

Braunston Parish Council

Parish Meeting held in the Village Hall on
Monday 7th September 2015
Minutes

Present

In the Chair: Pete Morgan

Mesdames: Ashford, Campbell, Harrison

Messrs: Biggs, Fitzhugh, Johnson, Mawer, Patchesa & Prat

Apologies for absence: Graham Newman, Malcolm Longley (CC)

15.09.01	<i>Open forum for Members of the Public</i> The Admiral Nelson presented a cheque to the Parish Council for use on the skateboard project following on from the recent music festival. A vote of thanks was given to Mark and Pam The residents of 3 Willoughby Cottages attended to allow for any questions on their planning application for tree work, they were informed that the Parish had already supported their application Emma Parry of DDC gave a presentation on a proposed Social Isolation project, she asked whether the Parish Council would take part in the pilot. The Parish agreed to take part and councillors Morgan, Harrison and Biggs agreed to assist
15.09.02	<i>Declaration of Interest</i> Louis Prat is chair of the Playing Field Association and owns the shop where the community café is based. Sue Harrison owns land potentially part of the Braunston Trail
15.09.03	<i>County & District Councillors Report</i> County No report this month District Abigail reported the following <ul style="list-style-type: none">• There will be a Festival of Education on the 10th October• Planning Application for further Education Campus was agreed last week• New MIND has been officially opened• The Bridge at the Country Park has reopened• Strategy Group is due to decide on the Dog Control Orders• Continues to work on buses Ashlawn School• Has identified some platters and hopes to get done in the next week or so
15.09.04	<i>Matters Arising from last minutes</i> It was agreed that the vacancy should be advertised in the BVN and on the website BVN – next articles are as follows Sue, Richard and Chris Community Café – constitution is nearly ready and there will be an AGM on the 20 th October Braunston Charities – new constitution is being drafted
15.09.05	<i>Approval of Last Meetings Minutes (3rd August 2015)</i>

	<p>Amendments – MF was not in attendance and 15.08.10 should refer to the Air Ambulance.</p> <p>With these amendments it was proposed by Louis Prat, seconded by Sue Harrison and carried that the minutes be approved.</p>
15.09.06	<i>Finance Report</i>
	<p>The clerk presented the monthly accounts report; it was proposed by Sandra Ashford, seconded by Peter Biggs and carried that these be accepted.</p> <p><i>Accounts for Payment</i> It was proposed by Peter Biggs, seconded by Alan Mawer and carried that these amounts be paid.</p>
15.09.07	<i>Best Village Competition</i>
	The clerk agreed to forward the details from last year's competition
15.09.08	<i>Braunston Trail</i>
	Nothing to report, the next meeting will be in about two weeks' time
15.09.09	<i>Capri Marquee</i>
	The clerk explained the booking system and the details behind the scheme. It was agreed that all the information should be placed on the web site.
15.09.10	<i>Churchyard</i>
	Nothing this month
15.09.11	<i>Community Car</i>
	Abigail reported that the car passed its MOT, more promotion is in the pipeline and a committee meeting next week is going to discuss the potential for opening up the scheme to journeys outside the village.
15.09.12	<i>Event Planner</i>
	The next event is the 26 th September (Air Ambulance) on The Green, Councillors Campbell, Morgan and Mawer agreed to attend
15.09.13	<i>Flag Pole</i>
	It was agreed that a formal proposal needed to be put to the Parish Council at the next meeting
15.09.14	<i>Highways</i>
	<p>The clerk agreed to report the following: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Meter cover missing outside the Plough • Yellow Lines on Welton Road • Butlins Hill – spring and potholes • Potholes on Barby Road • SL 64 on Spinney Hill not working • Potholes on Ashby Road • Overhanging Bushes on footpath between High Street and Church Road
15.09.15	<i>Jettyfields</i>
	Andrew Alsop submitted usual monthly report (copy attached)
15.09.16	<i>Local Code of Conduct</i>
	It was proposed by Peter Biggs, seconded by Sandra Ashford and carried that the Parish Council adopted the DDC Local Code of Conduct

15.09.17	<i>National Policy For The Built Environment</i>
	It was agreed that councillors would get comments to Abigail Campbell within the next 14 days
15.09.18	<i>Neighbourhood Planning</i>
	<p>Responses have started to come in and the next meeting is planned for the 28th September</p> <p>It was agreed that the supplementary proposals be followed up and the following councillors agreed to start the process although would not necessarily have to complete all the works</p> <p>Play Spaces – Abigail Campbell Buses – Abigail Campbell, Sandra Ashford, Pete Morgan Alan Mawer agreed to look at existing Bus Shelters and provision for shelter at the currently used Bus Stops</p> <p>Biodiversity – Alan Mawer Business Links – Suggestion is to approach Daxa and Andre, Pete Morgan agreed to chair the first meeting</p> <p>Sports/Recreation – to be advertised in BVN</p> <p>It was agreed that all projects should be advertised to encourage villagers to take part.</p>
15.09.19	<i>Playing Fields</i>
	<p>Louis Prat reported the following: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Negotiating with FA to bring second pitch into use • Football and Family Day this Sunday • Offer from Wickstead Leisure to lend some new Play Equipment • Potential for Nov 5th party • Discussions ongoing re maintaining football pitches
15.09.20	<i>Skateboard Sub Committee</i>
	<p>Abigail reported the following: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steve Rolt has resigned as chair • The Awards for All grant application due in the next two weeks • New members of the committee are to be sought
15.09.21	<i>Street party – Queens 90th Birthday</i>
	It was agreed that Louis would prepare a questionnaire for the 26 th to gauge interest in whether a street party is wanted
15.09.22	<i>Village Hall</i>
	<p>The following was reported</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No meeting in August • Resurfacing has been delayed
15.09.23	<i>Village Maintenance</i>
	A list of tasks were discussed and are in the maintenance book
15.09.24	<i>Items for Circulation</i>
	There were none