

Stretton Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 14th March 2022 at 7pm, at Stretton Village Hall.

In attendance:

Cllr M Clarke, Cllr J Thompson, Cllr J Broadhead, Cllr J Maxwell, Cllr R Horton
Cllr A Cooper, Joanne Taylor – Clerk/RFO

1/48/22 Apologies for absence:

Cllr C Cupit - Work
Cllr J Funnell
Cllr K Gillott

2/49/22 Declaration of Members Interests:

None

3/50/22 Public Speaking:

Cllr A Cooper attended on behalf of North East Derbyshire District Council. District Council held their first post-covid face to face meeting. It was a quiet meeting and there wasn't anything to report for our parish.

4/51/22 Approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting on 14th February 2022

Minutes were approved

5/52/22 Report of the Clerk including actions from previous meeting:

- a) Cemetery and Cemetery Lodge – Cemetery Lodge inspection still to take place, Clerk to arrange with tenant. It has been at least 5 years since the tree survey was undertaken at the cemetery, Clerk or Chairman to contact arboriculturalist to undertake new survey.
It has been brought to the Clerks attention the level of decorative ornaments and lights in the cemetery. This is making it difficult for the grounds maintenance to be carried out safely. Chair requested Clerk to draft a cemetery policy, listing what can and can't be displayed at a graveside, this policy to be sent out to all funeral directors. A letter then to be drawn up and sent out to current users of the cemetery stating what can kept graveside. A new noticeboard to erected at the cemetery and notices to be displayed.
- b) Jubilee Playing Field and Pavilion – Grounds maintenance fee from NEDDC to increase by 2.5%. Cllr R Horton ask Clerk to request NEDDC leave the cutting of the meadow at the end of the season and we will arrange for a local farmer to cut, we will then have more control on the maintenance and growth of the meadow. Cllr Horton reported that the waste bin at the playground has not been emptied.
- c) Platinum Jubilee commemorative medals have been ordered for school.
- d) Hanging Baskets 2022 – Woolley Moor Nurseries are happy to supply the hanging baskets for the parish, including the sponsored baskets in Woolley Moor.

6/53/22 Items for Discussion/Approval

- a) It was **RESOLVED** that Woolley Moor Committee could use the playing field from the 7th to 14th August for the show.
- b) It was **RESOLVED** that Woolley Moor Committee could use the playing field for a community picnic on 5th June 2022.
- c) It was **RESOLVED** to subscribe to DALC services for 2022/23 on the basic package.

7/54/22 Planning

22/00155/LDC	Application for a lawful development certificate proposed conversion of garage	Tawny Ridge, Main Road, Stretton	No Comments
22/00131/RM	Application to change condition 3	Woolley Farm, Badger Lane	No comments
22/00146/RM	Application to vary condition	Woolley Farm, Badger Lane	No comments

8/55/22 Derbyshire Association of Local Councils and other correspondence

- a) DALC previously circulated

9/56/22 Finance(a) Accounts for Approval and Payment **RESOLVED** to approve

Date	Payee	Details	Amount inc vat
13/02/2022	W Brindley	½ day cemetery maintenance	£80.00
31/03/2022	DALC	Subscription 22/23	£224.56
22/02/2022	Maxweld Fabrication	Repair to playground gate	£300.00
10/03/2022	RFO Expenses	Medals for Jubilee	£187.20
Late Item			
14/03/2022	Stretton Village Hall	Hire of hall for meetings	£100.00
14/03/2022	Woolley Moor Committee	Luddington Fund donation	£128.00

(b) Accounts and Bank reconciliation to February 2022 **RESOLVED** to approve

(c) Note – Community Speed camera funds of £500 to be ringfenced in year-end accounts.

Meeting closed 7.37pm