Parish Council
Thursday 19-Dec-2019 @ 18:45
Village Hall, Stewartby

MINUTES

1: Apologies for absence
Cllr Rogers, Cllr Thornton & Cllr Hill

2: To receive declarations of interest in items on the agenda
None

3: Public Question Time
No members of public present

4: Minutes Approval
The minutes of the last Parish Council meeting held on the 21st November 2019 were approved and signed by Cllr Symonds.

5: Chairman's Report
Cllr Symonds reported on the following:
Ben Purdy contacted Cllr Symonds asking why the delay, Cllr Symonds explained it is with our solicitor. TCL were due to meet Warners yesterday but TCL failed to turn up.

6: Boroughs Report
No report was received by Cllr Hill

7: Authorise cheques for payment
A list was presented to the meeting, all cheques were signed.

8: Memorial Garden
Deferred to January meeting.
Cllr Symonds advised the pipe has been agreed and plants have been planted. The old footpath is breaking up and Cllr Symonds has requested a quote from Richard.

9: Code of Conduct.
Deferred to January meeting

10: Planning Applications
REF: 19/02529/FUL 1d Rousbury Road, Stewartby
Cllrs approved application.
REF: 19/02499/FUL 66 Stewartby Way, Stewartby
Cllrs approved application.
REF: 19/02532/FUL 16 Stewartby Way, Stewartby
Cllrs approved application.

11: Amenities
11.1) Highways/Lighting
Cllr Symonds reported that there are 2 highways jobs, 1 at the shop, the drive in to the club is flooded and the junction off Park Crescent and Pillinge; the pram ways have dropped and flooded. New drainage system will be going in and raised.
11.2) Recreation Area & Memorial Park
Cllr Symonds has received a quote from Warners for replacing the current footpath on the Village Green. Cllrs agreed on the work to be done.
11.3) Newsletter
Nothing to report.
11.4) Sports Field
Cllr Symonds reported that Max Plant have completed other than the foot path, this will be finished in the summer.
11.5) Village Hall
Cllrs Symonds has received a letter from the solicitors stating that they have heard nothing further from Crittalls.
Cllr Symonds suggested that we send a letter to the solicitors asking them to write to Crittalls confirming that the case is closed. Cllrs agreed.
DTM have quoted for a fire door, Cllrs agreed to go ahead.
11.6) Policing

Next meeting is in January, Cllr Melville asked for any priorities that he can take to the meeting. Cllr Melville mentioned that there has been a spike in burglaries in Stewartby. Cllr Symonds added that there is more police presence in the day.
11.7) Festival
Cllr Melville had nothing to report.

12: AOB

Cllr Symonds thanked Cllr Birch for his help at the Election.
Cllr Melville asked whether there was an update with regards to the vacancies, Cllr Symonds has recruited a lady to deliver the newsletters but nobody regarding the litter pick.
Cllr Melville commented regarding the email content from Cllrs and asked Cllrs to be mindful.

Date of next meeting Thursday 16th January 2019.

Meeting closed at 7.50pm