

Sigglesthorpe Parish Council Meeting
Thursday March 12th 2020 7.30pm Sigglesthorpe C of E Primary School

Minutes

3678. Present

Cllrs. P Chicken, K Arundel, J Palin, P Hargreaves, N O'Mahony, J Spencer
Ward Councillor J Whittle
Police Inspector Cocker
Clerk Nicki Salvidge

Nine members of the Parish

3679. Apologies

Cllr. Peter Langley

3680. Declaration of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests regarding items on the agenda.

Nothing declared

3681. Minutes of last meeting

Agreed as a true record with changes to wording of item 3668. Matters Arising last paragraph page 1 to add the word was. (Mary Ryan was **also** thanked by Cllr Arundel). Cllr Arundel also requested another change however this was not agreed when other councillors asked.

Proposed as a true record Cllr O'Mahony seconded Cllr Hargreaves, all agreed

Inspector Cocker invited to speak

The inspector spoke of an increase in beat managers for Bridlington which meant the area had more staff than ever before during his time. He spoke of cracking down on Class A drugs and that £100,000 worth had been seized in last 12 months.

Sigglesthorpe and surrounding area did not suffer from a high crime rate, most crimes committed by traveling criminals from Hull or North East. Including hare coursing, the season will soon be over for this but it continues to be an annual problem.

A demonstration was given of a traveling board which can record data of speeding and traffic count, which can be used. Purchased with the use of grant funding. Inspector Cocker happy to receive a list of possible locations of concern, clerk to e mail list. Data received can be made available to Parish Councils.

Cllr Spencer asked about speed watch programs, there has been some reported issues due to data protection, also staffing and costs, which they are hopefully overcoming.

The area could still do with an ANPR camera, information to be sent to clerk.

Inspector Cocker left the meeting at 8pm

3682. Matters arising

Report on flooding at The Crescent from Cllr Langley- to be forwarded to ERYC to hopefully get the issue resolved

Cllr Hargreaves has arranged a working party for planters as he suggested last meeting, Mrs Ryan and Mrs Lorimer to plant twice yearly and water, Cllr Palin to do Hatfield Road, a resident does the other on Hatfield Road, Cllr Chicken to continue to do Rise Road, Main Road one, to ask for someone to water.

Councillor training 23rd March Seaton Village Hall 7-9

Cllr Arundel and Hargreaves wished it to be noted that they disappointed other training re litter etc. had not been forthcoming

3683. Financial matters

Balances

Community Account £ 598.11

Community Savings £2388.51

Total £2986.62

To pay

Clerk when pay slip received

Request for donation received from HART Cllr Spencer proposed £300 seconded Cllr Palin all agreed.

3684. Planning updates

19/04185/PLF and 19/04200/PLF Goxhill Stud have been passed however they need to look into waste water

20/00515/ TDD Old School House – permission given to fell two elms covered by TPO

20/00778/TCA & 20/00841/TDD Skaling House to fell trees covered in ivy and dangerous – no objections

3685. Environmental Matters

a) Trees play area- recent weather conditions are delaying works by ERYC

b) Spring Litter Pick- clerk has advertised only 2 members of the public wished to be included to date. Cllr Arundel to let clerk know areas to be covered to allow her to arrange bag collection. Cllr Arundel to arrange notes to go around the village to advertise.

Reports of increased dog fouling in the village specifically Main Street, East Lane and Bentinck.

Description of one person allowing their dog to foul given to clerk to report to dog warden, people who witness to contact clerk or dog warden direct with information.

3686. Roads, footpaths, seats etc. –

a) Drain Hatfield Road – Highways looking into, however due to flooding in other areas there are delays, Cllr Chicken has recently photographed the area and will be forwarding.

3687. Police report

Covered by Inspector Cocker

3688. Councillor Increase.

Cllr Arundel proposed the clerk look into additional council members seconded Cllr Hargreaves - approved

3689. Village Vision

a) To receive full detailed plan from Cllrs Hargreaves and Arundel on proposed statue.

Unfortunately due to issues with location Cllrs Hargreaves and Arundel unable to bring a full report, currently awaiting feedback from the Church PCC as to whether they will allow in the Churchyard, Rev Simpson reported to be very enthusiastic about it. Although the process can be lengthy due to it having to go through the diocese prior to any other applications.

Current cost breakdown

Artist £200

Warcups (Base) £400+ VAT

ERYC Planning £750+VAT

Architect £250+VAT

Total cost £1880.00 including VAT

Cllr Hargreaves asked if the Parish Council owned any land, which they don't.

To check with resident next to church and do public survey once permission granted by Church

Cllr Whittle suggested getting the location sorted prior to doing anything else.

3690. Correspondence

Notification of Running Road Race coming through village Sunday 5th April with rolling road closure between 10.55 and 13.00 which will close roads for a short time in Sigglesthorne, including Wassand Balk, East Lane and access on and off it, Old Lane, Main Street and Rise Road

- a) Tour de Yorkshire coming through Sigglesthorne 30th April, clerk had made an example of a possible village decoration, which could be brought using funding available to cover costs.
- b) VE Day- Dedication of trees and event Seaton Village Hall, funding available to help cover costs. Cllr Chicken explained how, 11 War dead from WWII had not yet been added to the Church War Memorial and that as there is 11 trees between Bentinck Lane and Hatfield Road that each will be dedicated with a temporary plaque in their name. Cllr Hargeaves queried if there are more trees than agreed. Concern also raised by Cllrs O`Mahony and Spencer over a tank attending the event and damaging the road surface.

3690. Any other business

Cllr Chicken has received a complaint regarding the green lane between Hatfield Road and Grundill Lane, it has been used by 4 wheel drive vehicles and has become very rutted due to wet weather. Clerk to contact highways as signage promised some years ago is still outstanding. Lane cannot be gated due to access for farmers.

Policies –clerk would like to start introducing policies is in line with other Parish Councils everyone agreed that they are happy for her to make a start.

Cllr Chicken to get emergency box from Christine Lorimer and give to clerk.

Cllr Arundel would like to add hedge along Hatfield Road to Streetscene list as it needs tidying, Clerk advised this is not an ERYC hedge and is the owner's responsibility. Verge to south along West Road towards Bus stop overgrown with shrubs and trees to be added. Cllr Hargreaves thanked for chopping overhanging branches near bus stop.

3691. Date of next Meeting 14th May AGM followed by Council Meeting 7.30pm

3692. Members of the Public invited to address questions to the Parish Council regarding items only on the agenda.

Residents on Hatfield Road asked for help with sorting out the dyke next to their property which had overflowed and entered their garden during the recent wet weather. Cllr Palin reported dangerous state of the dyke where it joins the road. Clerk to get Highways to come and look at it. Also area on the other side of dyke owned by the diocese, the trees one of which fell on the resident's summer house last year need attention. Field managed by Dee & Atkinson Driffield.

East Lane residents still concerned about the holes in the verge, Clerk has reported to ERYC who passed onto Yorkshire Water, clerk requested update earlier this year, still awaiting response.

Resident asked why Cllrs Chicken and Palin are intent on upsetting the residents with the trees on East Lane, he had removed agenda from notice board outside the school and objected to being limited to what was discussed in the meeting. Cllr Arundel also wished it to be known that she agreed regarding the trees and felt that a report she believed had been promised at past meetings had not been forthcoming. At this stage as it was not then possible to conduct an orderly meeting the Chair closed the meeting.

Meeting closed 20.49