

Falstone Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held on 1st December, 2020.

Present – S Jopling (chair), M Halliday and N Welton. The meeting was conducted via ZOOM.

No.	Activity	Action By
1	No Apologies for Absence, but S Cowan was absent and D Backhouse has resigned.	
2	Public Participation – G Varty joined the meeting, he is interested in becoming a member of the parish council.	
3	Minutes of the Previous Meeting Previously circulated, were agreed and signed as a true record.	
4	Matters Arising Drain at Stannersburn – work to improve the drain has been completed. Ultrafast Broadband – S Jopling has been trying to get an update from ‘Alncom’. The difficulty could be finding a straight line of site down the valley. Electric to Jubilee Park – Ducting, tape and Kiosk have been purchased, with the groundwork to be completed within days.	
5	Planning Applications - none	
6	Village Website – M Halliday has made changes to page colour and some content.	
7	Correspondence - none	
8	Financial Invoices paid for work at the Jubilee Park Northern Powergrid connection charges, £1054.91. Drainage Sales, 38mm Ducting, £120.04 (paid by J Sanderson) TLC – Tile Tape, £83.27 (to be returned) Speedy Plastics , correct tile tape, £81.00 Tanks Direct, electric kiosk, £529.20 P Storey, drainage works at Stannersburn, £240.00, agreed.	

	<p>Precept for FY 201/22, final figures to be confirmed to NCC before 29 January 21.</p> <p>Councillor to give this some consideration and an agreement will be made in the January meeting.</p>	
9	Falstone Tearoom Update – To confirm with A Banks on the repayment amounts of the loan.	
10	Village Hall Update – The Christmas lights on the village hall and in the Jubilee Park are looking delightful. Many thanks to those concerned.	
11	<p>AO B</p> <p>Councillor vacancy will be notified to NCC and the appropriate notice will be posted.</p> <p>Any nominations will be considered at the next parish council meeting</p> <p>Pine Tree on the Currocks – It was reported some of the 20 or so standing pine trees on the roadside are dead. Ask NCC to take out those trees before they blow down.</p>	

Signed

Date