

Aylburton Parish Council: Annual Council Meeting

Minutes of annual meeting held in the Memorial Hall on 9th May 2014

Present:

Maurice Bloomfield, Simon Newman, Colin Newman, Lorna Coates, Andy Jones, (Councillors); Karen Blackwell (Clerk), Marion Winship (District), PCSO Robert Gee.

Apologies

Frankie Evans, Terry Glastonbury.

The Minutes of the 2013 Annual Parish Meeting were agreed and signed as a true record.

Matters arising from the minutes.

1. One year appointments:

Chairman: Maurice Bloomfield (With the proviso that the Chairmanship is re-elected in 6 months i.e. November 2014).

Vice Chairman: Colin Newman: proposed by A.J. seconded by M.B. Vote carried.

A48 Liaison: Maurice Bloomfield.

Precept approval: Colin Newman.

Declaration witness: Karen Blackwell.

Planning committee: Lorna Coates, Andy Jones.

2. Three year appointments:

Snow Warden: Colin Newman. (Renewal 2016)

Footpaths: Maurice Bloomfield, Colin Newman. (Renewal 2016)

Grid Warden: Andy Jones (Renewal 2017)

3. Finances

Balances as at 31/03/14:

Current account	£2795.33
Deposit account	£6487.82

Total	£9283.15
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4. Affiliations and donations:

GAPTC	£152.93
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A48 Meeting	£8.00
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5. Donations:

AUCA	£750.00
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Poppy Appeal	£50.00
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FoD CAB	£50.00
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Friends of Bathurst Pool	£200.00
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Methodist Chapel Fund	£50.00
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SARA	£50.00
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Dial-A-Ride	£50.00
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Victoria Centre	£50.00
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Memorial Hall Garden fund	£30.00
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Aylburton C of E school	£1,000.00
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New Business:

The clerk is to advise the FoDDC of a vacancy for a Councillor following the resignation of Jane O'Donnell. K.B. to organise Thank You gift for Jane.

Maurice Bloomfield wants to resign as Chairman but has kindly agreed to stay on until a replacement can be found. Furthermore he will stay on as a Councillor until May 2015. It was suggested that an article is placed in the Ducktown Echo highlighting the need for people to come forward to join the Council. K.B. to ask John Ridley for help.

PCSO Gee reported that crime figures for the village remain very low & that a speed assessment is continuing along the A48. No further progress had been made with regard to the parking problems on Chapel Hill / Church Road etc.

The meeting closed at 7.50p.m.