

# **RENHOLD PARISH COUNCIL**

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21<sup>st</sup> April 2009**

Dear Renhold Sports Club,

Thank you for attending a meeting with the Finance Working Group in February. The aim of the meeting was to discuss the grant you receive from the Parish Council, how the money is being used, what your expectations for the forthcoming year are, and other potential ways of sourcing funds. Following the meeting, the Finance Working Group made recommendations for the Parish Council to consider at their meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2009. Your application was discussed and the following resolution was agreed:

For the next financial year 09/10 that the Parish Council pay a grant to Renhold Sports Club as contribution towards their insurance costs. The sum of £500 will be made in one payment as the insurance premium will be required in one payment. The Council will also:

1. Look to provide details of insurance companies who may be able to provide more competitive quotes to help reduce the overall cost.
2. Recommends that Renhold Sports Club look to increase the rents charged by £50 per football club and £25 for the cricket club which will increase the Sports Club's overall income by £175.
3. The Council were made aware that the Lower School use the facilities and although invited to make a contribution, declined to do so. Recommendation that the school be made aware that work is undertaken and resources are used to make sure that facilities are available for them and as such they should make a contribution towards running costs.

The above agreed grant can be requested at any point during the financial year, by writing to the Clerk to the Council. The item will then be placed on the agenda at the next subsequent meeting.

The Parish Council also agreed that they will consider one off applications from any organisations within the village; these can be made by completing a grant application form available from the Clerk, and then will be considered by the full Council in due course.

If you have any questions or concerns in regard to the above then please feel free to contact me on (01234) 841835.

Yours sincerely

Lizzie Barnicoat  
Renhold Parish Clerk