

Minutes of a meeting of Wysall and Thorpe in the Glebe Parish Council held in the Village Hall, Wysall, Tuesday December 1, 2015, at 7.30pm

Couns. David Roberts (Chairman)
Simon Stephens (Vice-chairman)
Vicki Plant (A) Helen Lewin (A)
Lindsay Redfern Carolyn Birch
David Grenz Mike Stanley

Also present: Clerk Mike Elliott and Notts County Council member Coun. Reg Adair.

- 1] APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Coun. Helen Lewin, Vicki Plant
- 2] DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST There were none
- 3] MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING ON NOVEMBER 3, 2015 were accepted as circulated and signed by the chairman.
- 4] PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, LIMITED TO 15 MINUTES No matters were raised.
- 5] CLERK'S REPORT
Rushcliffe Borough Council and new planning service. The clerk said it was not yet possible for a parish council or councillor to register. The council will be told when it is.
- 6] CORRESPONDENCE
Local Government Boundary Commission for England Electoral review of Nottinghamshire. – Wysall will be in the Keyworth and Wolds ward.
Streetwise, play area report. Some attention was needed, including in the Multi gym area where there was a tree starting to hang over instruction and which could cause injury and the Bench Slats need sanding and revarnishing. Near the refuse bin, bushes need cutting back and near the Bouncing animal structure the surface matting is starting to lift, and needs attention. The bushes around the Rabbit structure need cutting back.
Rushcliffe Borough Council wrote in respect of the suggested name for new development near the Plough Inn. Members favoured Plummers Orchard as the name and not as being suggested by the developer, Ashwood Park. The council would point out to Rushcliffe Borough Council that the original cottage on the site was lived in by a Mr Plummer.
- 7] PLANNING MATTERS
Rushcliffe Borough Council Planning Applications
15/02738/ful. Jane Harris, Glen Torrance, Wymeswold Road, Wysall. Two storey side extension, single storey rear extension. No objection
Rushcliffe Borough Council Planning Decisions
15/00144hedge Lippitt and Dolman, Manor Lodge, Main Street, Wysall. Fell 3 Leylandi. Grant.
- 8] VILLAGE HALL
The meeting was told by Coun .Grenz that the profit from the Christmas Fair the previous weekend had been £698. The raffle income of over £200 was on top of that.
The chairman reported that the annual check on the hall fire apparatus had been carried out by Nottinghamshire Fire Service. He also reported he had engaged a firm to clean out a blocked toilet in the ladies and he had been told by the contractor there could be blockage caused by tree roots. He had arranged for a CCTV check to be taken of the drains.
The chairman had obtained prices for the items the village hall committee had suggested should be provided, including an external power socket, a digital clock timer, PAT testing, and an external fan for the kitchen. The total; amount of the tender was £684.

The meeting was told of a letter received from Mrs Gill Berridge who gave her resignation as chairman of the Hall committee as from the end of the year. The clerk was asked to write to her to give thanks for all her work over a long period. The hall committee would look at the matter at their next meeting in January. It was suggested the bookings clerk and the committee chairman should be two distinct positions.

9] ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

Community Heart Beat Trust are able to come on dates in February, Tuesday or Wednesday evenings and possibly a Saturday. Twelve is the ideal number of training at one session. Action would be taken to check on the amount of interest for such an event.

The chairman reported he had attended a public meeting at East Leake when the question of fracking in the area had been discussed. The speakers had been from the anti-fracking movement in Nottingham and so the discussion had been one-sided. He had also attended a meeting of East Leake Parish Council where a retired staff member from BGS at Keyworth had given a more balanced view.

10] FINANCE

A] CHEQUES FOR PAYMENT were approved as per the circulated list.

Wysall Poors Charity. £600 in the bank. The clerk said to withdraw money two of the signees, had to visit a branch at the same time and with identification. The £400 given to the luncheon Club last year came from the parish funds. Discussion took place on a question of joining the Poors account with the parish council.

It was agreed to deposit £6000 into the council's National Savings account.

11] VILLAGE WEBSITE

The council discussed the contents on the village website and it was suggested that Coun. Stanley continue to liaise with our providers regarding the updating of the website, and if this was going to incur an increased fee, the Council were prepared, in principle, to meet this in order to achieve the desired result.

12] EMERGENCY PLAN

No comment was raised.

13] CHAIRMAN'S MATTERS

The clerk was asked to check with Notts County Council in regard to the situation concerning provision or otherwise of a bus service in the village. Members were unaware of whether or not there was a regular service.

The chairman said an old picture of the Post Office in Wysall painted in 1939 had been put up for auction by Rushcliffe Borough Council and had fetched £60. He was not aware who had bought it.

There was no further business and the meeting closed at 8.55pm.