

EAST LULWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of East Lulworth Parish Council held on
Tuesday 21st September 2021 at 7.00 pm in the Harness Room

Councillors

Present: Matthew Barnes (Chairman)
Jenny Manuel
Jenny Strowbridge
Judith Jesty
Annie Lovelass
Christopher De Hautieville Bell

In attendance: 2 Members of the public
Liz Maidment (Clerk)

21/22/033 **Receive the Declaration of Acceptance of Office Form from Co-Opted Councillor**
Cllr De Hautieville Bell signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office form and it was countersigned by the Proper Officer.

21/22/034 **Public Participation Period**
A member of the public suggested that there should be a “Locals” rate at the Weld Arms to encourage people from the village to mix more. This could be achieved by offering 2 drinks for the price of 1 or by running fish and chip nights. It was agreed that more should be done to bring the community together.

21/22/035 **Apologies**
Apologies were received from Cllr Weld and Dorset Cllr Miller.

21/22/036 **Declarations of Interest and Grant of Dispensations**
None

21/22/037 **Minutes of the previous meeting held on Tuesday 13th July 2021**
It was **resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 13th July 2021 were an accurate record of that meeting and were duly signed by Cllr Barnes.

21/22/038 **Unitary Councillor Report**
No report

21/22/039 **Planning Applications, Planning appeals or Tree Works**
6/2020/0505 - Binford Range, Lulworth Camp, BH20 5QS. Erection of a 25 metre telecommunications mast together with 4 cabinets, compound fence, 2 transmission dishes and ancillary development. Comments closed. It was commented upon that the signal in the area is very poor and often non-existent thereby this should improve the service. **Noted.**

21/22/040 **Highways and Footpaths**

a) **Bypass update**

There have been three near misses at the junction including one which was four inches away from a house. It was questioned if the 30mph speed limit can be extended and for the sign to be put further East. Opposite Glebe House the warning sign is for “Double bend first to left” it was suggested that a sharp left sign would be a better option.

b) **Other Issues**

- i) The cut off date for recording historic rights of way is 1st January 2026. These routes can be registered via the Rambler’s website.
- ii) The footpath to Arish Mell has become very overgrown and needs to be cut back especially around the first gate. Also, Flower’s Barrow needs cutting. **Action:** The Clerk to contact the MOD Ranger.

- iii) The foliage is coming over the Wall and is making walking along the pavement extremely difficult. **Action:** The Estate Office to be notified.

21/22/041 Telephone Kiosk update

Cllr Barnes will be starting the work on the library phone box the weekend of 25th September.

- a) He has received a quote from the Community Heartbeat for the Cardiac Science G5 defibrillator which will be £1520 including delivery but it does not include the locked cabinet for £75 or the installation for £200. It was agreed that the preferred option is to purchase the Community Heartbeat defib rather than London Hearts as they offer the installation service. However, this is a dearer option and the Estate will be asked if they are prepared to pay the additional cost before a decision is made. **Action:** The item will remain on the agenda.

21/22/042 Code of Conduct & Register of Interests

There is still no launch date for the electronic Register of Interests. When it is available the Harness Room will be hired so that Councillors without internet access will be able to complete the forms. Cllr Barnes and Cllr Lovelass to attend the online training.

21/22/043 Camp Bestival

- i) Paul Pinnock will carry on being the representative at the next SAGS meeting but will step down when they start planning next year's festival.
- ii) It was observed that there was no security in parts of the village at night time which resulted in people trying to gain free access to the site. There were also no toilet facilities, food and drink for some members of the security team who were working 12 hour shifts. This year security was far less visible and there wasn't any at Shaggs, only the three people dealing with the traffic.
- iii) Some drivers ignored the road closures and one car almost caused an accident by travelling too fast. It was agreed that it would have been better for it to be manned rather than just having signage. It was questioned if some of the road closures need to be manned by the Police as marshalls and council workers do not have the legal authority to stop people. This particularly needs to be done in the Burngate area as motorists have just parked their cars anywhere.
- iv) The Parish Council would like to formally thank Camp Bestival for the resident's tickets. Some people have not attended due to living on their own and are not allowed an additional free ticket. It was suggested that next time people should meet up in a group and all go together. It was noted that it was a calm atmosphere from the set up to close down.
- v) It was agreed that the festival benefits the whole area as lots of companies such as shops, taxis and campsites get additional business.
- vi) There has been a complaint about contractors using Coombe Keynes as a shortcut. It was noted that an articulated lorry from Bere Regis did this daily.

21/22/044 Correspondence

- a) Correspondence Report - to receive and note the items on the report
- b) Camp Bestival 2021 - Covid Entry Requirements. It has been announced that all ticket holders aged 11 and above will need to demonstrate their covid status prior to entry. **Noted.**
- c) Bus Service Improvement Plan. PTAG participated in the first (virtual) consultation last week and this provided a good introduction to the process and timetable. **Noted.**
- d) Cycle Event. The RTTC National 10 mile Time Trial Championships on 11th & 12th September which will be going through East Lulworth. **Noted.**
- e) Beating Retreat 2021. Invitation to attend the event to be held on Thursday 2nd September.

Cllr Barnes attended as a representative of the Parish Council. The event was held as a “thank you” to the local community. It was suggested that the Range Officer should be invited to one of the Parish Council meetings.

- f) Waste Collections. The Council are trying to resolve the issues in the Wareham Depot. It was commented that when a collection is missed there needs to be better communication as to when exactly it would be collected.
- g) DAPTC E-News 20th August 2021. The AGM will take place online on Saturday 13th November at 10:00am.
- h) DAPTC E-News 27th August 2021. The Digital Register of Interest Form will be ready week commencing 20th September 2021.
- i) DAPTC E-News 3rd September 2021. Consultation for Blue Badge Holders, closes 26th Sept. Blue Badge holders - parking survey
- j) Waste services disruption - Request for support. Services have been affected due to Covid and the national HGV driver shortage.
- k) DAPTC E-News DAPTC E-News 10th September 2021. Including information on Festival of the Future. The first roadshow event will be at the Dorset Innovation Park on Monday 4th October.

21/22/045 Consultations and New Items for Discussion

- a) DAPTC E-News 25th June 2021. Includes information on the Queen’s Platinum Jubilee Central Weekend 2022, an extended bank holiday, from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th June.
There are lots of oak trees growing around the Estate and it was suggested that one of these could be replanted at Shaggs. It was agreed that there should be a village event to celebrate the Jubilee and that a separate committee would need to be formed.

21/22/046 Finance

- a) **Agree on renewal of insurance and issue cheque**
The three quotes were from Zurich for £167.44, BHIB £354.91 and Norris Fisher were unable to compete with the Zurich quote. It was proposed by Cllr Manuel and seconded by Cllr Lovelass to continue with Zurich.
- b) **Payment Schedule.**
The following payment schedule was proposed by Cllr Manuel and seconded by Cllr Lovelass. The cheques were signed by Cllr Manuel and Cllr Barnes

<i>Payee</i>	<i>Cheque number</i>	<i>Amount/£</i>	<i>For</i>
E Maidment	000496	£217.58	August - Sept 21 Salary
Zurich Municipal	000497	£167.44	Insurance 8/10/21-7/10/22

21/22/047 Items for inclusion on next agenda

Dog waste bags have been left behind in trees and the perpetrator is believed to be a local. It was suggested that a sign should be displayed.

21/22/048 Date of the next Parish Council meeting

The next meeting will be Thursday 18th November at 7pm in the Harness Room

With no further business to discuss the Chairman closed the meeting at 20.19hrs.

Chairman: Date: