

Hedgerley Parish Council

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on 10th July 2017 in the Memorial Hall, Hedgerley

Chairman indicated emergency exits

Apologies for absence – Cllr. Maurice Ridgeley, Cllr Barbara Gibbs, Cllr Marlene Lewis

1. To approve the draft Minutes of Meeting held on 12th June 2017 which had been publicised on the noticeboards previously

Minutes were approved as a true record, and signed

Item no. 8 heard before Item 2

- 8. The Green
 - Even though we Council received two letters regarding the Green (one from Briants of Risborough, and the other from the fencing expert who came and visited the site) it was apparent it was proved to have no credence as some of those present discounted the information as the Clerk had provided the letters.
 - Those present wanted tenders to only be from Hedgerley tradespeople.
 - Wanted to know what was going to happen to the end of Jones Way. Chairman said that we would be consulting with those residents.
 - Alan Pearce reiterated his comments on the bollards regarding his having pulled one out of the ground, to which Chairman replied that Alan Pearce has already pulled that one out previously, hence making it easier to remove.
- 2. County Councillor was not present
- 3. **District Councillor –** was not present
- 4. **County Council Matters** nothing to report at this time
- 5. Clerk's information items
 - Best Kept Village –
 Clerk had not heard anything from the organisers as yet.
 - Hedgerley Village sign
 Clerk had spoken to BCC Street Works department and was sending someone along to identify any possible hazards; water main etc.
 - Complaint from resident regarding the Funeral Directors using the resident's
 access to get to their business premises.
 Chairman explained that HPC were not in a position to intervene, but suggested L
 & Q, the landlords, be contacted. Apparently the complainant had already been in
 touch but had no joy in a result.
- 6. Finance -

- Finance report report noted, cheques signed
- First quarter bank reconciliation for signature. PM detailed the bank rec. and Chairman signed.
- Cheques approved out of meeting for the month of August where necessary.

7. Planning -

Report noted

9. Property

Information board for the Community Orchard Clerk will be checking on progress

10. MVAS – to review data from Parish Lane

NC told the meeting that after reviewing the data, a total of 76248 vehicles had travelled along Parish Lane.

11. Youth Club Hut - Update

HPC had instructed a solicitor to act on our behalf. Peter Cathcart, who was acting for the Guides, was familiar with the company and were in touch with them.

12. Slade Farm - Update

MO said that the appeal had now been deferred until October.

13. Neighbourhood Plan - Update

Nothing to report at this time

14. Meetings

To report on – nothing at this time To attend – nothing at this time

15. **Date of next meeting –** Monday 11th September 2017, Memorial Hall 8.15pm

Democratic period

- A resident asked if the hedge past the reservoir could be trimmed
- Asked if the MVAS could be sited near Hedgerley Lane/the Narrows
- Asked if there could be a bin in the car park at Kemsley Wood
- Check on responsibility for mowing/strimming by the hedge along from One Pin.
- A resident asked if the posts end of Stevenson Road could be strimmed around.