

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held in the Village Hall on Thursday 9th January 2020 at 7.30pm

Apologies Mr. Bust

Present vice chairman Mr Paris, Mrs Herbert, Mrs Simmonds, Mr Bevans, Mr Subramanian, Mrs Godfrey, Clerk Mr Rickett, FO Mrs Rickett
Cllrs Rainbow and Brock 1 member of the public

Minutes of the previous meeting were signed as a true and correct record after the addition of “cast irons signs”

Declaration of Councillors Interests

None

Village Hall

The internet connection is in just needs connecting
Guttering has been looked at, needs monitoring

Fundraising/events

There are no Parish Council events
Leap year ball – Mr Bevans – 30 plus people have asked for tickets, donations of promises and raffle prizes were requested
There is a quiz in March for Prostate Cancer

Roads and hedges

School Lane – potholes and surface need looking at - clerk to contact NCC
Flooding - the water pumping station is restarting, this may help
The fallen tree on windmill Lane has been cleared
Various hedges need looking at – clerk to ask Mr Keeling of NCC to come out
Interactive speed sign not working

Defibrillator

The one at the hair dressers has been connected
Mr Bevans to try and arrange another training session in March

Best Kept Village

The clerk was asked to check the bus shelter roof for soundness
The old bin needs removing

Road signs

A design has been agreed and a price for 3 or 4 signs
Application to be filled in and sent to Cllr Laughton for his signature

VE Day May 8th 2020

Afternoon teas to be arranged and a competition for the children
Poppies are available for lampposts – number next meeting
A Silhouette was suggested for the War Memorial

Open Meeting

Several road and pavement issues were raised including
The hairdressers car has been keyed and concerns of a caravan parked on the road with an electric cable running to the house these will be mentioned in the Village News
All items from main meeting and open meeting to be raised with Mr Keeling

Precept

Agreed to pay	
Cleaners	£31
Fire check	£38.40

The precept has been set the same as last year, eight thousand two hundred pounds (8200) to allow a contingency reserve to build up as suggested by the internal auditor to be financially responsible and keep 1 years costs in hand and this will be reviewed next year

Planning

Installation of a UV kiosk within an existing operational borehole at the Pumping Station, Radley Road

Agreed unanimously 6 for

Mr Subramanian left the meeting

Planning decisions

No 3 Pumping Station
St Helens croft – both approved by NSDC

Items for the next agenda

VE Day
Gateway sign
Banner

Date of next meeting

Thursday 13th February 2020 at 7.30pm

As there was no further business the meeting closed at 9.02pm