

Brinsworth Parish Council

MINUTES OF THE EVENTS MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2021

Those present :

Chair : Cllr C L Jones

Vice-Chair : Cllr K L Hollis

Councillors : Cllr A Buckley, Cllr J R Gelder, Cllr P Gregory, Cllr T Hannan, Cllr A Nocton, Cllr S Ridge, Cllr M Rollinson, Cllr J Watson

Officers : Mrs G Blank, Mrs J Huddleston

1844E Apologies

Apologies have been received from Cllr Chatwyn and the reason given was approved.

1845E Declaration of members' interests

The Chair asked members to express any declarations of interest either now or prior to the relevant item being discussed

1846E Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on:-

14th October 2021

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 14th October 2021 are approved as a true and accurate record.

1847E To receive information on ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary

Any items would be covered on specific agenda items.

1848E Firework Display

The Deputy Clerk reported that the firework display had received good feedback and the Fire Cadets had raised over £700. Bad weather had led to the Field View entrance being shut earlier than planned and Councillors agreed it might be easier to leave this shut all evening in future. The Chair noted she would like an email of final arrangements for events to be emailed to her and all Councillors, in addition to the information being given in meetings.

Cllr Hannan noted that he was unhappy that Cllr Carter had shared information on this and other recent Parish Council events and linked them to the Lib Dems. Cllrs Nocton and Jones said they would speak to Cllr Carter about this again as he had said he would change this.

It was noted that the Whitehill entrance to the playing field was overgrown.

RESOLVED: That the Assistant Clerk would be asked to get in touch with RMBC to chase overgrowth on the Whitehill entrance to the park being cut back.

1849E Newsletter

Councillors discussed the collated feedback from the Newsletter which had been circulated prior to the meeting and were informed the delivery company had been spoken to.

RESOLVED: That the delivery company would be given one more chance with the next issue and this would be reviewed again in the new year.

- The Clerk gave an update from the Newsletter Working Party and explained that Cllrs Hollis and Jones were collating articles along with the Clerk and would bring a draft newsletter to a full council meeting for approval.

1850E Remembrance Sunday

The Deputy Clerk ran through final arrangements for Remembrance Sunday.

RESOLVED: Councillors agreed to play it by ear when back at The Centre for refreshments on who would serve coffee and cakes, and the Clerk said she would contact the Assistant Clerk with changes to the location of the Chair's chain.

1851E Christmas

The Deputy Clerk ran through Christmas lights switch on plans. It was agreed that as this was an open event with no tickets, that instead of selection boxes, a sack of smaller chocolates and sweets would be purchased to hand out.

RESOLVED: Cllrs Watson and Rollinson would be elves, the Deputy Clerk would ask The Centre Manager to contact the Chair to arrange a discount with Morrisons Community Champions for sweets for Santa to hand out.

1852E Other Events

The Deputy Clerk reported she had spoken to Brinsworth Academy as they are keen to strengthen links between the school and community and want students to be involved in Parish Council events. Councillors agreed this could be a good way of getting interest for a youth council and finding out young people's opinions on community issues.

RESOLVED: That pupils would be invited to the litter bugs group when this starts in the new year.

RESOLVED: That the Deputy Clerk would invite pupils to set up a homework club in the Library one afternoon a week

Meeting Closed: 20.55