seaford Town Council)

Mr Richard Andrews and Mr Alan Miller (Seaford Head Golf Club)

One member of the public.

Before the meeting began the Committee was asked to appoint a Chairman for the evening. It was **RESOLVED** to **APPOINT** Councillor Alan Latham.

G08/06/16 Apologies for Absence and Declaration of Substitute Members

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Adeniji, Brown and Lower.

G09/06/16 Disclosure of Interests

No declarations were made of discloseable pecuniary interests or interests other than pecuniary interests as defined under the Seaford Town Council Code of Conduct and the Localism Act 2011, in relation to matters on the agenda.

G10/06/16 Public Participation

There was no public participation.

G11/06/16 Golf Professional's Report

The Committee considered report 51/16, noted the reduction in members following national trends as well as the good performance otherwise and thanked the Golf Professional for all his diligent and hard work and **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** the information in the report.

G12/06/16 Head Greenkeeper's Report

The Committee considered report 50/16, noted the excellent condition of the course and thanked the Head Greenkeeper for his commitment and **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** the information in the report.

The Town Clerk commented that he receives regular compliments on the quality of the course and has seen for himself how impressive it is.

G13/06/16 Restaurant & Bar Manager's Report

The Committee considered report 52/16. Discussion took place with regard to the good financial performance of the venue to date and the plans going forward to improve marketing with new marketing officer Fiona Heffernan now on board. Every effort will be made to maximize the Christmas trade and the completion of the new website however is essential to develop all business activity. It was also noted what a great success the Mayors Charity Golf day had been raising £737.70 for the Mayor's chosen charities. It was **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** the information in the report.

The meeting closed at 7.54pm.

Councillor Alan Latham

Chairman