

HAZELBURY BRYAN PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting 6th March 2012

Present:- Dave Roberts (DR) Martin Richards (MR); Emma Grayson (EG); Ray Smith;(RS);Steve Murcer (SM); David Maughan (DM)

Members of the Public:- 15; Cllr Pauline Batstone (PB)

Minutes:- Jenny Farthing (Parish Clerk)

Apologies:- Tricia Walton (TW); Cllr David Fox (DF)

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033/12	Apologies for Absence Apologies received from Cllr David Fox and Cllr Tricia Walton.																									
034/12	To adopt the minutes of the previous meetings The minutes of the previous meeting held on 7 th February were agreed																									
033/12	Matters Arising from those minutes Item 29/12 – The Playing Field 60 th anniversary was in 2010 not this year as recorded.																									
034/12	Declarations of Personal or Prejudicial Interest None																									
035/12	a) Financial Report It was resolved to make the following payments:																									
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036/12	Review of Planning applications notified to the Parish Council None																									
037/12	Update to be requested on PLNG/2012/0038 Land at E 376083 N 110306 Hazelbury Bryan- Form farmstead with barn, machinery store, fodder store and station mobile home.	Parish Clerk																								
038/12	Update on Traveller's Consultation Confirmation of receipt of the response from NDDC has been received. It was reported that no feedback can be expected for at least two months.	Parish Clerk																								
039/12	Neighbourhood Plan It was resolved that a working group would be set up to create the Neighbourhood Plan.																									

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	<p>Initially there will be a small group to look at the feasibility and decide the range of skills needed for the full working group. This group will liaise with those surrounding parishes that choose to be involved, to agree the scope of the plan.</p> <p>It was proposed and agreed that the chairmanship of the working group would be held jointly by Cllr Steve Murcer and Cllr David Maughan (Proposed:- Cllr. Ray Smith; Seconded:- Cllr Martin Richards)</p>	SM/DM
040/12	<p>Footpaths</p> <p>(i) Proposed footpath on The Causeway</p> <p>The Chairman reported on a meeting held with Hall and Woodhouse in February regarding the proposed new footpath on The Causeway. Their surveyor advised that a path between the hedges would not meet safety regulations and he will provide a proposal to Hall & Woodhouse, that can be discussed with Dorset Highways department, for a footpath with a grass verge.</p>	
041/12	<p>(ii) Other footpath maintenance</p> <p>Requests received for other footpath maintenance will be followed up.</p>	DR
042/12	<p>Village Hall</p> <p>It was reported that two grants have obtained, through the efforts of Ann McCulloch, totalling £10,750 towards the refurbishment.</p> <p>A major fund raising event in planned for Saturday 24th March.</p>	
043/12	<p>Playing Field Report</p> <p>a) Roller sale</p> <p>The Parish council were informed that the cheque for their share in the proceeds from selling the roller would be issued once the new signatories have been identified.</p>	
044/12	<p>b) Sport England Grant</p> <p>It was reported that there are new grants from Sport England that Parish Councils can apply for. More investigations are underway.</p>	EG
045/12	<p>c) Dog Fouling</p> <p>There have been consistent issues with dog owners not clearing up in particular on the footpath next to the children's play area. Several options were discussed and all residents are asked to be vigilant and report offenders to a Councillor or the Clerk.</p>	
046/12	<p>d) Pavilion costs</p> <p>The figures from the quantity surveyor will be made available to the Parish Council for discussion at the April meeting.</p>	
047/12	<p>e) PFA Committee</p> <p>The committee is still looking for more members.</p>	

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048/12	<p>Diamond Jubilee Celebrations</p> <p>It was agreed that the Parish Council would lend the Committee the money required to purchase the Jubilee mugs which will be sold in the village at £4 for an 'adult' bone china mug and £2 for a child's mug.</p>	Parish Clerk
049/12	<p>Update from Cllr Pauline Batstone</p> <p>(i) After much deliberation, NDDC have decided to keep Council Tax levels the same in order to protect the subsidy from Central Government.</p> <p>(ii) There will be a meeting of the Lydden Vale Parishes, at a date to be advised, to agree which villages would like to be part of a single Neighbourhood plan.</p>	
050/12	<p>Written and Verbal Communicated Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ We have provisionally been offered several small trees which were in excess of the requirement of another village. If these do become available, locations for planting will be agreed at the next meeting. ▪ Dorset Highways have proposed a new scheme for local snow clearing. Response is required by 28th March and request for later response will be requested. Meanwhile Councillors will consider the options. ▪ There have been concerns about litter in the village. There will be an agenda item next month to agree plans for a litter picking initiative. ▪ The Clerk attended a workshop on the 2011 Localism Act and reported the following items for immediate attention: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Power of Wellbeing will be discontinued with effect from 31st March 2012 to be replaced by The Power of General Competence. More discussion will take place when more details have been published. (ii) The current Code of Conduct will be discontinued from 31st March and all Councils are required to put a new one in place by 1st July 2012. It was agreed to review / adapt the one adopted by NDDC rather than develop a brand new one. (iii) New Registers in Interest will be required after the AGM on 1st May. Regulation requires that they are published on the internet as public documents. 	<p>Parish Clerk</p> <p>Parish Clerk</p>

The meeting closed at 21:10 hours.

The next Parish Council meeting will be 8pm 3rd April 2012 in the **Village Hall**.

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