

Braunston Parish Council

Parish Meeting held in the Village Hall on
Monday 6th March 2017
Minutes

Present

In the Chair: Sandra Ashford

Mesdames: Adams, Cooper, Harrison, Iddins & Longworth

Messrs: Biggs, Johnson, Longley (CC), Mawer, Newman, Patchesa & Pritchard

Apologies for absence: none

17.03.01	Open forum for Members of the Public
	Maggie the community nurse attended the beginning of the meeting and introduced herself to the council and gave an outline of her background and the job that she will be undertaking.
17.03.02	Declaration of Interest
	Sandra Ashford is on Your Café Management Committee and a trustee of Braunston Charities Joanna Longworth is a trustee of Braunston Charities Jason Pritchard is on Your Café Management Committee, on the Village Hall Management Committee and trustee of Braunston Charities Sue Harrison owns land potentially part of the Braunston Trail and chair of Twinning Association
17.03.03	Clerks Actions since last meeting
	No updates this month
17.03.04	County & District Councillors Report
	County: Malcolm reported the following <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The annual budget has been agreed but will be very tight although capital budgets have fared a bit better• Kilsby Care Home will be closed and be offered to the private sector• Empowerment fund will be continued next year District: Jason reported that the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Potholes are an increasing problem, two areas at the moment are the A45 and Butlins Hill• Town Centre Vision: the next phase is out for consultation and includes a 3 screen cinema• The new Waste Management Contract has been awarded and will include 3 weekly black bin collections• Council tax – there have been changes to the benefits system which means the Council Tax relief will be less this year
17.03.05	Matters Arising from last minutes
	Lizzie Iddins agreed to be the Skateboard committee rep
17.03.06	Approval of Last Meetings Minutes (6th February 2017)
	These were proposed by Graham Newman, seconded by Peter Biggs and approved

17.03.07	Finance Report
	The clerk presented the monthly accounts report; it was proposed by Gemma Adams, seconded by Jo Longworth and carried that these be accepted. Accounts for Payment It was proposed by Graham Newman, seconded by Gemma Adams and carried that these amounts be paid including the figures of £756.27 for the BVN, £35.00 for the best villages competition and £25.00 for DACT
17.03.08	Best villages
	Susan Harrison thanked everyone for their contributions
17.03.09	Business Communications
	It was agreed to proceed with the idea of a business email group, Jason agreed to write an article to publise for the BVN
17.03.10	Litter Notices
	After discussion it was agreed to contact Julie Jarrett to clarify what she actually wants to put up and where
17.03.11	Twining
	Sue Harrison reported that there will be 23 adults and 9 children in the visiting party. Parking for the coach had been arranged in The Plough
17.03.12	Braunston Charities
	No report this month
17.03.13	Community Car
	It was reported that the scheme is struggling for drivers and needs more support, at the moment Wendy Wilson is the main contact
17.03.14	Jetty Fields
	No report
17.03.15	Playing Fields
	No report
17.03.16	Village Hall
	Jason Pritchard reported that more organisations had expressed an interest in the Best of event and that it has been agreed to extend the Braunston discount to any young person attending the village school.
17.03.17	Your café
	No questions on report
17.03.18	Neighbourhood Plans
	Alan Mawer reported the following: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They is £972 in the pot and this can now be returned to general reserves • A3 boards will be stored in the parish storage space • The referendum result was 434 for and 76 against • Welton parish Council have asked for advise • The spare documents will be put in the parish storage space
17.02.19	Items for Circulation
	There were none that had not been circulated electronically