Dilhorne Parish Council

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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 19th FEBRUARY 2013 AT DILHORNE RECREATION CENTRE, DILHORNE

Present: Cllrs Horvath, Nightingale, Bateman and Carnall D. Cllr Roberts Apologies: Cllrs Wright, Bowyer Members of the Public: Trevor and Mavis Brassington, Basil Brassington

Subject	Description	Action
	Potholes – Trevor Brassington asked about situation re potholes C Cllr	
PUBLIC QUESTIONS	Day advised SCC trying to "catch up" with this problem but ones being	
(Max 15 mins length)	filled are coming back again many need patching SCC have now started	
(sealing edges around patches to help prevent these breaking up again.	
	New potholes appear as soon as it snows and salt used erodes tarmac.	
	Will be struggling to catch up but may take problem on board and do	
	later in year. Potholes are categorise 1 - 4 if Cat 1 they are done in	
	matter of hrs if Cat 4 least priority therefore may not get done	
	Grids/gullies – Godley Lane (by school) needs clearing.	
	It was resolved that the minutes of the previous Meeting were to be	
MINUTES	signed as a true and correct record.	
DECLARATION OF	D. Cllr Roberts re planning issues	
INTEREST		
	C. Councillor – Highways have spent £1.5m in his Division (Werrington,	
REPORTS	Caverswall, Forsbrook, Dilhorne areas) and gave breakdown of where	
	spent.	
	D. Councillor –Croft and Summerhill enforcement matter in progress.	
	Recreation Centre – nothing to report. Clerk to contact Rec Centre re	
	obtaining extra set of keys. If charge is incurred this was approved by	
	Council.	
	Parish Assembly – Next meeting 7 th March 2013 – CW will try to	
	attend. June meeting will be a special one on planning issues – any	
	questions needed by 6 th May.	
PLANNING	MOSS FEEDS – Members of the Public were given permission to take	
MATTERS	part in this discussion.	
	Mavis & Trevor Brassington stated more houses good for school but	
	what guarantee would there be that children would go go to school.	
	Cllrs Carnall and Nightingale advised that at moment 10 out of 20 kids	
	from village are at the school also the new nursery will hopefully help	
	with building up numbers. C. Cllr Day stated important that we support	
	school only 2 years ago it was under threat. Very important to promote	
	school and keep numbers up.	
	Cllr Carnall - currently site is "blot on the landscape" and could have	
	same size replacement buildings if remained brown field not restriction	
	of what may go there. Cllr Bateman personally thought it would be good	
	thing for village but parking issues are a consideration. Clerk advised	
	Council about phone call from Andy Williams Moss's consultant and he	
	had told her they had received responses to their questionnaire with	
	nearly all in favour of a small property development.	
	Applications:	
	None received	
	Decisions: none	
	Appeals: none	
	Enforcement: see D Cllr report	

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MATTERS ARISING	Highways Items: Trimpos – nothing to report Drains/Grids – Godley Lane need cleaning. Misc Highways Issues – none Footpaths – nothing War Memorial – Lengthsman had given quote for removal of Llyandi trees. No decision on what to replace these with made to date therefore to hold off on removal until this made. Newsletter – in progress UNRESOLVED ITEMS: Boundary Telephone Box – on going Village Notice board – on going Cllr Wright chase up urgently	CW/LC CW
LENGTHSMAN	Doing grip by Wrights at Trimpos	
NEW BUSINESS	 Bus Service Dilhorne to Cheadle – Clerk to respond re service through Trimpos. Dilhorne Endowed School Foundation – Clerk reported she had been contacted by The Clerk of the Foundation, Mr Marsden of Dicksons Solicitors, and re appointment of Trustees. There are 7 Trustees and 4 of which are appointed by the Parish Council. Details of the existing Trustees were given to the Councillors. The Councillors do not know much about the Foundation so further information is to be requested before a decision is made as to who to appoint. Clerk to write to Mr Marsden. 	Clerk
FINANCE	Payments: Three cheques were approved and signed TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS - £340.66 Receipts: Interest on deposit account £0.73 p Bank Accounts: Current Account - £239.69 before payments and transfer, £149.13 after payments made Deposit account - £8330.90 after transfer made. Transfer - £250.00	
CORRESPONDENCE	SCCLocal Services Staffs Moorlands Are Initial Consultation (re existing bus services) Community Paths Initiative - Bids for 2013/14Dicksons SolicitorsRe Trustees – Dilhorne Endowed School Foundation	
	SantanderBank StatementHMRCPaying your PAYE electronicallySPCAVarious items	
DATE OF NEXT MEETING	Tuesday 19 th March 2013 at 7.30pm	
MEETING CLOSED	9pm	