



Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 13th April 2015, in the Memorial Hall, Hedgerley, 8.15

Present - Cllr. Derek Baker (Chairman), Cllr. Neil Coxhead (NC)(Vice Chairman), Cllr. Maurice Ridgeley (MER), Cllr. Judith Evans, and the Clerk

Chairman indicated Emergency Exits

In Attendance – Cllr Peter Hardy (BCC)(PH) and eight members of the public Apologies – Cllr Ted Evans, Cllr Anita Cranmer (SBDC) Did not attend – Cllr Andrew Allan

1. To approve Minutes of Meeting held on 9th March 2015 Minutes were approved as a true record, and signed.

2. County Councillor

- PH said that he would speak fully when it came to Item 11 on the agenda (Slade Farm).
- MER queried if there was any further news on the repair to the 'dip' in Hedgerley Lane. PH said he had no news at present.
- MER also mentioned that there were still problems on Hedgerley Hill with the water running down the hill.
- 3. District Councillor did not attend, apologies sent
- 4. County Council Matters nothing to report

5. Clerk's information items

- Elections –
 Councillors had each received confirmation from Elections Officer
- Grazing licences
 Grazing licences had been renewed for Church Meadow East, West and also
 Glebe Field. MER mentioned that Burnham Beeches were intending to
 graze some ponies for maximum of three weeks. This was to train them
 for being enclosed without fencing. The ponies arrived today.
- Clean up day EJE said it had been quite a successful day with several sacks full of debris and a few hub caps.
- Update from TVP re. Kemsley etc. Clerk had emailed asking for an update on this, but had received no response.
- 6. Finance –

Report noted, cheques signed.

7. Planning -

DB detailed the report.

8. Best Kept Village

Clerk had printed leaflets which were going to be distributed to all residents. Councillors, John Lovelock and David Vincent would be doing this.

9. SBDC Local Plan – consultation

DB explained that the new 'emerging' Local Plan for SB District would include delivering sustainable development in the District to 2036. Councillors agreed that there was nothing available in the Village.

10. Slade Farm

DB said that the exhibition on March 28th had been very well attended. PH said the application is expected early April/end May. He said that was already a 7th years land bank in the County, so there was no need for any further excavation. There were sufficient minerals in reserve. It was suggested by the developers that there was a need to supply London, but Bucks does not have to provide for gravel needs in London. PH also said that it must be pointed out that the site was very unsuitable this close to the village. It was not in the Local Plan and PH said that he will be very active against this scheme.

11. Community Plan

EJE said that there was nothing further at the moment.

12. Meetings

To report on – SBALC, Clerk attended. Elections were spoken about at some length. Best Kept Village was also mentioned. To attend –

13. Date of next meeting - Monday 11th May, Memorial Hall

Democratic period

Dr. Lunn voiced his concern again about the grass verge being used as the drive-in for a house in Hedgerley Hill. Clerk to speak to LAT on this.

David Vincent asked permission for the Football Fun Day on the Green on Sunday 5th July.

David Vincent also requested that Councillors approve of his supplying and fixing fullsized goal on the Green. Councillors agreed.

Mrs. Lunn suggested that all the local newspapers be approached with a view to publicising the Slade Farm application.

Meeting closed at 8.55 pm