

Wimbish Parish Council
Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on
3rd December, 2014 at 7.30 p.m.
in the Pavilion, Tye Green, Wimbish

Present: Mike Young, Edward Browne and Lynne Ward-Booth.

In attendance: Tracy Coston (Clerk)

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1. **Apologies for Absence:** Ian Porter, Chris Belton, Matthew Smith.
2. **Councillors to declare pecuniary interests:** None
3. **Public Participation (15 minutes):** None
4. **Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 5th November, 2014:** The minutes were approved and signed by Mike Young.
5. **District Councillor and County Councillor Report:**
District Councillor: Not present
County Councillor: Report sent and distributed.
6. **Matters arising**
 - a) **Lucy May field planting:** Edward Browne to obtain from a quote Farrowby Fencing.
 - b) **Telephone Box:** Clerk to ask BT about paint again, and if it is not available the paint will be purchased.
 - c) **Hastoe fence and hedge:** The fence hasn't been repaired and the hedge hasn't been cut.
Clerk to chase up Hastoe again.
7. **Planning**
 - a) **Applications:** None
 - b) **Decisions:** None
 - c) **Development of the Mushroom Farm site and issues with hedges and ditches:** Moody Homes have taken some land to increase the site. The ditch has been filled in and the hedge has been taken out at the front.
8. **Roads, Highways and Footpaths**
 - a) **Tarmacing the pavement near St. Paul's:** Clerk to chase up the Rangers and Highways.
 - b) **Speed limit – Howlett End:** Simon Walsh to chase up Highways.
 - c) **Diversion of Footpath 34 (Mushroom Farm):** The PC agreed to object to the moving of the footpath as the land it is being moved onto is not owned by the applicant.

9. Accounts

a) Approval of cheques:

Receipts	
HMRC (VAT Claim)	£ 2,006.96
Total Receipts	£ 2,006.96
Payments	
Tracy Coston	£ 185.97
E-On (Direct Debit) (December)	£ 45.00
Amazon (magnets)	£ 5.65
Dropbox	£ 63.21
CAB	£ 125.00
Tracy Coston (Expenses)	£ 404.30
Affinity Water	£ 25.48
Staples	£ 29.92
Farrowby Fencing	£ 1,310.98
Sarah Diggons (Cleaner)	£ 60.00
Total Payments	£ 2,255.51

b) CAB request for donation: The PC agreed for a donation of £ 125.00 to be sent to CAB.

10. Pavilion and Recreation Ground Maintenance:

a) Fence around play area: Edward Browne will speak to Phil Farrowby for a quote.

b) Litter bins of recreation ground: Clerk to order another bin for the play area.

11. General Correspondence:

a) Wimbish Church: The PC received a thank you letter for their donation towards the upkeep of the Churchyard.

b) School Pump: The PC did not have any objections to the school moving the school pump out of the entrance hall of the school.

12. Area Report:

a) By-laws: The necessary legislation hasn't been passed yet.

b) Buses: There have been some problems with the buses not turning up. Mike Young is monitoring the situation.

c) Army representative: Mike Young will make contact with the army to see if they will send a representative to the PC meetings about once a year.

d) Litterpick: The litter pick will either take place on March 22nd or 29th March.

e) Football charges: The charges will be reviewed at the next meeting.

13. Date of the Parish Council meeting on Wednesday 7th January, 2015 at 7.30 pm.

The meeting finished at 8.45 pm.

Signed

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