

MINUTES OF DOVERIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL KITCHEN

DATE WEDNESDAY 1st April 2015.

Present: Cllr Priestley (Chairman) Cllr Hewson-Stoate (Vice Chairman) Cllr **Stubbs**, Cattermole, Cole, Bown, Morley, Wilshaw. & Clerk Taylor

Members of the Public: Dist. Cllr Catt,

Apologies:

P / C	Min No Originator Month	Title and Description	Action/ Decision	Who/ When
			Public Session	
		Matters raised by members of the Public	At the start of the meeting a period of 3 minutes will be made available for members of the public to ask questions or submit comments to the Parish Councillors	
			Minutes of previous meeting	
C	15/21	Minutes of the previous meeting	Resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on 4 th March 2015 be signed as true and correct record, Proposed Cllr Bown, and seconded by Cllr Stubbs. All present agreed.	
			Declarations of Interest	
			Meadow View & Footpaths	

P	14/21	Mowing for Meadow View	Cllr Stubbs informed the meeting that all the work was up to date.	Cllr Stubbs
P	15/22	Wild Flowers –Meadow View	Cllr Wilshaw mentioned that she had obtained a grant for “wild flowers /plants. Cllr Wilshaw to contact the nursery and see what is available and along with Cllr Stubbs arrange for the planting of the same	Clerk
P	15/15	Hedge Meadow View	Email received from the house that runs alongside of meadow view. No objection to hedge being cut as long as their privacy is not compromised. Cllr Stubbs to have a word and explain the position.	Clerk
P	14/89	Pump Lane/Waterpark Footpath	Problems with this footpath: Two residents have reported that they have fallen on Pump Lane going to Waterpark. Clerk has contacted Derbyshire County Council and they are looking into it (Rights of Way department)	
P	14/53	Steps in the turning point Pump Lane	Due to insufficient monies DCC are unable to repair these steps. Cllr Hewson-Stoate and Cllr Cole to have a look to see what is need to bring them back in line.	
P	15/16	Parked vehicles in turning point	Re Turning Point complaints received re Parked vehicles in this area. Clerk asked to write to all residents in Pump Lane and remind them of this	
			Playground Issues`	
P	14/23	Play Equipment Maintenance.	Safety inspection received for March 15. No issues	Clerk/Cllr Cole/Cater mole
P	14/45	ROSPA report on Playground	The report has been received which highlight possible problem areas. This task has now been completed by Cllr Cole and Cllr Cattermole. Thanks was given to them both. The clerk still need to obtain prices for the bins.	
			Pavilion and Recreation / Playing Fields	
C	15/23	Work on the Pavilion	The pavilion was inspected and found to be in a clean state.	Cllr Cole & Clerk
P	14/26	Repair to Goal mouths	The footballers have repositioned the goal posts. The contractor has started to repair and seal off the area in order for the grass to knit together. Agreement that the goalmouths be moved every 6 months	
P	15/24	Request from other team to use pitch	This request has been passed to the football chairman for response. The PC can only allow the same number of teams on the field. Should one of these teams decided not to play then it can be reconsidered.	

P	15/17	WI Complaint re litter	Complaint from WI re litter on playing field and parking by footballers on Village Hall Car Park. Cllr Cole to address with footballers & Cllr Wilshaw with the litter pickers	
P	14/55	Panels behind the old goalmouths	The panel behind the old goalmouth require reinforcing. Clerk to ask contractor to discuss with Cllr Hewson-Stoate. Budget agreed at £500. Ongoing	
P	15/08	New mower	Mr Bullock has mentioned that the old mower may not last for too long. It is going in for a service soon Cllr Cole/Hewson-Stoate to obtain the opinion of the Garage doing the maintenance. Cllr Cole and Cllr Morley reported the old mower is not in good condition. Confirmed there is no grants available at the present time. Cllr Cole gave a report on the cost of new mower and requested that it be proposed to purchase a new mower. After long discussion Cllr Bown request that the decision to purchase be put on hold till the next meeting Vote taken and it was agreed to put on hold till next meeting	
p	15/25	Use of Land as allotment	It was agreed that the person using the PC ground for an allotment should pay the same rent – Clerk to write to them	
P	14/90	Electricity meter	£0	Cllr Cole,
P	14/69	Mr Bullocks issues	Mr Bullock has raised no issues	Cllr Cole
			District Cllr Catt Section	
P	10/62	The New Burial Ground.	Clerk confirmed that DDDC had confirmed that if Doveridge Parish Council did not take control of the New Burial Ground then it would not be used until 2 other burial sites became full. This would affect the residents of Doveridge. The Church confirmed that they do still have spaces in Doveridge – Meeting confirmed that the Church is willing to work alongside the PC. In respect of Brassington Parish Council who manage their own Burial Ground Cllr Priestley and Cllr Bown went to meet with their Chairman who runs their burial ground. The ground was a similar size to ours and the set up was explained to them. They were supported by DDDC. The Chairman recommended that we took it on. This will continue to be discussed The Clerk also confirmed that DDDC would be prepared to offer an annual grant of £528. They also confirmed that the lower part of the site has been flailed and the pegs have been put in to mark where the fence will go. This line sits approximately 6 feet below the grave runs. They are currently seeking quotes for the fence. Clerk to chase up	

