

NORTH WINGFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of North Wingfield Parish Council held at 7.00pm on Tuesday 16th March 2021 via Zoom.com

Present:

Cllr N Barker

Cllr J Barry

Cllr J Fisher

Cllr G Blamire

Cllr D Edinboro

Cllr J Lilley

Cllr M Stanley

Cllr K Turton

Cllr P Williamson

In attendance –

Y Colverson - Clerk

Public Forum – One member of the public was present

Myspace – There are, once again, anti-social behaviour issues on Draycott Road. NEDDC have advised legal action will not go ahead following advice from their barrister. However, a management plan is in place and NEDDC have asked that all reports of anti-social behaviour should go to the police.

A meeting has been arranged for 26th March where residents, members of the community and myspace will discuss these issues and possible solution. Lee Rowley MP has been invited to this meeting.

BUSINESS

01/03/2021. Apologies for absence – to receive and approve apologies for absence and reasons given.

Cllr M Smith – not able to attend via Zoom

RESOLVED That these be approved.

02/03/2021. To receive declarations of interests - Members are reminded to declare any interest on any item on this agenda at this point or at any point during the meeting in accordance with North Wingfield Parish Council's Code of Conduct.

Cllr N Barker, Cllr J Barry & Cllr J Lilley declared an interest in item 06/03/2021 planning – all serve, or reserve, on NEDDC planning committee

03/03/2021. Minutes - To approve and sign minutes of the meetings held on 16th February 2021

RESOLVED That these minutes were approved as a true record of the meeting that took place on 16th February 2021 and were signed by the Chair

04/04/2021. Parish Clerk's Report –

Action taken following the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 16th February 2021

Public Forum

A letter has been sent to residents of Cromford Close regarding water runoff in their properties

NEDDC Engineers have been asked to inspect Hepthorne Lane playing field with a view to suggesting solutions to water running onto the play area

07/02/2021 a. An inspection of the trees adjacent to Dark Lane Cemetery and to the rear of houses at the junction of Williamthorpe Road and Williamthorpe Close. The following report has been received:

I've had a look at the cemetery for you on Dark Lane and there are around 7 dead trees in the beech hedge /tree line leading up the left hand side they are not huge like the rest of trees but still a couple are quite tall . The 2 large black poplar trees that's also on the left hand side have some dead branches that could do with being removed and would be also be worth considering a reduction there's also a cherry tree that could do with some light pruning works and removal of dead branches .

The oak tree that is in the bottom corner to the right hand side that is over hanging the road does also have dead and broken branches hanging in the canopy that could do with removing and also you may consider some general pruning works being done on this too

*NEDDC do not have any capacity to carry out this work until Winter 2021

There was no issues found with the trees to the side and rear of properties on Williamthorpe Close

07/02/21 b. Fencing has now been erected along the allotment hedge bordering Alice's View. Fencing to Hepthorne Lane Community Centre car park has been ordered but we do not have a date for the work to be carried out yet.

Other action

Damaged signposts on The Green and on the public footpath from Chesterfield Road onto five pits trail have been reported to DDC.

Community Centre Bar – We have been reimbursed the cost of two full barrels of beer, not used due to Covid restrictions.

RESOLVED That this information be received

05/01/2021. Exclusion of Public – To determine which items, if any, of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded.

RESOLVED Item 7c be discussed with the press and public excluded

06/03/2021 Planning

To consider planning policies, applications and appeals received and resolve to submit comments where appropriate. *[Town and Country Planning Act 1990, Sched. 7, para.8]*

Application Number: 21/00220/FLH

Proposal: Single storey side and rear extension with raised decking and balustrade to rear

Address: 103 St Lawrence Road North Wingfield Chesterfield

Application Number: 20/00133/LDC

Proposal: Conversion of part of existing stone barn to a small hairdressers (3 chairs, 1 stylist and 1 colour technician/apprentice). Reception area, toilet and salon area with replacement of existing door and to reinstate bricked up windows

Address: Lings Farm Birkin Lane Temple Normanton

Application Number: 21/00148/FLH

Proposal: Erection of a single story wooden shed to rear

Address: 4 Orchard View North Wingfield Chesterfield

RESOLVED That no objections or concerns were identified

07/03/2021 Items for Consideration and Decision

- a. Stephenson Charity– Cllr N Barker reported that the Stephenson Charity has received a letter from the current tenant of the land in Ashover requesting to purchase the land. This will have to be a decision of the Charity Committee, North Wingfield Parish Council requiring one other representative

Cllr J Lilley volunteered to sit on this committee

RESOLVED That Cllr J Lilley and Cllr N Barker will represent the Parish Council on the Stephenson Charity committee

- b. Community Centre – The Clerk reported that the current government guidance provides for the Community Centres to open from 12th April but with very limited activities. Leonard Cheshire are hoping to return one day a week after Easter with only vaccinated clients and staff attending. We have not had any contact from other users at this time.

RESOLVED that this information be received

- c. Common Land – item moved to the end of the meeting to be discussed with the press and public excluded.

08/03/2021 Items for Information Only

- a) Correspondence

Member of public – letter requesting a memorial bench to be placed on Hephthorne Lane playing field

RESOLVED That the request will be considered by the Streetscene committee

NEDDC Request to complete consultation regarding the proposed regulation of sex shops, sex cinemas and sexual entertainment venues.

RESOLVED This will be completed

Skatepark – letter requesting the skatepark be used for a community fun day

RESOLVED That the skatepark is not in an appropriate area or large enough to host an event

Jo Crawshaw-Moore (Economy Transport and Environment DCC) – Correspondence regarding alleged risk of flooding to properties neighbouring King George V playing field.

The Clerk added that she has had a discussion with Ms Crawshaw-Moore who has suggested the Parish Council monitor the situation, taking photographs and videos at times of heavy rain

RESOLVED That the Chair, Clerk and maintenance staff will monitor this and take photographs/video footage as evidence of water movement at times of heavy rain

- b) Items for Information
None received
- c) Items to be included in next agenda
None

09/12/2020 Finance

- a) Account Balances – To receive a report detailing account balances

Bank balances at 28.02.2021

Unity Trust	–	Current Account	20332790	£53,728.44
Unity Trust	–	CRC Instant Access	20332800	£6,592.96
CCLA	-	Capital Projects	0104550001	£73,889.19
CCLA	-	Allocated Funds	0104550002	£26,298.60
CCLA	-	General Reserves	0104550003	£41,317.46
Total				<u>£201,826.65</u>

RESOLVED That this information be received

- b) Accounts for Payment – Council were asked to review and approve items of expenditure

RESOLVED That all accounts for payment are approved

- c) Bank Reconciliation for approval– Council were asked to approve and sign bank reconciliations for February 2021 prepared (previously circulated)

RESOLVED That bank reconciliations for February 2021 are approved and signed by the Chair

CONFIDENTIAL ITEM

07/03/2021 Items for Consideration and Decision

c. Common Land

A request had been received to undertake remedial work to a track leading to a property across common land for which the permission of the Council is needed.

RESOLVED That the Chair and Clerk will meet on site. That work will be permitted but must not encroach further onto the common land and materials used must be sympathetic to the surrounding area.

Meeting closed at 8.10pm