

Falstone Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held on 2nd March 2021, via ZOOM.

Present – S Jopling (chair), S Cowan, M Halliday and A Mansfield

No.	Activity
1	Apologies for Absence – Neil Welton and J Richardson
2	Public Participation – G Varty joined the meeting as he is interested in what is happening in the parish.
3	Minutes of the Previous Meeting Previously circulated, were agreed and signed as a true record.
4	Matters Arising North Tyne Roads – J Riddle confirmed he would keep his ‘eye’ on the local roads problems.
5	Planning Applications – A Mansfield, although answered questions, did not make any comment – 21NP0011LBC proposed replacement of two solid timber doors at Ridge End Farm. No observations from the council.
6	Village Website – New facebook page created, councillors encouraged to promote. One day during February the website had 37 hits, with an overall average 5 or 6 per day.
7	Correspondence Jubilee Park - Northern Power Grid acknowledged their failure to meet their Guaranteed Service Standards and refunded £1260.00 for any inconvenience caused, as the electricity supply to the Jubilee Park was delayed. Donkleywood Green, following a request for information, it was agreed to forward the report from NNPA, regarding their decision on the application for an ‘open space’ designation.
8	Financial Received – Northern Powergrid - £1260.00 Received – Northern Powergrid - £93.55, wayleave payment Paid J Sanderson to Just Host £16.15 for website domain name registration and Just Host hosting costs, 1 year for ‘falstone.org’, £193.88

	Invoice from J Sanderson, Clerk services during fy 20/21, £1281, agreed
9	Falstone Tearoom Update £50.00 received 1 st March.
10	Village Hall Update – Nothing to report
11	<p>AO B</p> <p>No Through Road – Ask NCC to relocate the sign near the village hall. Vehicles using this route find they cannot turn around at the first gate and end up on the field. And currently more noticeable due to the closure of access across the dam wall.</p> <p>The road side drain at Stannersburn, is blocked at the end grate. S Jopling to report to NCC.</p>

Signed

Date