

WINTERBORNE WHITECHURCH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of the Parish Council held on 22nd July 2015 in the Parish Room, WINTERBORNE WHITECHURCH

PRESENT

Mrs Christine Flemming (Chairman)
Mrs Emma Parker (Vice Chair)
Mrs Aideene Turley
Mrs Pam Thornton
Mrs Helen Hakimzadeh

IN ATTENDANCE Mr R Turley (Clerk), and 5 members of the general public.

80/15. Apologies for absence- Dist Cllr Jane Somper

81/15. District Councillors Report provided by Emma Parker (copy attached)

82/15. Public Participation –.

83/15. Approval of Minutes- The Minutes of the meeting held on 10th June 2015 had been previously circulated and were now approved and duly signed.

84/15. Matters Arising-

Chapel Cottage- The owner Mr Phillips was present and advised that NDDC had carried out an inspection to the outbuilding and the only issue raised was about the height of a wall which was 1 metre higher than it should have been. This was later accepted as ok. Mr Phillips did however say that he was given notice to clear the building rubble in the front of the property as it was deemed unacceptable. He hopes to then be able to carry out the planned works for the drive turntable already agreed by NDDC.

The Clerk advised that he is waiting on a reply from DCC on the request for details about the compulsory purchase order for the property frontage of Sunstar when the pavement was put in opposite (under freedom of information act .Highways have also not been in contact as agreed regarding better signage at entrance of village on safety grounds.

Quotes are awaited for new railings by the new notice board in Fields Close.

Spectrum have still not replied regarding the bill for damage they caused to the grass in Fields Close

Lloyds Bank have not yet completed the New Signatories Mandate but it is promised within the next 10 days.

85/15. Village Flower Boxes It was suggested by Aideene Turley to move the boxes from each end of the village as they were often surrounded by tall grass due to the verges not being cut as often as suggested by Highways. It was decided to move 2 to outside the Reading Room with the agreement of Piers Chichester and the other 2 possibly by the bus shelter opposite. Helpers would be needed to move them. Piers offered assistance with this. It was also agreed that the Parish Council would pay for new flowers for them.

86/15. Planning –Applications/Decisions: 2/2015/1032/CATREE

Location: Corydalis Cottage, Blandford Hill, Winterborne Whitechurch, Dorset,DT11 0AA

Proposal: T1 - Ash - Crown reduction to previous points overall, approx 3-4m T2 T3 - Hawthorne & Cypress - Reducton in height to 2.4m, trim sides to form hedge shape T4 - Pear - Reduce height by 2m, balance crown by reduction all over by 1-2m, thin limb on westerly side by approx 40% T5 - Bramley Apple - Crown reduction by up to 1.5m tree works in a Conservation Area as detailed above. NO Objections

87/15. Correspondence

88/15. REPORTS

- a) Playground – AT advised that the planned works were cancelled as unable to get sufficient helpers due to holidays etc. AT requested that the PC pay for someone to do the required work seconded CF all agreed –Clerk to obtain quotes
- b) Footpaths-CF advised that a local resident has offered to cut the grass path by Wheatley Cotts –All agreed this would be a good idea.
- c) Fields Close-Awaiting quotes for new barrier by Dolway Lane. Also still no reply from Spectrum regarding payment for damage caused by their workmen.
- d) Speed Watch-AT advised that the team had been out 8 times in June and reported 215 vehicles to the police for exceeding 36 MPH in the 30 MPH zone.

89/15. FINANCE

Current Account at 20 July 2015	£5727.90
Less cheques not yet cleared £643.53	
• Cheques for authorisation	
A Turley-SpeedWatch batteries	£ 4.50

HMRC/ PAYE payment on Clerks Salary	
June	£ 59.20
July	£ 59.00
Clerk's Expenses Printer paper £6.50	
Less refund due to Tax Code change £1.46	£ 5.04
DAPTC Annual Subscription	£ 222.59

Clerk's Salary SO 20 June 2015 - £201. 41
SO 20 July 2015- £201.41

90/15.Other information for report only

The Parish Council will be using the Parish Room in future for their Monthly Meetings instead of the Village Hall as they wish to support other local Amenities.

91/15. Public Participation-None

92/15. The Meeting closed at 8:40 pm

93/15. Date of Next Meeting – Wednesday 2nd September at 7:30 pm in the Parish Room

No Meeting in August