

CARLTON MINIOTT PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a meeting of Carlton Miniott Parish Council held on Monday 28th September 2015 at 7:30 p.m. in external classroom to the rear of Carlton Miniott CP School

PRESENT: Cllrs A Colls, C Ridsdale, J Nickson, M Nickson & K Jackson

D/Cllr J Watson

4 members of the public

1) COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

Mrs Stirke expressed her concern about the size of classes at Carlton Miniott school especially in view of the latest planning application being considered. The infrastructure can't cope with any more building developments – considers that the Planners all live out of the area and don't listen to the views of the locals.

D/Cllr Watson said that she can't comment on this but any comments etc from the public do go to the Planning Committee and are considered with everything else. A very good reason is needed to get planning declined. There is a Community Infrastructure Levy charged on all new properties built which goes towards updating local services. The understanding is that a Doctors' surgery will be built at the Sowerby Gateway also a sports village and a supermarket.

Couple who have recently moved to the village asked where the new application was going to be built – when advised he said that he had heard that the field was a bog. They also complained about the low flying aircraft that regularly fly over the village – they couldn't understand why they were allowed to do this as vintage aircraft have been banned from airshows (he didn't realise that Tucanos are not vintage aircraft). They were advised that these are necessary training flights for RAF pilots – Clerk advised that she receives notification from RAF Leeming if there is likely to be any unusual aircraft activity and this is displayed in the noticeboards and on the website.

2) TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

C/Cllr G Dadd

3) TO RECEIVE COUNTY & DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS:

D/Cllr Watson – advised that the shrubbery at the Red House had been cut back so that the sign at the entrance to the village is no longer covered.

The weeds at the entrance to the railway station car park have also been cleared and the fencing has been repaired.

Yorkshire Water had been very helpful over the water pressure issue and had responded and followed up very quickly. (Cllr Ridsdale advised that the person she had spoken to about this had managed to get a refund from Yorkshire Water)

Lambert Hospital closure – Most of the information is coming from the the Clinical Commission Group etc to the County Council and this is to be re-assessed (Gareth Dadd is leading the campaign). An informal working group is to be set up and will feed back to Parish Councils. Reviewing the situation at the moment - have said they didn't have enough nurses to man the hospital hence the closure. They are liaising with Vicky Pladell(?) & Professor Jane Hart. The League of Friends still has items in the building. There is a lot of speculation taking place so will wait for concrete information before commenting. Any comments from public will be fed back to the working group.

There will be more recycling next year with an extra wheelie bin into which a lot more can be added – there will be leaflet drops to let everyone know the changes.

Cllr Ridsdale had a comment for C/Cllr Dadd which D/Cllr Watson will pass on. One or two farmers have reported to the police that there are poachers on their land and asked

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them to come without blue lights and sirens but they have turned up with lights and sirens scaring the poachers away. More details requested (names etc) to be sent by e-mail. Cllr Jackson asked if anything was pending regarding the extending of the yellow zigzag lines outside the school so that they go right up to the bus stop lines to prevent parking in the space which is causing a hazard to the A61 traffic at school times – this will be passed on to C/Cllr Dadd.

4) TO RECEIVE MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting held on the 27th July 2015 had been circulated prior to the meeting. It was proposed by Cllr Colls and seconded by Cllr J Nickson that they be signed as a true record and agreed thereupon.

5) MATTERS ARISING FROM LAST MEETING

- a) **Parish Notice Board** – Cllr Jackson advised that funding was available for the purchase of the notice board – we need to get another agreement from the church.
- b) **Playing Field's Lease** – Cllr Colls introduced Jo from Eccles Heddon who had come along to the meeting to explain why the changes were needed and what had changed.
Cllr M Nickson asked what would happen if the Trustees change. Jo advised that this wouldn't affect the lease.
A check was made with all the Councillors to make sure that they were all happy with the new lease.
Cllr J Nickson was concerned that if the committee changed who would look after the buildings etc. Jo advised that it is a legal document so more binding.
Cllrs Jackson & J Nickson signed the document on behalf of the Parish Council.
- c) **Busby Stoop Roundabout** – Cllr M Nickson confirmed that he had completed all the relevant paperwork on the Parish Council's behalf and it was with NYCC Highways.
- d) **Carol Service** – Date will hopefully be 21st December but need to confirm this with the British Legion Band and the Church.
Cllr Jackson advised that the lights should go up on the tree at the beginning of December.
- e) **Any other matters arising** – None

6) TO RECEIVE CORRESPONDENCE

- a) Hambleton Parish Liaison Meeting is due to take place on 7th November – Cllr Jackson will try to attend.
- b) Parish Precept needs to be looked at soon – Clerk will start this as soon as possible.

7) PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

- a) **Grove House** – Approved
- b) **Plot 40 Kingfishers** – Cllr Jackson to view the site prior to final decision
- c) **The Poplars** – Approved
- d) **Alpine Close** – Approved

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8) PLANNING APPLICATION NOTICES RECEIVED FROM HDC

- a) Villa Cottage & Beechdene – Approved
- b) Church House – Granted

9) TO RAISE ANY HIGHWAY MATTERS

Cllr Jackson advised that the pavement opposite the school has started to sink due to its use for parking at school times.

10) APPROVAL OF PAYMENTS

- a) S Almack – for cleaning the bus shelter (Aug & Sep) - £14
- b) NYCC CMCP School – Room hire - £12
- c) Parish Clerk - (Salary Aug & Sep) - £191.02
(Stationery) - £ 79.19
Total - £270.21

d) Walkers (Grass cutting July & Aug) - £792.00

Approval proposed by Cllr Colls and seconded by Cllr M Nickson and agreed by all present.

11) TO RECEIVE CHAIRMAN AND COUNCILLORS' REPORT

Cllr Ridsdale said that the cost of a defibrillator would be £1524 including the cabinet having spoken to a gentleman in Wakefield. He has sent lots of information to her and is happy to answer any queries

Cllr M Nickson said that the Athletic Club were installing four – they need to be close to where someone is likely to have a heart attack. The Parish Council needs proper advice on the practicalities of having another one from a Doctor or practitioner.

Cllr J Nickson said that the Playing Field would be the logical place for it or maybe at the school.

Cllr Ridsdale wondered whether Carlton Lodge has one – she will find out.

12) TO RECEIVE OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST.

None

13) DATE OF NEXT MEETING - Monday 26th October 2015

Signed _____

A Colls (Chairman)

Date _____