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Sheriff Hutton Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Friday, 10th July 2009.

Councillors present: D Wooles (Chairman), Mrs J Calvert (Vice Chairman), D Weston, Mrs P Bean, B Parkinson, N Anfield and I Read.

- 1 Minutes of the Last Meeting
The Minutes from the meeting on 12th June 2009 were approved without amendment and signed by the Chairman.

As the Village Hall had been booked for a Party which was taking place in the adjoining room it was agreed that only certain items on the Agenda would be discussed and the remainder carried forward to the next Meeting.

2 Matters for Report

- 2.1 Walk around the Village on 6th July 2009: Review
Councillors carried out their walk as planned and identified the following matters requiring attention:

The Street Light (blue 17) opposite Bramble Cottage, Main Street is out
Both Notice Boards in Church End and East End are overgrown with foliage and require a trim
The Hedge on the left hand side of Calverts Garth requires a trim
The Handrail at Hill House needs remounting higher up as soon as possible
The Hedge on the opposite side of the road from the Lower Village Green requires a trim
The Ginnel from East End requires tidying up at ground floor level
The Hedge outside 26 Castle Side needs taking back 3 feet from the path
The Open Space in The Croft requires the grass to be cut
Attention needs to be given to the overhanging trees down Daskett Hill and Cornborough Road

- 2.2 CE Electric: Priority Treatment during power cut
Carried over to August Meeting
- 2.3 Training and Development Conference 30/10/09 to 1/11/09 Bookings
Carried over to August Meeting
- 2.4 Archiving: Review and Line of Action
Carried over to August Meeting
- 2.5 Children's Fair: Consent and Fee
Approval to the Children's Fair taking place on the Village Green from 29th to 31st July inclusive between the hours of 6pm to 9pm was agreed by all Councillors subject to an increased fee of £75 being paid.
- 2.6 Grass Cutting
Cllr Mrs Bean had contact with a grass cutter who wished to quote for a contract for the 2010 season and Cllr Read proposed that efforts should be made to find alternative contractors from that employed this year and Cllr Mrs Calvert seconded the proposition.
- 3 Correspondence
- 3.1 Letter from Sheriff Hutton Village Hall (10/6/09): Inventory
Carried over to August Meeting

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- 3.2 Correspondence between Lillings Ambo and NYCC (7/5/09 and 29/5/09) Repairs to Howlbeck Bridge
Carried over to August Meeting
- 3.3 Approval of Draft Letter in support
The correspondence was noted by Councillors. They approved the draft letter to be sent in and drawn up by the Clerk subject to an additional paragraph in the end pointing out the extra danger where vehicles turn into York Road at the junction of the Lodge in Goosetrack Lane.
- 4 Planning Applications
- 4.1 09/00464/FUL: Mrs H Cleather: Erection of two-bedroom detached dwelling at land adj to Halfway House Main Street Sheriff Hutton York
Councillors supported the Application in its present form.
- 4.2 09/00472/HOUSE: Mr & Mrs R Watson: Erection of a single-storey extension and conservatory to rear and extensions to existing front and rear dormer windows at 14 The Croft Sheriff Hutton York YO60 6SQ
Councillors supported the Application in its present form.
- 4.3 Approval by Ryedale DC of Application 09/00188/FUL: WH Lockwood & Co: subject to conditions
Noted
- 4.4 Approval by Ryedale DC of Application 09/00294/HOUSE: Dr Robert Glover: subject to conditions
Noted
- 4.5 Approval by Ryedale DC of Application 09/00269/HOUSE: Mrs E Grout: subject to conditions
Noted
- 4.6 Refusal by Ryedale DC of Application 09/00337/ADV: Sheriff Hutton Cricket Club (Mr E Taylor)
Noted
- 4.7 Notification by Ryedale DC of Withdrawal of Application 09/00354/FUL: Mr R Masfield
Noted
- 5 Receipts & Payments
Councillors approved the following accounts for payment
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| 5.1 | Grass cutting ISS for May 2009 | £645.84 (Vat £84.24) |
| 5.2 | Grass cutting ISS for June 2009 | £645.84 (Vat £84.24) |
- 6 Parish Website
Cllr Mrs Calvert announced that there would be a website entry in the Village News. There would be prepared a Directory of Services in August rather than advertisements as had been undertaken before.
- 7 Parish Plan
The Chairman announced that at the recent Meeting in the Village Hall 8 residents had attended. There was enthusiasm for an all-weather Playing Field. However this requires funding and a site being found. Further enquiries are being made to lead to a further report.
- 8 Exchange of Information

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8.1 Cllr Mrs Calvert will speak to the Primary School about concerns expressed with regard to children on bikes. There had been reports of children riding on pavements and not taking proper care in the presence of pedestrians. Councillors agreed that a Notice should be inserted in the Village News informing residents of this problem and requesting everyone to remember that pedestrians have the right of way on the pavements and all cyclists should use due care and courtesy when sharing this area with them. Parents to be requested to bring these matters to the attention of the younger cyclists in the Community.

8.2 Cllr Read said that because of the inconvenience this evening with the Children's Party there would be no charge for use of the Village Hall for the July Meeting.

8.3 Cllr Anfield said that he had obtained the brackets for the rail by the steps at Hill View House in the main Street. He offered to fix the handrail into position and Councillors were happy for him to do this work.

8.4 The Clerk announced that he had again been told by NYCC that the traffic matrix in Hovingham was there only temporarily. It was in fact about to be removed and Sheriff Hutton is on the list to have one installed as a trial in due course. There is apparently a traffic matrix under the control of the Fire Brigade and Richard Marr of NYCC is looking into obtaining this for Sheriff Hutton. A further report will be given in due course.

8.5 Councillors agreed that a special meeting should take place with the Trustees of the Village Hall to discuss Archiving of Parish Council Documents and the requisite insurance arrangements. Contact will be made by Cllr Read to arrange a date.

8.6 As an afterthought Councillors agreed to respond to the letter from Sheriff Hutton Village Hall of 10th June 2009 referred to in 3.1 of the Agenda stating that all Parish Council Documents and effects are irreplaceable and there is therefore no justification for putting them under insurance cover. The Clerk will write to Richard Haste.

The Meeting ended at 8.11 pm.

The next Meeting will take place on 14th August 2009 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.