

7. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

7.1 Landsdowne Community Centre

Greg Burgess, Chairman of the Landsdowne Community Centre Management Committee, outlined the current financial position of the Centre, together with details of the use of the premises. Because the Centre's main use is that of children's activities, it is essential that a cleaner be employed. The cost of a cleaner had previously been met by the Beckenham Service Centre's budget. A play centre attendant is currently undertaking the cleaning.

Mr Burgess was thanked for the information he had provided and advised his request would be considered.

The Board **received** the information.

7.2 Christchurch Polytechnic Recreation Department

Gareth Wheeler from the Christchurch Polytechnic Recreation Department addressed the meeting in support of his request for funding towards transportation costs associated with the Leadership Module. The Leadership Module will involve Polytech students working with Rowley School in setting up and running recreation activities for the school children. The Module provides the Polytech students with the opportunity to expand on their teaching, coaching and leadership skills, as well as working with a broad range of students.

The Board **received** the information.

7.3 Rowley Primary School

Graeme Farrant, Acting Principal of Rowley Primary School, spoke in support of the Christchurch Polytechnic Recreation Department running their Recreation Leadership Module in conjunction with Rowley School. Mr Farrant thanked the Board for their support in providing the School with a transport fund.

Mr Farrant provided details of 'away days' organised for the students, together with photographs.

The Board **received** the information.

7.4 **Kingdom Resources Ltd**

Barbara Arnold and John Exton, Managers of Kingdom Resources Ltd, addressed their request for \$14,000 from the Board's 1999/2000 Project fund.

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The Board **received** the information.