

Cropwell Bishop Parish Council – Minutes of Meeting

2nd July 2013

7.30pm -The Old School

(The meeting started at 7.30pm and finished at 9.25pm)

- Present:** Cllrs: C. Bryan, J. Gelsthorpe – (Acting Chairman), H. Kendall, J. Page, M. Wright, J. Wroughton & A. Wilson
- Apologies:** Cllrs J. Greenwood & R. Stanley. Also Cllr R. Butler (Nottinghamshire County Council)
- In Attendance:** Mrs L. Simpson (Acting Clerk), Mrs J. Towndrow (Future Clerk), 16 Local Residents & Cllrs G. Moore (Rushcliffe Borough Council)

Declarations of Interest & Confirmation of Agenda

94. DOI – Cllrs A. Wilson and J. Wroughton.
The Agenda was confirmed.
95. 7.32pm Standing Orders were suspended to allow the order of business to be amended to enable attendees to speak to the meeting.

Parishioners' Question Time

96. (Agenda item 6d) **Relocation of Playgroup – Update** - A brief presentation was made by Mr. N Baseley, IBA Chartered Town Planners on the relocation of Playgroup to the Memorial Hall land.
In principle, the Parish Council agree to the location to the new site. Further discussion will take place when the Planning applications arrive from Rushcliffe Borough Council.
97. (Agenda item 6c) **Persimmon Homes: To consider correspondence regarding lane off Nottingham Road.**
Resolved: The PC would oppose such large housing sites.
98. A parishioner wished to be noted that if a future proposal was put in place for a large housing site, that it would mean a huge change in infrastructure within the village, e.g. schools, doctors etc.
99. 8.07pm - Standing Orders resumed

Minutes of the Previous Meetings

100. **Resolved:** “That the minutes of the previous meeting held on 4th June 2013, be confirmed as a true record and signed by the Acting Chairman.”

Progress

101. M.40 Grass Cutting Contract – Refer to next meeting.
102. M.41 Grass Cutting – Grass cutting within the Village
Action – Cllr G Moore will contact Rushcliffe Borough Council and Nottinghamshire County Council to check the progress on the needed areas.

Planning Matters & Applications

103. **Planning Application: 13/01130/FUL** – 142 Hoe View Road, Cropwell Bishop, Nottingham
Resolved: NO OBJECTION

Finance

104. a) Financial Statement up to 19th June 2013
It was:
Resolved: “To approve the financial statement.”
105. b) Payments Made up to 19th June 2013
It was:
Resolved: “To approve all payments as reproduced on payments document 79.”

Correspondence for Action

106. **Local Improvement Scheme: Grantham Canal** – The Cropwell Restoration Project – to note bid response.
Resolved: The project was not successful.
107. **Newark & Sherwood Play Support Group:** To note free drop in and play workshops on the Memorial Field every Thursday 3.30-5pm from 22nd August – 12th September 2013
108. **Persimmon Housing** – see M.97
109. **Relocation of playgroup update** – see M.96
110. **To consider RoSPA Play Area Safety Inspection report**
Resolved: Satisfactory report.
111. **WREN:** Play Park update and to approve payment of deposit.
Resolved: Payment of deposit agreed.

Village Ranger Inspections

112. **Resolved:** nothing to report.

The Old School

113. **a) Entertainments, Activities & User Update**
The next cinema film is Great Gatsby on 19th July. There will be no film advertised for July. Three acts have been confirmed through the Village Ventures Scheme. Kel Elliot (Jazz band) for October, Great Expectations (a one man adaptation) for December and Hot Potato Sycopators playing music from the 20's, 30's and 40's for April next year.
Action: to advertise on the Village website and the Cropwell Bishop News.
114. A letter from a parishioner has been received praising the efforts of Cropwell Bishop and all the volunteers and entertainments within the village.
Action: Cllr Gelsthorpe will contact Mr Jarrow to put on the Village Plan website.
115. **b) To Consider a Valuation Report of the Old School**
Action: The Clerk would seek another quote from another insurer (c/o Cllr Bryant)

To Draw Competition Winner – May 2013 Edition Cropwell News

116. Mrs J Towndrow made the draw – Winner Mrs Serena Chilton.

Website

117. **Action:** Urgent information to go on the Village Plan website until further options have been explored.

Highways & Footpaths Defects/Issues

118. A number of potholes are still evident.
Action: to report any on NCC website.
119. The road sign from Kinoulton Road has been removed by Malcolm Lane & sons for repair.

Councillors Reports

120. Cllr Wroughton has had many reports of dog fouling near the school.
121. Cllr Wroughton noted that a disable parking space would be very useful in the car park of the Old School.
Action: Clerk to seek advice from NCC Highways.

- 122. Cllr Gelsthorpe read a letter regarding Cllr Code of Conduct.
Resolved: All points were noted.

Correspondence for Information

- 123. Best Kept Village Competition – Unsuccessful this year.
- 124. Letter from a Parishioner with a suggested name for the new housing development.
Action: Clerk to write with agreed name and suggest the name ‘Simpson’ can be used in the future.

Date of Next Meeting

- 125. 10th September 2013

Chairman’s Signature.....Date.....