

KIRKBY-IN-CLEVELAND PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes

Parish Council Meeting held in Kirkby Church Hall on
9th March 2015 at 7.30p.m.

Present: Cllrs M.Frew, T.Seymour, R.Tomlinson, J.Barr Clerk L.Smith

Apologies: County Cllr H.Moorhouse, District Cllr M.Skilbeck, Cllr J.Hugill PCSO
G.Lodge

1.0 Declaration of Interest Cllr Tomlinson – Item 4.5

2.0 Minutes of the meeting held on 26th January 2015 agreed and signed by Cllr M Frew.

3.0 Police Report – The police sent a written report stating that the following crimes had been reported since the last Parish Council meeting.

i) 27/1/2015 Report of a vehicle causing an obstruction on Kirkby Lane, photo provided to the police. Keeper check conducted, police letter issued to registered keeper.

ii) 8/2/2015 Report of an abandoned silent call made to police. No request for police and no disturbance could be heard. Number called back twice going to voice mail. Message left advising should police be required to call back.

iii) 11/2/2015 Report of a vehicle driving erratically along Busby Lane, officers attended with negative sighting of vehicle, area searched conducted.

iv) 14/2/2015 Report of a burglary on Kirkby Lane, officers attended and enquiries are ongoing.

It was agreed to put the Police report about securing outbuildings and Land Rover Defenders on the village notice board.

4.0 Matters Arising

4.1 Ducks – Some white ducks have appeared. The situation will be monitored.

4.2 Kirby Bank Trod – Cllr Barr informed the Parish Council that he was awaiting a report from Mr R Gunton of NYMNP with reference to the Trod.

4.3 Village demographic and list of vulnerable residents - it was decided that the criteria for this ought to be households with children under the age of 18, pensioners and people with a medical condition. The councillors are to compile a list which would then be available should the electricity supply be disrupted for any length of time .

4.4 Stokesley Library – Cllr Frew has sent a response to NYCC confirming the Parish Council's supports for keeping the library open as a hybrid, staffed by 1 permanent trained librarian with volunteers.

4.5 The Pond – The Pond is owned by the Diocese of York and as such the villagers have no right of access to it. The pond will be monitored over the whole season and if maintenance is required at any time the Diocese will be informed.

5.0 Planning Applications

5.1 15/00138/FUL Change of use of public house to café and offices at the Station Hotel, Station Road, Stokesley, North Yorkshire for Mr Tanvir Ellahi.

The Parish Council have forwarded their comments to Hambleton District Council requesting that as many of the external features reflecting its history as a public house be retained as possible. Also more information was requested as to opening hours for the café, disabled access provision and concern expressed about the safety of parking to the front of the building.

6.0 Planning Decisions - None

7.0 Finance

7.1 Payments made

i) Clerk's salary and expenses £195

7.2 Payments approved - none

8.0 Correspondence

8.1 Community Speed Watch –no details of the areas covered in the Hambleton area.

8.2 Hambleton Area Committee Meeting – no one was available to attend this meeting.

9.0 Any Other Business

9.1 Defibrillator – It is kept in the pub and fully charged. It was decided that a notice be placed in the church newsletter and on the notice board confirming the location of the defibrillator.

9.2 A scattering of snowdrops has appeared. These should bulk out in future years. If any councillor has snowdrops to spare, this is the time to transplant them.

10.0 Date of next meeting – Monday 27th April 2015 at 7.00pm followed by the Annual Parish Meeting at 8.00pm.



