

DRAFT MINUTES OF SCROOBY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Monday 8 September 2014

SCROOBY VILLAGE HALL

1. PRESENT

Chair Ed Marshall, District Councillor Barry Bowles, Christine Bailey, Elaine Gargett, Heidi Robbins, Treasurer Tony Smith, James Arrowsmith, Mark Firth, Matt Pollard, Clerk Sheila Firth.

2. Apologies

Julie Dunstan

3. Minutes of the Last Meeting

Minutes agreed, proposed by Heidi Robbins, seconded by Mark Firth.

4. Matters Arising

There were none.

5. Correspondence

Planning application received for a two storey extension to Riverside Cottages.

Brochure received concerning village signage

6. District Councillor's Report

District Councillor Barry Bowles was in attendance, there was nothing to report to directly affect Scrooby. He commented that signage for the village may form part of the Heritage Lottery Funding bid from the Pilgrim Fathers Association and he would check progress.

Mr Bowles passed over a leaflet concerning the "Big Tidy Up" litter pick for the area, it was agreed that the children of the village would do a litter pick.

Mr Bowles would also confirm regulations regarding travellers fly grazing their horses following a recent incident in the village.

Mr Bowles will forward full details to the Parish Council of the solar farm application at Jubilee Farm and its effect on the surrounding environment.

Mr Bowles confirmed that he would be running a surgery on the third Saturday of every month for forty five minutes in the Village Hall.

7. Finance Report

The Treasurer Tony Smith handed out his report, there were no cheques for authorisation. There was a refund of £28.41 from Anglian Water for previous overcharging at the Village Hall. The audit had been completed with no issues. The report was accepted by the PC.

8. Police Report

Nothing to report. Chair enquired about current state of the Neighbourhood Watch Scheme, Matt Pollard to circulate contact details with next issue of the STAR.

9. Planning & Village Plan

James Arrowsmith to investigate the Planning Application received for the Riverside Cottages extension, as it appears to be within the Conservation Area. James Arrowsmith to contact Bassetlaw District Council to confirm that works already appear to have started and trees have already been removed prior to planning consent.

Elaine Gargett sent a letter of objection re new quarrying at Barnby Moor on behalf of the Parish Council.

Chair to send an email to Bassetlaw District Council requesting their current position on the wind farms, solar farms and fracking applications currently under review.

10. Play Area

Nothing to report.

11. Village Hall

Matt Pollard to investigate whether a defibrillator for the Village Hall would be available from the local NHS.

12. Village Environment & Railway Crossing

There had been no further information received regarding the proposed solutions to the crossing closures by Network Rail. Lengthsman to be contacted in Autumn to reduce vegetation on the Whinz and Mill Lane. It was also agreed to ask the Lengthsman for a quote for fencing on the Far Whinz alongside the entrance to Riverside Fisheries.

13. Pilgrim Fathers Origins Society

Nothing to report.

14. Any Other Business

Nothing to report.

Meeting closed at 8.35 pm

Next meeting Monday 13 October 2014, 7.30 pm, Scrooby Village Hall