

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday November 8th 2018.

Present: Cllrs. Daw (Chair), Betts, Preece, Humphreys, Rainbow, Straw and Powell.
5 visitors

Apologies: Cllr. F Purdue- Horan.

Open Session – A request was made by Tracey Harrison and her sons for a second goal post. Cllrs. agreed to this. Cllr. Straw to organise.

Declaration of interest: None

Acceptance of minutes of the meeting of the 11th October 2018. These were agreed and signed as a true record.

Matters arising:

Response received from Highways as expected. No further action
Trees – awaiting confirmation of permission from RBC before work commences. Cllrs agreed to replace chestnut with a Pyrus calleryana “Chanticleer”. Cllr. Humphreys to source.
Road markings – request to be made to have road markings to be repainted.

Correspondence:

Buses 822 – Cllrs. Daw and Humphreys to attend meeting in Barnstone on the 14th November.

Christmas 2018:

Cllr. Powell reported that all dates are covered for the Advent Calendar. Details on the web site. Displays will be illuminated between 5 – 10 pm. Carol singing on the 24th Dec at 4pm on the Greens.
Christmas trees to be purchased, including one for Sutton Green. Cllr. Betts to organise.

NCC proposed reorganisation:

Cllrs. Straw and Rainbow reported on the recent meeting attended at County Hall.

Events on Bingham Granby Lane:

Cllr. Powell raised her concerns. Cllrs didn't think this was a problem as Flintham Show moves annually and other large events would need planning permission.

Emergency Care for vulnerable residents:

Cllr. Powell raised this in response to recent loss of water and power cuts. It was agreed that we should encourage all residents to continue to be aware, be vigilant and continue to show neighbourly concern.

A P M 2019:

Agreed to change format. Veolia to be invited to talk.

Finance: Current account balance: £20,508.02 Bank Reserve Acct Balance: £10,360.30

The following accounts were approved for payment

Accounts for payment.

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| DD E ON (gas) | £ 26.60 |
| DD E ON (elect) | £ 18.24 |
| Hempsteads | £424.00 |
| A Coy (Exps) | £ 65.93 (b/band, tel, windows, paper) |
| N Milsom | £860.00 (cemetery hedge) |

J Daw

£250.00 (to cover expenses for WW1 week end paid from Grant)

Councillors' reports:

Cllr. Preece requested the W I sell produce at the Dec coffee morning to raise money for this year's charity – Rainbow horses Harby.

Cllr. Humphreys confirmed a letter had been sent re abandoned vehicles.

Cllr. Betts had received a request to purchase small steps for the v h. Clerk to purchase.

Date and time of next meeting: 13th December 2018 at 7.30pm.

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Meeting closed at 21.05 p.m.

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