

**DRAFT MINUTES OF SCROOBY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**

**Monday 9 June 2014**

**SCROOBY VILLAGE HALL**

**1. PRESENT**

Chair Ed Marshall, Christine Bailey, Elaine Gargett, Heidi Robbins, Treasurer Tony Smith, James Arrowsmith, Clerk Sheila Firth.

Graham Robbins, Parishioner

Landowners Paul Scoley & Nick Scoley

Mr Price & Mr Green, Network Rail Representatives

**2. Apologies**

Julie Dunstan, Mark Firth, Matt Pollard.

**3. Minutes of the Last Meeting**

Minutes agreed, proposed Heidi Robbins, seconded by James Arrowsmith

**4. Matters Arising**

The meeting for show funds distribution and arrangements for the 2014 Show to be arranged.

**5. Correspondence**

A letter was received from the Citizens Advice Bureau asking for a donation towards their work, it was decided to refer the decision on this matter.

**6. District Councillor's Report**

District Councillor Barry Bowles was not in attendance.

**7. Finance Report**

The Treasurer confirmed that the accounts and audit for this year had been signed off.

The Chair and Treasurer to have a meeting to appoint a new internal auditor.

It was decided to remain with Eon as energy provider for the Village Hall for the forthcoming year.

There was £615.60 in invoices to be authorised for payment by cheque.

**8. Police Report**

Nothing to report.

**9. Planning & Village Plan**

Nothing to report.

**10. Play Area**

Funds are available for a replacement springy animal, a new piece of spinning equipment, and replacement seats, chains and connectors for the baby swings. Heidi Robbins to invite the suppliers of the play equipment to come for a site visit before finalising their quote. The Chair had received a complaint from a member of the public about dog mess on the Croft. It was agreed a red dog bin and signs should be provided, and the Chair will speak to Bassetlaw Council about who has responsibility for emptying the dog bins. Matt Pollard will price up a gate for the area between the Village Hall and Play Area.

**11. Village Hall**

The broken table has been repaired.

**12. Village Environment & Railway Crossing**

Mark Firth to speak to the Lengthsman about work to be done, now the Lengthsman Scheme has been renewed.

Ed Marshall has spoken to the landowner about repairs to the bridle path.

There is again rubbish dumped up Mill Lane, to be reported for clearing.

Two representatives from Network Rail, Mr Price & Mr Green, attended the meeting to give a brief outline of what the upgrading of the railway line from London to Doncaster will involve in relation to Scrooby and the local environment. Work is to commence in late 2015/early 2016, and there is to be a two day consultation meeting with the two representatives to be held at Scrooby Village Hall on 3 and 4 July 2014.

**13. Pilgrim Fathers Origins Society**

Nothing to report.

**14. Any Other Business**

Clerk to send a letter to Bassetlaw Council re clarification of what is considered a community asset.

Meeting closed at 9.00 pm

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Next meeting Monday 14 July 2014, 7.30 pm, Scrooby Village Hall