

Burghwallis Parish Council

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2019

In Attendance:

Chairman Councillor Councillor Councillor Councillor Clerk PCSO

D Maxwell J Laming R Lomas D Hudson B Grimes J Halsall Toni Bratby (part time)

#### Chairman's opening remarks and Declarations of interest

Councillor Maxwell introduced Toni Bratby PCSO for East Team area which covers Burghwallis.

Speeding through the village was discussed at length as the Parish Council want to reduce the current speed of 30 to 20. Toni Bratby explained that serious or fatal accidents unfortunately have to occur before any action will be taken. Norton Parish Council reduced an area from 60 to 40. It was agreed to ask Councillor White to help and get any further information.

Toni Bratby reported she regularly attends the village with the hand held speed monitor, but is not allowed to issue any tickets unless the police are in attendance.

Cardinals Children's home was discussed with regard to ASBO's. The police attend the home regularly with reported incidents. Toni Bratby is aware of the problems.

Councillor Hudson reported on the motorbikes up and down the bridle path area. Bikes can be seized, and if too noisy can be destroyed.

Fires in bins on the bridle path was also reported.

Problems with contacting 101 in getting through was reported. This will hopefully be rectified in the coming months with more staff. Any problems the Parish Council can contact Toni Bratby for advice.

- 1. <u>Apologies for absence</u> DMBC Councillor A White & J Gilliver
- 2. <u>Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2019</u> RESOLVED that the minutes be signed.
- 3. Matters arising from the minutes
  - <u>War Memorial Wall</u> Tell tail signs have been fitted
  - <u>Owston Lodge</u> No update received
  - <u>Kath's Bench A resident (Kevin) is working on the repairs needed.</u>
  - <u>Waste bin</u> Top of the bridle path/Stoney Croft has been installed
  - <u>Dead Tree It was reported the tree was safe and didn't need to be removed at this time.</u>

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- <u>Cardinals Plot 5 –</u>change of use to care Home has been refused. 3 options left for any appeal. Plot 3 does not have an operating certificate like the other care home. Councillor Mr White said he would look into this **Action: AW**
- <u>Speeding Stickers</u> purchased for the wheelie bins
- Christmas Tree lighting is arranged for 7<sup>th</sup> December. Decorations and lights are with Councillor Maxwell. Electric connection would be asked again to Mrs Spiller. Councillor Hudson will organise the delivery of the Christmas tree around the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December. Sandbags would be used to secure the tree in position. Mince Pies and mulled wine to be organised **Action: DM** Councillor Grimes reported she had some Paper cups and hymn sheets from last year. Keyboard player from last year was unavailable. Rev. Walton to be contacted to see if he knows of anyone. **Action: DM**

### 4. Financial Matters

400277 - £180 JM Scott Playing field Maintenance 400278 - Cancelled 400279 – £44.95 Wheelie Bin Stickers 400280 - £64.84 D Maxwell expenses 400281 - £25 RBL Wreath 400282 - £413.10 Clerk Salary 400283 - £382.80 DMBC Springer repairs **RESOLVED** cheques and Bank Statements approved & signed Next years budget would be prepared for the next meeting.

# 5. Playing field/Pinfold

Online Charity's commission has been completed. Hedge has been cut on the Playing field by Willy Seels. It was agreed to thank him for his work.

### 6. Poor's Field

New contract has been signed.

Christmas lunch was agreed on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December. Over 20 residents so far to attend. This date will be advertised in the church magazine again this month for anyone else who wishes to attend.

Councillor Laming has organised the entertainment and is awaiting costs of the meal. Raffle prizes and tickets were needed.

### 7. <u>Planning</u>

Nothing new to report

### 8. Correspondence

Emails all circulated & dealt with accordingly.

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## 9. <u>Website</u>

All up to date. Part Months figures – Hits 280 and Page views 600.

New Blogs updated on the website since last meeting:

- 2 x War memorial updates
- Pig Farm update on refusal
- Christmas lighting event & Lunch
- Repair of Springer on the play ground
- Residents death and obituary
- New wildlife area

#### 10. New Matters/Any Other Business

Councillor Grimes reported on some local flooding on Crabgate Lane, Skellow, as 3 houses had flooding from the field into their garages.

Dog Fouling enforcement training from DMBC was declined

Councillor Maxwell reported on Holly Farm Court and recent contact with DMBC. Councillor Hudson reported he had looked on the map of public rights of way and this area is on the map and also sign posted.

Councillor Lomas reported he had the Wreath for the Armistice day service commencing at 1pm.

Councillor Grimes reported on the Trees cut on Grange Lane by the farmer look a mess.

#### 11. Next Meeting

The next meetings to be held at The Burghwallis Public House commencing at 7pm.

## Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2019

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.40pm.

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