

**Minutes of the Meeting of the North Baddesley Parish Council Planning Committee, held on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2017 at 7.00pm in the Pavilion, Recreation Ground, Sandy Lane, North Baddesley.**

**Present:** Cllrs D Knight (in the Chair) Mrs P Darnton, C Hill, P Thompson & A Warnes

**Absent:** Cllr E Cosier

**In Attendance:** Andrew Smith and Darshan Gill of Wicksteed Playgrounds and J Harrington, Parish Clerk (Minutes)

17-18/0260

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Cllr E Cosier tendered his resignation as he felt he could no longer attend Parish Council meetings due to unfortunate circumstances which had arisen because of his wife's ongoing illness. The Clerk to inform TVBC. Members agreed that a gift should be purchased for Cllr Cosier to mark his many years of service. The Clerk to arrange.

17-18/0261

**RESOLVED: that the Clerk would inform TVBC and purchase a gift.**

**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST/DISPENSATIONS**

There were no declarations of interest/dispensations.

17-18/0262

**TREES**

17/02939/TPOS	15 Cerne Close North Baddesley Southampton	T1 – Willow – Reduce upper crown back to previous pruning points and reshape lower crown. <i>No objection – subject to Arboricultural Officer's approval</i>
17/02960/TPOS	Crowcombe 52 Rownhams Lane North Baddesley	2 Oak – cut back overhanging branches by 4 metres <i>No objection – subject to Arboricultural Officer's approval</i>

17-18/0263

**PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

17/02838/ADVS	Land at Recreation Ground Sandy Lane North Baddesley	Erection of free-standing noticeboard <i>The Parish Council cannot comment as it has an interest</i>
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17/02648/ADVS	Land at the corner of 12 Rownhams Road North Baddesley	Erection of free-standing L-shaped noticeboard. <i>The Parish Council cannot comment as it has an interest</i>
17/02647/ADVS	At Entrance of Walkway Adjacent to 11 Seymour Lane North Baddesley	Erection of free-standing noticeboard <i>The Parish Council cannot comment as it has an interest</i>
17/02905/FULLS	19 Rownhams Road North Baddesley	Single storey rear extension; two new side windows and erection of a single garage to front of plot. <i>Objection – concern over building in front of building line, next to road. Garage is out of character with street scene.</i>
17/02854/FULLS	151 Botley Road North Baddesley	Two storey side extension to provide study and extended lounge with additional bedrooms over, incorporating rear dormer window and cat-slide roof. <i>No comment</i>

**CORRESPONDENCE**

17-18/0264

**PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCY**

David Middlewick had provided a brief resume of his education and employment to members. It was agreed that the Clerk should invite him to attend the December meeting for an informal interview.

**RESOLVED:** that the Clerk would invite David Middlewick to the December meeting.

17-18/0265

**46 BUS SERVICE TO WINCHESTER**

Valley Park Parish Council were looking at putting £3000 into their precept to fund the 46 Bus service to Winchester which was being cut unless funding was forthcoming. A similar sum was being sought from North Baddesley Parish Council and Chandlers Ford. After some discussion it was agreed that £3000 would be raised on next year's precept and ring fenced for the 45 bus service to Winchester. The Clerk to inform Cllr Dowden.

**RESOLVED:** that the Clerk would inform Cllr Dowden of the Parish Council's intention to raise £3000 on next year's precept and ring fence it for the 46 bus service to Winchester.

**17-18/0266 RIGHTS OF WAY VEGETATION PRIORITY CUTTING**

Brian James had named three Rights of Way in the village for priority cutting. These were:

No1, from Green Lane stile by Emer Farm to the kissing gate which gives entry onto the Wildlife Reserve,

No 7, from the boundary with Knightwood Park to Nutburn Road and

No 8, from the overflow car park down to the houses in Sandy Lane.

The remainder of the footpaths could be controlled by Mr James and volunteers from the Health Walks.

The Clerk to inform rights of Way and thank Mr James for his invaluable input.

**RESOLVED: that the Clerk would liaise with Rights of Way and Mr James.**

**17-18/0267 DEFIBRILLATORS**

The quotation for 2 defibrillators from Wel Medical was agreed and the Clerk was instructed to go ahead with the purchase.

**RESOLVED: that the Clerk would purchase two defibrillators from Wel Medical and that Cllr Darnton would take delivery of them.**

**17-18/0268 CUTS TO SCHOOL CROSSING PATROLS**

It was agreed that the Clerk would email TVATPC requesting that all parishes unite to protest against the cuts.

**RESOLVED: that the Clerk would email TVATPC regarding the proposed cuts**

**17-18/0269 COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REVIEW**

The Chairman and the Clerk had attended a meeting of TVATPC where Roger Tetstall, Chief Executive of TVBC, had outlined the aim of the Community Governance Review and answered questions. The review mainly involved decisions regarding minor adjustments to boundaries where property or land was divided between two parishes. The deadline for comments for the consultation was 29 January 2018 and it was agreed to put it on the agenda for the December meeting.

**17-18/0270 OTHER CORRESPONDENCE**

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The meeting closed at 8pm

**An informal meeting between two representatives from Wicksteed Playgrounds and the Parish Council took place after the meeting.**

17-18/0271

**CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND**

Cllr Knight welcomed Andrew Smith, Southern Regional Manager, and Darshan Gill, Contracts Manager, to the meeting.

Andrew thanked the Parish Council for choosing Wicksteed to supply and install their playground.

The proposed commencement date for the works was 23 January 2018, subject to weather conditions as heavy rain could churn up the field. Some groundworks might be started beforehand. The timescale for completion was 4-5 weeks and it was hoped that the works would be finished by the end of February. Hours of work would be 8am to 4pm, Monday to Friday, with possibly some Saturday working if the works had been delayed due to bad weather. There would be two teams working, one on installation and one on artificial grass. Cllr Knight confirmed that there was an outside tap for access to water and a key could be provided for access to the pavilion.

There were discussions around an official opening ceremony with 13<sup>th</sup> March suggested but also the Easter holidays. It was hoped that 50-60 children from the local schools could be invited.

There were discussions around the colours for the equipment and a name for the park. It was agreed that the colours would be exactly as Wicksteed had indicated on their plans. The name of the park would be Castle Activity Park which would be displayed on one of the pieces of equipment in yellow text, with a capital C, A and P against a blue background.

There were discussions around providing seats, picnic tables and litter bins. Andrew agreed to quote for these. Darshan agreed to provide an example of a sign. Andrew also agreed to quote for grass matting around the whole area.

Cllr Knight thanked Andrew and Darshan for attending and everyone left.