

**Minutes of a meeting of Eye Parish Council held in the Leeds Hall,  
High Street, Eye on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2017 at 7pm.**

*Consultation with the public until 7.10pm – None present*

Attendees Mrs P Blades, Mr G Chapman, Mrs S Foster, Mr A Goodsell,  
Mr M Holmes, Mr A Martin, Mr A Short, and Mr A Smith.  
Also present: Councillor R Brown, S Allen and N Simons

**170) Declaration of Interests**

Mr A Short – Item 176 Voucher 78 and Item 177 Planning application at 1A Eyebury Road, Eye.

**171) Items for City Councillors –**

Speeding awareness in Thorney Road is being looked at and the former CLF will make a considerable contribution to this. Costs are being looked into – approx. £1500. If one device could also go down Peterborough Road then the Parish Council could contribute towards it or look for match funding.

Two requests from the fund have been received but neither are for capital spending so are not eligible.

Local Plan – This goes before the Scrutiny Committee at PCC next week.

When this is out for consultation any previous objections must be put in again. The Parish Council will ask that all previous objections be looked at without having to be resubmitted. The 3 Ward Councillors will be looking very closely at all that applies to Eye.

Cleaning up action morning last week and the Children's Play area at the Community Centre cleared and tidied. An extra cut is to be done as the grass in and around it is very long. Requested that an extra cut also be done at the Little Close Play Area.

Sadly, Bill Green has passed away who was the volunteer warden at the Nature Reserve. His son would like to place a bench there in his memory and this is supported by the Ward Councillors.

Yellow Lines were painted in Lukes Lane last week and despite emails from the Parish Council and Ward Members this has not been resolved. Previous lines were painted out within 2 days. The clerk did invite Mr Tebbs from PCC to the meeting but no response received. The Parish Council nor residents want or see the need for the lines and want them removing. There are no signs up at all.

Hodney Bridge had dog poo removed so that the vegetation could be cut back.

Discussion about the responsibility for the trees at the rear of the Skatepark – to be looked into.

**172) Policing**

Crime Report –

Tintern Rise – 2 burglaries. Hodney Road – Criminal damage, 50 trees cut down

Fountains Place – Criminal damage to vehicle

High Street – Burglary on business, vehicle window smashed, items stolen

Crowland Road – Business burglary on portacabin. Damage to work door  
 Northan Close – Criminal damage, stone thrown at window  
 Clerk to ask for more information on the Criminal damages of cutting down the trees in Hodney Road.  
 Email from PCSO Scott Lefevre who has just started working in this area- reminder not to leave items in cars.

**173) Apologies for Absence**

Mr S Booth, Mr S Duffy, Mrs D Magnus and Mrs A Meadows.

**174) Minutes of the Meeting of 28<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

Agreed and signed as a true record.

**175) Matters Arising – Not included in this agenda**

Clerk to follow-up on Larkfleet fund

**176) Finance**

(i) Accounts for Approval of Payment

<i>Creditor</i>	<i>Voucher Number</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Nett</i>	<i>VAT</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Chq No</i>
Mrs Stanojevic	77	Wages - September	£666.04		£666.04	3238
Mrs S Short	78	Wages - September	£758.20		£758.20	3239
Mrs J Fisher	79	Wages - September	£200.00		£200.00	3240
Ameycespa	80	Refuse – Leeds Hall - Cemetery	£77.20 £54.00	£26.24	£157.44	3243
ESPO	81	Cleaning Material	£49.36	£9.87	£59.23	3244
CPRE	82	Planning Training Course	£40.00		£40.00	3245
SD Electrics	83	Electrical repairs to Pavilion	£112.00	£22.40	£134.40	3246
R Harding & Son	84	Landscaping – Cemetery Rec Grd C/Yard Autumn Planters	£680.00 £320.00 £125.00 £150.00		£1275.00	3247

The above accounts were approved for payment

(ii) Income & Expenditure from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017 to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Mr Goodsell has been investigating fuel prices – new deal on gas from January 2018. Holds current price which means a saving of £65pa for a 3year deal with npower from Eon. Approved. Electricity prices being looked into.

(iii) S137 Payments – None

### **177) Planning Applications/Decisions**

#### *Applications:*

REF:17/01897/FUL Removal of mobile home and erection of dwelling Land at 199 Crowland Road, Eye. No comment

Lay- by still restricted.

Mr Short left the room.

REF:17/01848/HHFUL Proposed two storey side extension at 1A Eyebury Road, Eye  
No Comment

Mr Short returned.

REF17/01426/FUL 53 High Street, Eye. This has been referred to the planning committee.

Consideration for a Neighbourhood Plan for Eye – Peakirk have adopted a plan and members advised to look at in on the internet. The clerk will find previous information on a plan began for Eye. Funding is available.

### **178) Cemetery**

Work to commence shortly on the remedial work pathway that was approved last month.

The Clerk and Mr Smith to check the tree works quote as to what should have been done and what has been done

### **179) Allotments**

Information now received from solicitors showing their actual fees to change the tenancy of the Hodney allotment site from agricultural to enable the Parish Council to give the Model Railway a long let.

The Parish Council now need an up-to-date map showing which part is rented from the Church Commissioners. The clerk to provide current costings for the site for the Finance Committee to look at and to find out how much rent the Model Railway would be willing to pay.

This item to go on next months agenda

### **180) Eye Primary School**

Fireworks display 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Meetings held with PCC re possible expansion.

### **181) Transport, Roads and Footpaths**

Judi Anderson, PCC – Parking restrictions at Deerhurst Way and Little Close have now had a legal order made and will become legally enforceable on 27<sup>th</sup> November.

Judi Anderson, PCC – Request for Parking order in Back Lane, at the rear of the Co-op. Any comments to be sent by 9<sup>th</sup> November 2017.

### **182) Leeds Hall, Recreation Ground and Amenities**

Roofing project to commence on 19th February and will take 6 weeks. Hall can remain open and the clerk can still use the office.

Extractor to be included in the work – air in and out.

Contacted PCC re planning – Mr Martin will look at.

New timer fitted at Pavilion for the outside lights.

Manor Farm Community Centre monthly meeting last week, the constitution is being looked at and updated at the AGM. Concern at the capacity of the hall numbers and the lights being on unnecessarily.

Mrs Blades will lay the Poppy wreath on behalf of the Parish Council.

**183) Environmental Matters**

**184) Former CLF Funding for 2017/2018**

See item 171.

**185) Other Correspondence**

St Matthews Church are doing Advent Wreaths this year and members are all invited to take part – full details from the clerk.

**186) Date of Next Meeting – 16<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

Date of Finance Meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 7pm.