			Clerk also asked to chase up the replacement of the boundary fence to tarmac (7 meters) missing Cllr Wilshaw to look into grants trees etc.,	
P	11/46	Core Strategy	The Local Plan Inspector concluded that the current level of housing provision proposed is inadequate and the full Objectively Assessed Need (OAN) for housing within the Derbyshire Dales in the plan period 2006-2028 should be at least 6500 dwellings. The Inspector advised that in its current form the Local Plan would not be found sound. In light of the outcomes of the Examination in Public a resolution to withdraw the Local Plan was made on 2 October 2014 by a decision of the authority's full Council . The resolution to withdraw was made under the provision of Section 22(1) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (as amended) which provides for a local planning authority to withdraw a local development document at any time up to its adoption. The Council has issued a Notice of Withdrawal [PDF 0.06MB] in accordance with Regulation.	
P	14/70	Grass Cutting of Verges etc.	Meeting with DDDC whom stated that saving have to be made in 15/16 by less cutting or reduced areas. PC need to arrange a meeting with them prior to April to discuss this. Clerk to get a date	
			Other issues	
P	13/154	ALLOTMENT	It was agreed that the agreement is not to be in place. Clerk confirmed that a tenant had resigned from their part of a plot. PC to offer this the next one on the waiting list	Clerk Clerk
P	14/46	Tennis Club	Tennis Courts are being vandalised. Police have been made aware and will patrol when in the area along with the playing field. Clerk to inform the tennis club and ask for a meeting re the site The Clerk has written to the tennis Club re the weeds around the court and arrange site meeting. Awaiting reply	Clerk
P	13/191	Signature on the Cheques	Due to the resignation of the Cllr Watkins another signature is required for the cheques. Cllr Hewson-Stoate has now obtained the forms Clerk to sort.	Cllr Hewson Stoate
P	13/231	Street Lighting around Doveridge	Response has been received from DCC. The light on Bell Lane has been turned off. Residents are complaining to DCC but no joy. Cllr Bown to contact the leader of the Labour Party to see if they would get involved.	Clerk & Cllr Hewson- Stoate

P	13/246	New proposed A50 alterations	An officer from Staffordshire County Council came and made the Councillor aware of the plans and routes in respect of the A50. It was agreed that SCC would do a meeting in the Village Hall with the residents before the 2 nd stage of the road works commenced. The meeting was very informative and the Councillors are now aware should they be asked. Mr Mason was thanked by the Chairman for attending the meeting	Clerk
P	14/32	Access from Bowls Club to High Street restricted	From the advice of the Legal Section DDDC the best course of action that the PC should take is to invite all the residents to submit a letter stating the length of time they have use this access from the High Street to Hawthorne Close and vice versa. Cllr Cole and Cllr Priestley will set a working party to achieve this and then submit this to Derbyshire County Council to apply for legal section to submit a footpath claim under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981. Letter done to be mailed to all that have written. Clerk to sort.	Clerk
P	14/60	Community1st Responder and Emergency Plan	Cllr Bown informed the meeting that 1 person is fully trained. 13 more to be trained within next 2 weeks .Asked about covering for Dovefest Cllr Bown to make enquires. Further training in February for the remaining people.	
P	14/92	Culvert in Pickleys Lane	Cllr Cole has contact the District and County Council and it appears that ownership/responsibility for maintaining this grid is being established Clerk asked to contact Heidi after election re this	
P	15/09	Planning Application	DDDC is no longer sending copy of planning applications. The Councillor is view them on line. This is not acceptable to the Councillors and takes away their rights to make constructive comments. Clerk to write and take this matter up with planning department	
P	15/26	Cavendish Bus Stop	Glass broken obtain quotes	
P	15/27	Bus service	Clerk to contact Arriva re the buses not running through village and report at next meeting	
			PLANNING	
	15/18	Planning Application Planning Decision/Appeals	None None	
			CORRESPONDENCE	
	15/19	CORRESPONDENCE March 2015	a) Grant Thornton notification of Audit date b) DCC letter from Cllr Lewer c) Email re caravan Marston Lane	

- d) Email re dog poo bins
- e) Play area inspection by ROSPA
- f) Request to post flyers?
- g) Email re football pitch
- h) Came and Co request for info
- i) DALC Gen Circular 07/2015
- j) DALC Gen Circular 08/2015
- k) DALC Gen Circular 09/2015
- l) DCC – Liaison forum 22/06/2015
- m) Email re school crossing patrols
- n) Connect A50 Annual report
- o) Clerk and Council direct
- p) Came and Co –council matters
- q) Online planning seminar

ACCOUNTS

15/20

ACCOUNTS – March 2015

The following accounts were submitted for approval:

Min No	Cheque No	Made Payable to	Amount	Vat
1994	1915	Clerks Emolument =March 15	£240.96	
1995	1916	Inland Revenue – Tax from Clerks Wages March 2015	£60.24	
1996	1917	Village Hall Kitchen Hire	£34.50	
1997	1918	Mr Bullock playing field mowing	£83.89	
1998	1919	NFU mower insurance	290.63	
1999	1920	A Povey –diesel for mowers	35.00	1.75
2000	1921	<u>Local World advert for AGM</u>	<u>37.08</u>	<u>7.42</u>
2001	1922	<u>Replacement cheque for Thorley</u>	<u>24.00</u>	

Income

			Football rent juniors	315.00	
			Proposed by	& seconded	
			by		
			All Cllrs present agreed		

The next meeting is 13/05/2015
No further business meeting closed