

MINUTES OF LITTLE EATON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON 22.9.21 LITTLE EATON VILLAGE HALL

PRESENT: Councillors S Downing (Chair), C Holmes, E Jennison-Boyle, G Thomson, D Howard, Parish Clerk, Councillor A Stevenson (EBC), 2 members of the public

21/153 APOLOGIES

Councillors N Gascoyne, P Mulvey, Councillor C Hart (DCC)

21/154 TO DETERMINE WHICH ITEMS, IF ANY, FROM PART 1 OF THE AGENDA SHOULD BE TAKEN WITH THE PUBLIC EXCLUDED

None

21/155 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

21/156 PUBLIC SPEAKING

Representatives from Friends of Little Eaton Canal confirmed the details of a request for the Parish Council to obtain a licence from DCC for a simple bench to be sited on the grass area near the head of the canal, to the west of the footway/cycle path. It would be placed to give a view of the butterfly bank and the stand of rowan trees.

A presentation was held to thank Brian Adams and Alan Machell for their long service as Parish Councillors.

21/157 VARIATION OF ORDER OF BUSINESS

None

21/158 MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 25.8.21

RESOLVE That the Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 25.8.21 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

21/159 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Councillor Downing reported that parishioners in Park Close had raised concerns about parking permits. Councillor Downing reported he had been invited to tender to clear a path along the Greenway.

21/160 MILLENNIUM WAY PARKING & CHRISTMAS TREE CULTIVATION LICENCE UPDATE

The Millennium Way licence has been signed and will be returned to DCC. Following refusal of the request to plant a tree it was agreed to ask DCC if it was that specific tree or if there was an alternative that could be planted.

21/161 VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK BARRIER UPDATE

The car park barrier going live date has been delayed due to the signage arriving later than expected and then holidays. It should go live in the next few weeks.

21/162 PARISH COUNCILLOR INDUCTION GUIDE

No further update.

21/163 MEMORIAL TO JOHN EASTER

No further update.

21/164 NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH UPDATE

Councillor Howard reported that he had spoken to a co-ordinator in another area of the Parish. They had been referred to Little Eaton Eyes. There had been very little response to the FB/Website appeals for volunteers and due to the poor response no further action was proposed.

21/165 SPEEDWATCH UPDATE

Councillor Howard confirmed the speedwatch training will take place on 29 September 6.30-8.30 pm at the village hall. A risk assessment is required and locations to be confirmed.

21/166 20S PLENTY - NEXT STEPS

Councillor Howard offered to draft a proposal for the next meeting.

21/167 PAVEMENT PARKING - DO WE AS A PARISH COUNCIL WANT TO GET BEHIND THE NATIONAL CAMPAIGN TO END PAVEMENT PARKING?

Councillor Howard to draft an article for the newsletter.

21/168 LITTER PICK 11.9.21

Councillor Holmes reported that three people had attended the litter pick. The Duke of Edinburgh Award student had been seen litter picking. Councillor Holmes to look at involving community groups.

21/169 SCHOOL CLOCK UPDATE

It was resolved to apply for grants in order to install a new clock movement (T1R), controller (ARU) with bell striking system (Toller and Controller) - £4,323 (+VAT)

21/170 PARK WORKS – SPRAYING £300/TO CUT AND REMOVE VEGETATION FROM SUMMER WILD FLOWER MEADOW £90

It was resolved to accept the quotes that had been circulated for spraying and cutting and removing vegetation from Woodgrow and G Long.

21/171 NEWSLETTER

It was agreed to organise a newsletter for circulation in November with a cut off date of 20 October.

21/172 CLIMATE ACTION GROUP

Councillor Holmes to organise a first meeting with Councillors and volunteers.

21/173 QUEENS GREEN CANOPY/ JUBILEE

The Parish Council are very keen to work with LEIB/Friends of Little Eaton to commemorate the Queens Platinum Jubilee. Councillor Holmes to liaise with the groups and come up with a suitable plan.

21/174 ADVENT WINDOWS

Councillor Holmes offered to organise the advent windows again this year.

21/174 WREATH

It was agreed to organise a wreath for remembrance Sunday.

21/175 CLERKS REPORT

- Approval of the External Audit from PKF had been received

21/176 CORRESPONDENCE FOR ACTION

- Bench Proposal FLEC. It was agreed to apply for an objects licence on behalf of the group.

21/177 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Applications

- ERE/0921/0012 Change of use to mixed use of workshop and restaurant Blok Knives Limited Unit 3b, Old Hall Mill Business Park Alfreton Road – Concerns regarding lack of parking, exacerbate parking problems, traffic in and out
- ERE/0921/0010 Two storey rear 102 Alfreton Road – No objections
- ERE/0821/0054 Demolish existing bungalow and construct replacement dwelling 3 Morley Lane Lane – No objections
- ERE/0921/0004 Construction of a single two bedroomed bungalow within the grounds of Rose Hill including the construction of a turning head within the site at the northern end of Whittaker Lane to act as a public amenity for Whittaker Lane residents Rose Hill Whittaker Lane – No objections

Approved

- ERE/0721/0046 Proposed ground floor side extension 305 Alfreton Road
- ERE/0721/0001 Construction of double storey side extension, replacement garage, new pitched roof over proposed garage, re-construction of existing raised platform to rear elevation with veranda, external alterations and new boundary wall to front 221 Alfreton Road
- ERE/0621/0036 Single storey front extension & two storey side extension 14 Croft End

21/178 FINANCE

Receipts up to 31.8.21

Natwest	Interest	0.26
LECC	Rent	560.00
LE Bowls Club	Rent	335.00
COIF	413600001T	38.91
COIF	301800001T	96.55

Monthly accounts circulated

RESOLVE: That the Accounts listed below be accepted for payment.

Payee	Expenditure	£
L Storey	Salary/Expenses	779.27
HMRC	PAYE	88.92
P Morey	Parkkeeper	566.80
DALC	Training	120.00
PKF	External Audit	240.00
M Toms	Grounds maintenance	302.06
Fox Landscaping	Grounds Maintenance Millennium Way 7443	202.92
Fox Landscaping	Grounds Maintenance churchyard 7484	348.84
TOTAL		2648.81

21/179 CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION

- DALC September Newsletter
- Potential new course: Resilience, Wellbeing and Mental Health
- Basic Survey & Tree Inspection Training Course - 23 November 2021
- Report Writing for Local Councils - training course - dates available
- Erewash Voluntary Action - Funding Bulletin September 2021
- Friends of Little Eaton Canal update
- DALC Forum meetings – notes 21.9.21
- DCC Community news 6.9.21
- Agenda for Planning Committee, Wednesday, 15th September, 2021, 5.30 pm
- Live Life Better Derbyshire Services
- Tree Preservation Confirmation Order: Alongside Drive to Eaton Hill House, Alfreton Road, Little Eaton, Derby
- Police. Up coming events in your area. Ideas appreciated
- PSPO - Brackley Gate / Moor Lane – Gates fitted
- Minutes for Planning Committee, Wednesday, 18th August, 2021, 5.30 pm
- Temporary Weight Restriction: Ford Lane, Little Eaton.
- DALC Papers in preparation of the 75th AGM - 19 October 2021
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21/180 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Date of next meeting 20.10.21 Little Eaton Village Hall 7.30 pm