

## **Groundsman Report : AGM 30 November 2017**

- Lawnmower blades adjusted by CERN gardeners to avoid “Mohican” style cutting in Spring 2017.
- Having a small number of home fixtures in April/May meant much less grass cutting in the fast growing period, this makes it much easier to manage. Good idea to continue with more away fixtures early in the season.
- New nets need to be installed at the start of next season for the ‘off-pitch’ nets near the clubhouse.
- The huts wooden roof edgings and posts will need painting at the start of 2018 season.
- Further to building safety inspection on 4-9-2017, a couple of minor safety issues need to be addressed in 2018 :
  - Metal shelves fixed to wall
  - Remove wooden step ladders
- Thorough hut/fridge cleaning is needed in Spring, all remaining personal kit bags to be will be put into the container.
- It was proposed to build a new 10,000m2 storage on the cricket pitch, but in the end it was decided to build it opposite the croquet pitch.
- The moles have returned in a vengeance in the Autumn.....

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