

NEWTON UPON DERWENT PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on Wednesday 24th November 2021

The Meeting commenced at 7.45 pm

Open Forum Mrs Horsley attended to talk about the visit to Swanland Café, with a view to ideas for the planned Heritage Café in the Community Centre.
A resident has sent a message with concerns over the vehicles speeding through the village.

Present:

Councillors: Cllrs, Horsley, Burgess, Robinson, Wheeler & Readman

Officers: L Hill (Clerk)

Public: There was one member of the public present.

Apologies for absence Cllr K West for ERYC

Minutes of last meeting The minutes of the last full meeting were read and signed by the Chairman as a true record.

Declaration of interest None

Matters arising

PC land on the Ings Cllr Horsley has spoken to Clubleys but still going through the process with HM Land Registry.

Water on Highways Cllr Kay West has contacted Highways for an update.

Pathway near River Cllr Kay West followed up on the date for the cut. She was advised that ERYC will access via the Sutton upon Derwent end of the river path, so no access needed. ERYC also confirmed that the pathway across Newton land will be included in the 2022 programme.

Litter and Parking on Bull Balk

Clerk contacted Highways to ask for a " Passing Place only " sign and a " No littering " sign to be placed in each passing place on Bull Balk.

Siting of new grit bin Will be sited by Clerk once the old one has been removed.

Potholes On south end of village. Noted not yet repaired. To be monitored.

Heritage Grant Support Letter – letter produced by Clerk was read out to the Councillors. All were in support. The Chairman signed the letter and this was passed to Cllr Horsley to pass to Mrs Horsley, on behalf of the Council.

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Village upkeep:

Parking	The current situation is the same with many work vehicles parked around the north end of Main St. causing some issues. The builders are trying to keep the roadway free as much as possible.
Footpaths/verges	No new issues reported but it was noted that the general condition of the paths is deteriorating.
Roads	Waiting to see if work is carried out at south end of village
Litter	The cutting back of the hedges on Carr Lane has exposed lots of litter
Dog Fouling	No new issues reported

Correspondence: all e-mailed to Councillors prior to meeting

ERYC

- I. Jubilee funds available for celebrations*
- II. Western Parishes Liaison meeting 25/11/21
- III. ASB – 6 monthly statistics
- IV. Consultation Questionnaire on A64 Hopgrove roundabout traffic issue
- V. Overview & Scrutiny Committee – topics for future meetings

OTHER

- I. Police – Newsletter & Liaison meeting Q & A's
- II. NALC – Newsletter
- III. ERNLLCA - Civility & Respect newsletter
Newsletter
- IV. Rural Services Bulletin x 2
- V. Govt. Event – covid 19 effects on pupil learning Jan 22
- VI. Historic Towns & Villages news

*The Clerk agreed to contact Mandy Coop (chair of chapel committee) and Margaret Horsley (organiser of many village events) to see if any events are planned to celebrate the Queens Platinum Jubilee. Clerk will apply for funding, if requested.

Finance:

1. Bank Balances Nov 21 – passed around the Councillors.
2. Expenses to be paid
Mrs L Hill – Salary
Cutting Edge Painters – strip off old [paint and re-paint the telephone (de-fibrillator) box

Planning Applications - None

Next meeting – 15th December 2021 (Later cancelled due to uncertainty of being quorate and unclear instructions regarding the latest Omicron covid outbreak and how to hold a safe meeting.)

Meeting re-arrange for Weds 19th January 2022.

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