

YOULGRAVE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held in the Village Hall Community Room on 16th July 2019

Present: Councillors Mick Ashforth, Graham Elliott, Leah Goodwin, Sue Hallam, Nicola Humphreys, Richard Roper, Rob Scott, Ralph Wilson and John Wragg
In attendance: Matthew Lovell – Clerk + 1 members of the public

2710 To receive apologies for absence
Cllrs Andrew McCloy sent apologies

2711 Variation of order of business and Clerk's request for time constrained items
No variations required.

2712 Declaration of Members Interests
No interests required declaration.

2713 Public Speaking

a) Public – Discussion on Possible Youth Group Provision

DCC/DDDC youth provision has been cut and initiatives are funded now for volunteer groups. The potential for our resident Youth Worker who has 15 yrs experience working in the Amber Valley area and has already engaged with our Youths and sees a need in our community. 36 youths have signed up to show interest already and are keen to have a youth club and be happy to contribute £1 a session for drinks etc..
9 – up to 16 with an average 13/14 age group with the informal meetings being attended on the playing fields by the younger ones on every occasion so far. Adults are needed 4 if 36 – with some interest already by 2 parents and 2 with skills for sessions. Opportunity for student placements from Youth and Social Uni/College courses. DBS checks are needed but if they are committed the Derbyshire passport training scheme is free for a community group – and they can use passport elsewhere once achieved with the DBS forming part of this showing a Time commitment. Funding bids available need evidence of sustainability so the Council is being asked to fund for year one to enable this to be achieved. Experience shows this works better in term time – summer drops off drastically. Ideally a Paid Leader needs to include time to do funding bids and Room rental and support. However the proposal is to pay 3 hours a week as a youth worker – who will do the funding bids initially for free along with health safety training etc plus the cost of the Village Hall hire. The Police Neighbourhood team support the initial and may be able to help with funding.

No other matters raised

b) District Councillor – no matters

PDNPA Member, County Councillor Simon Spencer and PCSO Boswell sent their apologies.

2714 To confirm the Non-exempt minutes of the meeting held on 18th June 2019

RESOLVED to confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 18th June 2019. The minutes were signed by the Chair subject to Well Dressing report has been put in wrong section please see 2704b.

2715 To determine which if any from Part 1 of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded – none tabled

2716 Planning decisions/applications received since last meeting. Planning related matters
Decisions received: none

Applications for discussion: NP/DDD/0619/0607 8 Mawstone Lane – Erection of rear two storey extension and alterations to front porch
Council supports this application which uses suitable complimentary materials and compliments the other extensions approved to neighbouring properties.

3230947 (appeal) Glenmore Conksbury Lane Youlgrave Single storey rear and side orangery extension
No further comment as this relates to policy matters.

2717 Footpaths and Highways and related issues

Footpath 27 – Rights of Way and the Ranger to be reminded of urgency of this repair as the wall is being pulled down.
Post box awaits response – serves 1/3 village and needs replacing
Hedges – opposite King St, Long Rake Spar – needs councillors to have a word with owners to cut back.
Kerb stones need relaying in several points around the village.
Conksbury – more vehicles parking on pavements and not leaving any passing places at weekends.
Parking – car storage is becoming an issue. Whole issue to be addressed with the toilet block car park rates at an Autumn meeting.

2718 Reports from Village Organisations –

Village Hall – replacing all the chairs with more comfortable ones. Upgraded electrics – spring clean. Well Dressing teas profitable – finances sound although previous records missing so having to draw a line and start afresh – foul play not suspected just poor record keeping from previous officers.

CLT – no report

Waterworks – Council gave its approval to the request to put a flushing valve at far end of the playing fields car park. New main being installed at Mawstone starting in August with only disturbance being the road crossing beyond the last house from field to field.

S&C Hall – Agm – scout equipment returned to District and a full clear out completed. Sound finances. Concerns of scouts raised but many from the village are attending Bakewell Scouts.

Well Dressing – good turnout of public at the weekend.

2719 Report of the Clerk / update on: -

a) Charity 520537 assets:

Playing Fields – ALPF – cricket, bowls, football all on together reported barrier opened.

Broken glass cleared again after Well Dressings. Playing Field Fencing replacement only one price but with all the broken glass is this cost effective. Compacting bins are no

Another litter pick requested by Council from the WI before the 10th August Carnival.

HLTB – coating repair needed and the kick tiles have come loose in one area in the gents.

(b) CE Car park/field, Allotments and other assets

Allotments – The plots are all being worked – 13b has been passed to the next on the list who is making great inroads into the overgrown inheritance. The fence is being sorted with the assistance of Ben Tabbenor who is collecting materials and will insert posts with machine so our volunteers can concentrate on the remainder.

Bus Shelter needs seat repairing or replacing as only half usable.

(c) Ongoing Projects

CE Store/Car Park – Building finished but works now to interior needed – green coloured doors were agreed. Waller is progressing slowly and on satisfactory completion of the front section will be allowed an interim payment of £1000.00. Quotes for coatings, plumbing and electrics were discussed and the plan for continued works delegated to the Chair while the clerk is on holiday.

Finger Posts (Joint-CLT) – Missing post still awaited.

Grit Bin additions – still awaiting response from DCC before purchase.

(d) Proposed Projects

Western Village entrance, Crossing points, ALPF Pavilion Shower Changing Room extension – no additional information for this meeting.

Diocese allotments – Diocese has sent an unopenable file – clerk chasing.

DCC Community Grant progress – application in.

2720 Youth Group provision

Agreed to set up as a project with achievable targets agreed with the leader to fund for a year. Subject to references and checks. Overall budget £2500 based on 39 weeks leader cost and £7 /hr for 3hrs hall hire plus additions. Councillors Nicola Humphreys, Sue Hallam, Ralph Wilson and Leah Brindley to form a sub-committee to discuss the working aspects and targets with a half termly payment suggested ie 6 x £425.00 paid to the project.

2721 PDNPA Community Statement

Road safety, transport, parking HGVs send the transport survey, letting/Airbnb/second homes - Constant need for affordable housing due to loss of housing stock to these.

2722 DDC Boundary Review - meeting 25th July 6pm Town Hall Matlock

Write to say rural communities need to stay together.

2723 Derbyshire Association of Local Councils & Correspondence

DALC 8&9, Clerks and Councils Direct, PDNPA Parishes Day 12th October – Clerk to attend

2724 Finance

(a) Accounts for Payment

Cheque No	Payee		VAT
Ubddr	EON (final)	£96.98	£4.85
Ubddr	Youlgrave Silver Band – Wells	£130.00	
Ubddr	Bank charges	£18.00	
Ubddr	Ashbrook Roofing CE	£1652.86	£330.57
300109	Markovitz CE materials	£847.99	£169.60
ubddr	HM Lovell (July)	£608.67	
ubddr	NEST	£50.51	
ubddr	HM Lovell (expenses)	£13.61	
ubddr	E Lowe	£180.00	
ubddr	Haddon Landscapes	£605.00	
ubddr	HM Lovell (August)	£608.47	
ubddr	NEST	£50.51	
ubddr	E Lowe	£180.00	

Income

Rent YAS+bowls	£70.00+ £120.00
Interest	£1.64 Wayleave £0.75
Honesty Box	

(b) Budget Appraisal/Risk Assessment

Balance before above - CoOp	£14014.73
Unity current account	£13906.63
Unity savings account	£25001.64

2725 Date of next meeting – 17th September at 7.15pm Youlgrave Village Hall Community Room

2019: 22nd October, (Finance: 19th November) 26th November

Exempt Items: none

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9 : 25 pm