

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting
Monday 9th February 2015
7.30pm Bleasby Village Hall**

Attendees

Cllr James Bright (Chair)
Cllr Chris Foster
Cllr Elaine France (Vice Chair)
Cllr Andrew Goodwin
Cllr Rachel Horsley
Cllr Lynda Ogilvie
Cllr Jenny Sterland
Cllr Roger Jackson (Part)
Cllr Roger Blaney (Part)
Julie Stone (Clerk) In attendance

There were 2 members of the public in attendance.

1. Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Julie Stone who was going to be late to the meeting.

2. Public adjournment of the meeting

- There was a request for the Village Hall invoices to be raised and paid prior to the end of the financial year.

3. Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on 12th January 2015

Approved.

4. Matters arising from those minutes

None

5. To receive reports from County & District Councillors and invited guests

- The road closure notices have been received.
- The broadband project is on going.
- Nottinghamshire County Council legal department are looking into the ownership of the school drive.
- School renovations are in the pipeline.
- Cllr Blaney explained why we had not received the plans for Bracondale

Action: Cllr Jackson

6. Planning

a) New planning applications received prior to the meeting

15/00123/FUL - 6 Manor Close Bleasby

All Cllrs voted in favour of this application.

b) Further planning applications received prior to the meeting

Bracondale, Main Street, Bleasby – The decision has been deferred until full plans are available.

c) NSDC notices of decision to be noted

14/02251/FUL – Magnolia House – Approved

14/02028/FUL = The Anchorage – Approved

d) Any other matters appertaining to planning

Request for the Clerk to alert Cllrs via email of a new planning application.

7. Glebe Field

a) Recreational Equipment

Cllr Horsley discussed the format for the 28th February 2015 and requested that all Cllrs attend the event.

b) Bleasby Bikers Picnic Bench

Cllr Bright will look also taking a look at the options, however purchase and installation will be done at the same time as the play area.

c) Glebe Field Plan

Cllr Ogilvie suggested that a plan is made for Glebe Field. All Cllrs are to consider what they think should be in the Glebe Field.

d) Open Gardens

This year will be on 7th June 2015

Action: All

8. Finance

a) Accounts for payment

Clerks Salary
M Newbury (Lengthsmen) £225
J Bright – Expenses - £31.50
NSDC – Dog Bins - £109.29
E.on – Glebe Field Electricity - £10.32
NALC Subscription - £137.38
Toot Hill – Bleasby News - £158.95
Village Hall – Hall Hire - £54

b) Any other matters appertaining to finance

Cllr voted to raise the Village Hall cheques prior to the end of the financial year.

9. Environmental and Amenity Matters

a) Defibrillator

More professional advice is required. Fundraising will be looked at once the costs are known.

Action: Cllr Ogilvie

b) Elsmore Meadow

The shrubs require cutting back.

c) Lengthsmen Scheme

Pruning on Glebe Field and Elsmore Meadow shrubbery is to be added to the work sheet.

Action: Cllr Bright

d) School Parking

Cllr Bright will write to Mrs Town regarding the matter.

Action: Cllr Bright

e) Speeding

Cllr Bright will contact Cllr Jackson regarding the problem. Cllr Ogilvie will contact the Clerk to Thurgarton Parish Council.

Action: Cllrs Bright/Ogilvie

f) Parking at the Pub

This is becoming a bit of a problem. No conclusion was reached.

g) Land at Hazelford Ferry

Deferred to the next meeting

h) Southwell Plan

A good plan. It does not appear to have any impact on Bleasby.

- i) Main Street/Station Road
There appears to be confusion regarding addresses on Main Street and Station Road. Signs were suggested.

J) Street Lights

24 and 3 are not working.

Action: Julie Stone

- k) Annual Parish Meeting
Cllr Ogilvie will Chair the Annual Parish Meeting.

10. Jubilee Ponds Report

Cllr Bright clarified the difference between a committee and a working party. The Parish Council has the overall decision making responsibility. With regards to the request for a Horse Permit a vote was cast. Two Cllrs Abstained, four voted against and one in favour. The permit was not permitted and the Parish Council agreed that horse riding would no longer be permitted around the ponds.

Cllr France mentioned she was struggling getting access to the Interpretative Board.

11. Village Hall Report

There is a meeting next week. The roof is leaking again.

12. Flood Group Report

Training is now complete and the new policy is set out.

Agenda Items for the Next Meeting

- Land at Hazelford

Date of the next Parish Council Meeting - Monday 9th March 2015 @ 7.30pm

Signed:

Cllr James Bright (Chair)

Date:
