

## SWINTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Meeting at Swinton Reading Rooms  
17<sup>th</sup> May 2017 commencing at 7.15pm

Present: Cllr P Cuthbertson (Chair) Cllr V Farrow (Vice Chair)  
Gail Cook (Clerk) 0 Members of the Public  
Cllr R Liversidge Cllr M Fenwick  
Cllr R Harrison Cllr F Farnell

### 1. Apologies for Absence

County Cllr L Burr and Melanie Holmes (RDC)

### 2. Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes were taken as read and signed by the Chairman as being a true and accurate record.

### 3. Matters Arising

- Confirm discussion regarding Bowling Club/Play Area Strimmer

A complaint has been received via the Chairman and Clerk from the Bowls Club Treasurer Mrs Alison Barker, regarding the purchase of the strimmer, this was previously discussed at the April Parish Council meeting, before a decision was made, the matter was re-addressed in the presence of County Councillor Farnell and Parish Council Members. The options were:-

1. The Parish Council pay the outstanding amount of £119.00
2. The Parish Council pay 50% of the outstanding amount
3. The Parish Council purchase a strimmer outright

Members voted in favour of purchasing a strimmer outright, with the exemption of Cllr Fenwick who abstained.

### 4. Declarations of Interest

None

### 5. Public Session

None

### 6. Village Items

#### ***NYCC Highways***

Please continue to report any potholes within the village on the Report It Pothole at [www.northyorks.gov.uk](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk)

The Clerk has reported the footpath again in West Street.

Pot holes have been filled at the top of West Street.

ACTION: Clerk to ascertain if Low Lane, Swinton is an adopted road.

**Swinton Parish Council Workshops**

All payments for the rental of the workshops are up to date.

ACTION: Clerk to issue electricity invoices to tenants

ACTION: Clerk to look into electricity suppliers to reduce the cost of the electricity if possible.

Members discussed and voted unanimously to store Parish Council equipment in Robert Liversidge shed i.e. road salt, shovels, etc, therefore, his rent will be reduced accordingly to £110 per calendar month starting forthwith.

ACTION: Clerk to send a confirmation letter to Mr Liversidge

ACTION: The Clerk to write to tenant regarding the two vehicles that are parked in the Parish Council shed yard. If this is to be a permanent fixture in this location an additional rent will be incurred.

It was agreed to have a rent review annually in November.

**Playing Field Gate & Inspection Duty**

**Signature**

Cllr P Cuthbertson	Week commencing 15 May 2017
Cllr R Harrison	Week commencing 22 May 2017
Rob Cook	Week commencing 29 June 2017
Cllr Matt Fenwick	Week commencing 8 June 2017
Cllr P Cuthbertson	Week commencing 12 June 2017
Cllr R Harrison	Week commencing 19 June 2017

**Street Lighting Faults**

Column No 17 West Street requires extensive repairs amounting to £390

ACTION: Clerk to arrange for the light to be repaired in August.

**Tour de Yorkshire – 28<sup>th</sup> April 2017**

The village was fantastically decorated for the Tour de Yorkshire with bicycles and bunting. Thank you to all residents who supported the event. A big thank you to Will Burnett and Dan Horne for their help with the event.

**Grass Cutting**

Brian Clifford has carried out the first verge cut.

**7. Correspondence**

General Election Notice

**8. Planning Applications**

Decision Notice – Approval

Application No: 17/00127/HOUSE

Erection of part storey/part single storey rear extension following demolition of existing single storey flat roofed extension at Birch Cottage, Middle Street, Swinton, Malton, North Yorkshire, YO17 6SR for Mr Terry Stephenson

Planning Appeal

Appeal Ref: APP/Y2736/W/17/3171618      Appeal Start Date: 4 May 2017  
Erection of an agricultural workings dwelling (site area 0.063ha) at land off Malton Road, Swinton, Malton, North Yorkshire for J F & T Y Monkman (Mr J Monkman)

Parish Council Comments – No Objections

## 9. Finance

Payments April

- Clerks Salary & Expenses SO £77.50
- HMRC Tax Qtr 1 £40 Cheque No: 100790
- Chris Adnitt Internal Audit Fee £50 Cheque No: 100791
- AON Insurance £688.51 Cheque No: 100792
- Chairman Reimbursement for Tour de Yorkshire Paint £17.20 Cheque No: 100793

The Clerk has received confirmation from Barclays Bank PLC that all the new signing procedures are now complete.

## 10. Any Other Business

- All agreed to hold a Race Night at The Black Smiths Arms in due course to raise funds for future village projects.
- Reading Room Snooker Table  
The Parish Council received a letter from a Swinton resident regarding the removal of the snooker table from the Reading Room. The Parish Council will be willing to assist with further discussions.

## 11. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017, 7.30pm. There being no further business the meeting was closed at 8.50pm.

If residents have any concerns or issues within the village, please contact a Member of the Parish Council, all contact details are available on the Swinton Village website <http://www.swinton.btck.co.uk/ParishCouncil>

Signed ..... Date .....

## SWINTON PLAY AREA COMMITTEE & SWINTON IN BLOOM

MINUTES of Swinton Play Area Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 5 April 2017, 8.40pm in The Reading Rooms, Swinton.

Present: Paul Cuthbertson (Chair) Gail Cook (Secretary)  
Matt Fenwick Rachel Liversidge  
Victoria Farrow Rob Harrison

### 1. Apologies for Absence

None

### 2. Minutes of the last Meeting

The minutes of the last meeting were taken as read and signed by the Chairman as being a true and accurate record.

### 3. Matters Arising

None

### 4. Equipment & Maintenance

Paul has purchased some additional rubber spikes.

### 5. Grant Applications/Fund Raising

ACTION: Secretary to email some dates for the cake stall in raise funding for the play area.

ACTION: Secretary to obtain a price for a boat swing.

### 6. Any other Business

None

### 7. Date of Next Meeting

It was agreed that the date of the next meeting would be Wednesday 14 June 2017  
There being no further business the meeting was closed at 9.20pm.