

# Braunston Parish Council

Parish Meeting held in the Village Hall on  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2012  
Minutes

## Present

In the Chair: Alan Mawar

Mesdames: Campbell, Longworth, Smith,

Messrs: Alsop, Canning, Chamberlain, Hawkins & Morgan.

**Apologies for absence:** Louis Prat

12.06.01	<b>Open forum for Members of the Public</b>
	There were no members of the public present
12.06.02	<b>Declaration of Interest</b>
	Hannah Smith, Abigail Campbell, Richard Hawkins and Andrew Canning sit on the village hall committee
12.06.03	<b>County Councillors Report (Robin Brown)</b>
	<p>Robin provided a background to his role within the County Council for the benefit of the new Parish Council; this role includes being chair of the Public Health and Well Being committee.</p> <p>He also reported that the budget reductions are still in place and that there will be a major reductions in the current bus subsidiaries although this will not affect Braunston as all services are run on a commercial basis</p> <p>The County Councillors empowering grant scheme is still running and Robin is looking for new bids for the forthcoming grant year.</p>
12.06.04	<b>District Councillors Report (Abigail Campbell)</b>
	<p>Abigail reported the following: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Scrutiny Committee has set up 2 task groups to investigate the Enterprise Waste Service and the District's Communications with the Parishes.</li><li>• DDC are looking at implementing Localism Act and Neighbourhood Plans, they have also been looking at the planning advice availability for these initiatives.</li><li>• Town Centre redevelopment should be out to consultation in June or July</li><li>• UTC is on course and should see building start in September 2012</li><li>• There have been a large amount of concerns over Middlemoor / Monksmoor school plans.</li></ul>
12.06.05	<b>Neighbourhood Plans</b>
	Alan Mawar & Abigail Campbell gave a background to the neighbourhood plan scheme and on a subsequent meeting with Welton PC.
12.06.06	<b>Approval of Last Meetings Minutes (21<sup>st</sup> May 2012)</b>
	It was proposed by Richard Hawkins, seconded by Pete Morgan and carried that these be accepted.
12.06.07	<b>Matters Arising from the Minutes</b>
	There were none
12.06.08	<b>Finance Report</b>
	<p>The clerk presented the financial report, it was proposed by Pete Morgan, seconded by Paul Chamberlain and carried that these be accepted.</p> <p><b>Accounts for Payment</b></p>

	It was proposed by Pete Morgan, seconded by Paul Chamberlain and carried that these amounts be paid.
12.06.09	<b>Churchyard</b>
	It was agreed that Andrew Alsop would represent the Parish Council on the Friends of All Saints Committee
12.06.10	<b>Highways</b>
	Abigail reported that she was keen to revisit the proposed cycleway between Braunston and Daventry.
12.06.11	<b>Jettyfields</b>
	Andrew Alsop reported the following: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Three lime trees had died and that a site meeting with the contractors had been arranged.</li> <li>• The next committee meeting will be in the following week</li> </ul> <p>Abigail Campbell left the meeting</p>
12.06.12	<b>Neighbourhood Watch &amp; Police</b>
	NHW – Nothing this month Police – The reports from PC Thompson were circulated
12.06.13	<b>New Councillor Co-option</b>
	Mark Fitzhugh has volunteered to be a councillor and it was agreed to co-opt him, an advert will be placed in the BVN for the other place.
12.06.14	<b>Playing Fields</b>
	No report this month
12.06.15	<b>Village Hall</b>
	It was agreed that Hannah Smith would be the Parish Council representative instead of Andrew Canning. (Following on from VH advice that one person cannot hold two trustee positions).
12.06.16	<b>Village Maintenance</b>
	A list of tasks were discussed and are in the maintenance book
12.06.17	<b>Items for Circulations</b>
	Have been distributed
	<b>Planning</b>
12.06.18	<b>DA/2012/0355 The Old Plough 82, High Street, Braunston, Northamptonshire, NN11 7HS</b>
	The Parish Council support this application
12.06.19	<b>DA/2012/0356 78, Church Road, Braunston, Northamptonshire, NN11 7HQ</b>
	The Parish Council support this application
12.06.20	<b>Jubilee Picnic</b>
	Alan Mawar reported that he had invited Peter & Brenda Hobbs and Peter & Chris Grossart to represent the parish at the recent Jubilee Picnic.