



Hedgerley Parish Council

Minutes of Meeting held on 20th October 2022
8.00pm Memorial Hall, Hedgerley

In attendance – Cllr.Thomas Broom (Chairman)TB, Cllr.Maurice Ridgeley (MER), Cllr Neil Coxhead (NC), Cllr Anthony Bremner (AB) and the Clerk (PH). Present seven members of the public.

Chairman indicated emergency exits.

1. **To approve Minutes**

Minutes were approved as a true record, and signed.

Community Submissions

George Walker mentioned several things in the village which he thought could do with a clean, or tidy up. These were noted.

John Lovelock asked if HPC were intending to purchase a flag pole in time for the Coronation. TB said this was in the process of being ordered.

Tom Webb asked what is going to happen with the magazine. There is going to be a meeting on 21st regarding the future. Tom said that he said that he no longer intended to be involved to such an extent. He said someone else needed to take on the reins. This will be discussed at the next HPC meeting on 10th November.

2. **Buck's Council**

The funding for purchasing the flag pole by the Community Board has been approved.

Also requested the funding for the power supply for the Defibrillator

The work to the roads around the Green is only stage '1'. Complete resurfacing will happen next summer.

There was concern that the field at the top of Hedgerley Hill was a 'brown field' site and possible development. It has been confirmed that it is a 'green field' site and as such cannot be developed.

TB is going to talk to local PC regarding the accident at One Pine cross roads.

3. **Clerk's Information Items**

Defibrillator – as item 2

BKVC – we have received the Certificate of Merit. Clerk to purchase frame

Proclamation which was held for His Majesty King Charles III was read by our Chairman, Thomas Broom

4. **Finance**

Finance report

Report noted, cheques signed

The AGAR was returned from PFK Littlejohn; there were no queries at all. Councillors passed on their thanks to Paul Miller for all his help in completing the AGAR.

Bank reconciliation for this quarter and the Variance analysis noted. Again, many thanks to Paul Miller for his help providing these.

5. **Planning**

Court Farm, Hill View and Coppice Way.

6. **Property**

Quote for replacing waste bins and memorial seat in, and by Play Area.

Quote for £450 was agreed.

Quote for renewing and installing toddler seat in Play area, Clerk awaiting information on installation.

MVAS – regarding the ground screws which are needed for the installation of the pole, NC says Swarco have said they ‘don’t know’.

Tree survey – Clerk to obtain three quotes. Matter of urgency for the work to commence and definitely before Christmas. The ‘play equipment’ which has been built in the trees behind Gregory Road must be removed. Clerk to write to residents close by there to inform.

7. **Slade Farm** – TB hasn’t had much success in arranging a liaison meeting

8. **Meetings**

To report on – nothing to report

To attend – Community Board

9. **Date of next meeting**

November 10th Memorial Hall, 8.00 pm

Meeting closed at 9.30

