

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm**

**Apologies**

None

**Present**

Chairman Mr Bust, Mr Paris, Mrs Herbert, Mr Herbert, Mrs Simmonds, Mrs Godfrey, Mr Bevans, clerk Mr P Rickett

**Minutes of the previous meeting were signed as a true record**

**Matters arising from previous meetings**

None

**Village Hall**

All Village Hall users are to be asked to sweep up after use as ants are becoming a problem

**Queen's Jubilee**

Thanks were given to everyone involved in the Jubilee Celebrations, the weekend went well.

It was decided that a frame is needed for the Patchwork – Cllr Stewart offered to pay out of his budget – clerk asked to look into insuring the Patchwork separately

**Trees**

NCC have cut back trees on School Lane and appear to have done a good job

**Pot Holes**

Some have been filled, large one on School Lane needs doing – agreed to put the NCC contact details in the Village News

## **Drains**

Appears that the culvert from Strickland Farm to the Beck is to be renewed in the next financial budget

Mrs Simmonds reported that they are having problems at St Michaels Close with drains backing up

## **Halam Housing Needs Survey**

Mr Paris is to try and put the survey on the web site, clerk to make hard copies. On the agenda for the next meeting

## **Open Meeting**

Complaints have been received that stones have been laid outside a property to prevent parking and that they are on the highway – clerk to inform NCC

Street Lights awaiting reply

Reported that a heater switch is faulty - needs looking at

Weeds at the side of the pavement – NCC

Mrs Thompson passed the Open Garden Day money over - £536.51 – the organiser asked if the PC would consider using this money for a fridge and wine cooler for the kitchen

## **Correspondence**

Items for circulation to Cllrs

EDM on Planning Appeals – noted

Pilot Lengthsman Scheme – circulate

Localism Act 2011: New Standard and Conduct Arrangements for Members- passed to Mr Paris

## **Planning**

Waggon and Horses The Turnpike – hold over till next meeting as plans have not been received

### **Planning Decisions**

The Paddock Gray Lane – approved by N&SDC

Denilldoit 17 Radley Road – approved by N&SDC

Maythorne House 5 Manor Fields – approved by N&SDC

Halam House Radley Road – approved by N&SDC

Fairfield House School Lane – refused by N&SDC

## **Finance**

None

### **Items for the next agenda**

**Halam Housing Needs Survey**

**Localism Act 2011**

### **Date of next meeting**

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm

As there was no further business the meeting closed at 8.40pm