

YOULGRAVE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 19th July 2022

Present: Councillors: Mick Ashforth, Elaine Bacon, Ken Clayton, Jenny Cooper, Graham Elliott (Chair), Leah Goodwin, Sue Hallam, Andrew McCloy and Richard Roper
In attendance: Matthew Lovell – Clerk + 0 members of the public

3127 To receive apologies for absence

Apologies received and accepted from Cllrs Nicola Humphreys

3128 Variation of order of business and Clerk's request for time constrained items

No variations required. Planning applications included under 28 day return rule.

3129 Declaration of Members Interests

No interests required declaration.

3130 Public Speaking

a) Public – Youlgrave Harriers are proposing hosting an evening fell race from The George attended by possibly 150 participants and raising funds for local causes. Council noted that few event organisers bother to notify local communities and wished them success with the event.

A request was made for a mirror opposite the Playing Fields entrance to assist traffic visibility up the village due to the single lane when cars are parked.

b) County Councillor Simon Spencer and PCSO Ben Morris sent apologies

District Councillor – additional public bin collections are being carried out in the Dale at weekends this summer.

PDNPA member – noted that land access is currently closed due to fire risk. Members congratulated him on his re-election as Chairman of the Peak District National Park Authority.

3131 To confirm the Non-exempt minutes of the previous council

RESOLVED to confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 28th June. The minutes were agreed for signature by the Chair.

3132 To determine which if any from Part 1 of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded – none

3133 Planning decisions/applications received since last meeting. Planning related matters

Decisions received: None

Planning Applications for discussion: none

Other: none

3134 Footpaths and Highways

Tar spraying – no date yet from Kier. Spring Lane & gate repairs – PDNPA Rangers have in hand. The gate from the churchyard into the field was noted as being only a concessionary one with no public right of access.

3135 Report from Village organisation representatives:

Village Hall – insurance costs are being investigated. Please arrive early at the AGM to get a seat.

Waterworks – AGM last night addressed need for formal debt collecting procedures.

Supply is of concern with pumps operating 6 hours a day currently. Garden use needs to be restricted to between 10pm and 6am to avoid peak flow times.

Scout and Community Hall – no report. CSW – a speed check is being held on Friday.

More members are needed as with only 3 all have to be available every time.

Reading Room – no report. CLT – no report.

Bowls Club – meeting on 23rd July

Well Dressing – noted that two of the frames are extremely heavy and difficult to erect and funding is being sought for replacement. Council noted this was an ideal community project to submit to Awards for All.

3136 Report of the Clerk / update on: -

a) Charity 520537 assets:

Playing Fields – ALPF – clerk has received some comparative ground charges and some information on how to start a pavilion bid but an emphasis on sport body funding means it is essential that the clubs are fully involved and a formal meeting will be proposed this autumn.

HLTB – toilet seat in gents replaced by clerk and spares ordered.

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

Allotments – Council inspection to take place tomorrow at 7pm - CE car park and field – boundaries and white lining proposals to be agreed at same time.

CE Toilet Block – no issues.

Well Tap Repair – wall owner has been made aware of movement problem.

Fountain – the Conduit Head inspection is to take place this Saturday morning.

Defibrillators - Farmyard awaited – microchip shortage. Battery at garage replaced and Alport Box in stock.

3137 Visitor pressure on Bradford Dale

Visitors are moving cones to park and Police can only prosecute when they attend but stand ready if you dial 101 to tow vehicles causing an obstruction. Several cones have been crushed. A letter to note who to contact was proposed to send out to all households to give environmental health and County Councillor emails.

DDDC has promised an extra weekend litter bin collection in the dale for the summer due to rats being seen.

3138 PDNPA Local Plan Review

The clerk will compile and send a response highlighting concerns for holiday and second home limits, need for more off street car parking and other issues by the end of August deadline for comment.

3139 Items for Information

DALC – news and training,

3140 Finance

a) Resolved to approve the following:

	Payee	Net	VAT
Ubdd	Eley – Toddler area	£1938.78	387.76
Ubdd	YLCC mowing	£620.00	
ubdd	YPO toilet rolls/seats	£117.17	23.43
Ubdd	B Tabbenor – CE final levelling	£400.00	80.00
ubdd	HM Lovell (July)	£619.16	
ddr	NEST (July)	£52.80	
ubdd	E Lowe (July)	£400.00	
ubdd	HM Lovell expenses	£19.19	
ubdd	YLCC mowing	£660.00	
ubddr	EDF 2 block monthly ddr	£36.19	1.81
ubddr	BG CE electric	£15.89	0.79
ubddr	HM Lovell (expenses July)	£74.43	
ubddr	CHT battery replacement Alport	£265.00	53.00
ubdd	HM Lovell (Aug)	£619.16	
ddr	NEST (Aug)	£52.80	
ubdd	E Lowe (Aug)	£440.00	

Income

HB Warwick Uni £150.00 Bowls Club rent/lease £120.00 YLCC £225 + £280 interest £8.68

(b) Budget Appraisal/Risk Assessment
Balance @ 12th July CoOp £1823.12
Unity current account £23143.15
Unity savings account £10065.95

3141 Date of next meeting – 27th September 2022 Youlgrave VH Community Room 7:15pm

Exempt Items – none

The meeting closed at 8 : 35 pm