

Nomination to the Corfe Castle Sports Trust

- 1- The Parish Council in January 2026 accepted the resignation of one of its nominees , Mrs Joan Dragon to the Sports Trust. Thanks should be given to Joan for her work as a Trustee and for supporting the Trust materially with for example prizes from the bakery.
- 2- By way of background the National Trust wanted a permanent incorporated body to hold the lease and the Sports Trust is a registered charity with the requirement that a majority of Trustees are Parish Council appointees.
- 3- The Council was asked if any Councillors wished to fill the vacancy but there were no nominations. The Council therefore advertised the vacancy in the CVN in February with myself as the contact.
- 4- There are three Council nominations and the term of Nigel Dragon and Steve Clarke end in 2029, The Trust can appoint two more Trustees making five in all who are Mr Colin Fuller and Mr Paul Jobling, both well known to many councillors
- 5- There were four expressions of interest in knowing more about the role.
- 6- Devising a process for the Council to select a nominee could be quite time consuming for Councillors so the following is proposed.
- 7- **That the council appoint Mr Colin Fuller as its nominee to fill the vacancy of Joan Dragon.**
- 8- That the Trustees consider how to fill the vacancy thus created by meeting those who have expressed an interest. As there is only one vacancy the Trustees will seek to involve everyone as either a non-voting associate trustee or Friend of the Trust as the Trust need to build capacity

Steve Clarke