

BROOMFLEET PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting held on 10th November, 2015 in the Village Hall, Broomfleet at 7.30 p.m.

Present: Messrs. J.L. Gibbons (Chair), L. Platts, G. Copley, R. Harper. MesDames. S. Hall, D.Platts (Clerk).

PARISH MEETING

Time allowed for Members of the Public to ask questions or make statements to the Parish Council on any matter(s) they may have a concern or interest in. There were no matters to discuss. The meeting then continued with the Parish Council meeting.

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1. **Apologies:** Mr. J. Hutchinson, Mrs. N. Shipley

2. **Declaration of Pecuniary/Non-Pecuniary Interests:**

The Members as Trustees of the Children's Playground and Playing Field/Recreation Ground declared a representative non-pecuniary interest only in this matter. There were no other interests to be declared.

3. **Minutes:**

The minutes of the meeting held on 13th October 2015 have been circulated, were then approved and signed.

4. **Outstanding Matters**

EN/09/00066/UNWORK – The Bungalow, Fenland Lane, Broomfleet.

Cessation of the use for residential purposes

Removal of polytunnel and a shed

Emailed ERYC for updates 04.11.15. No reply as yet, will advise when we have a response.

5. **Children's Playground**

Gate securing still to be done, Mr. Gibbons acknowledged that he still has this to complete, he will try to complete this before the next meeting, but due to work commitments, he has had little time. Mr. Platts told Mr. Gibbons to let he know when he is to do the gate securing and he will come and help.

6. **Christmas Tree Event**

Mr. Gibbons said that he will order the tree 13.11.15 and request delivery 27.11.15 as planned, he also said that he will still be free to put the lights on the tree. Mr. Platts passed around the leaflet he had designed, with the picture he had chosen for the colouring competition, all agreed that the leaflets were good and to proceed with getting them printed. Ms. Hall asked if we are still to do guess the weight of the cake, as her contact will do this free of charge, all agreed that was a good idea and to charge 50p a go. Ms. Hall asked if we should have a cake stall, but it was decided by the majority, that with the free refreshments including cake, mince pies that it was not needed, Mr. Harper pointed out that we are not to make money from this event but to cover costs only. Mrs. Platts asked if we wanted to double the quantity of mulled drinks like last year or cut back as per previous years, all decided as it is a great success to double up as per 2014. Mrs. Platts said that she was contacted by a member of the public to see if we could have hot chocolate this year, after discussion it was agreed to leave it as tea, coffee, soft drinks and mulled drinks. Mr. Copley asked if we needed more lights, but Mr. Platts said we have a 1000

Lights and that should be sufficient. Mr. Platts asked about the colouring competition, as a household with more than one person wishing to partake will only have one leaflet through the door, and what was the best way to sort this issue. Mr. Platts said that he would post more through the doors which he knew had more than one child, but he was not sure for the whole village. This was discussed and the best plan would be to leave spare leaflets in the village hall for people to get more copies if required.

7. Bench – Ellerker Road/Main Street Corner

Bench to be secured by Mr. Copley and Mr. Platts who will liaise with each other, a concrete base is to be completed on site before the bench can be secured. ETA for completion is now before spring as the bench will no longer be used as frequently as the weather has turned.

8. British Red Cross – FES East & North Yorkshire

British Red Cross in Yorkshire has asked the Parish Council to please consider supporting the attached appeal which would benefit the people of Broomfleet. British Red Cross is raising funds to purchase and equip and train volunteers to run a new Fire and Emergency Support (FES) vehicle. The vehicle and volunteers are called out by the fire service to help people who sometimes have lost everything in a house fire. The fire service must leave the scene for the next emergency at a property. This was discussed and it was decided for the Clerk to gain more information.

9. Correspondence

ERYC

Parish owned street light electrical tests on pole mounted lights – All seen

ASB 6 month statistics – All seen

Rural Strategy Invite – No interest

HSBC – Howden branch to close - Noted

10. Publications

East Riding Parish News Issue 90/ November 2015

Clerks & Councils Direct Issue 102/ November 2015

Handed out.

11. Accounts:

October 2015

Income Received Since Last Meeting or Not Declared at Last Meeting

Community Account

None

Money Manager Account (quarterly statements)

None

Money Manager Account – Playground (quarterly statements)

Interest 26.09.15 £ .08

Accounts Paid Since Last Meeting or Not Declared at Last Meeting

Community Account

£5803.81

Mr Copley (Petrol) 08.09.15 – 465 Not Cashed

£ 18.50

ERYC (Street Lights) 27.10.15 – 468 Not Cashed

£ 395.51

Balances as per statements received October 2015

Community Account	01.10.15 – 24.10.15	£6217.82
Money Manager Account	01.10.15 – 24.10.15	£ 976.69
Money Manager Account – Playground Account	28.07.15-27.10.15	£ 561.69

Accounts checked and confirmed ok by Chair

12. Any Other Business

Ms. Hall asked if we could send a letter to the owners of the property on the corner of Little Lane as the street light which is pole mounted is obscured by bushes/trees from their property. Mr. Gibbons asked the Clerk to send a letter.

Ms. Hall asked what is occurring at Sundown on Carr Lane near the station as from the village all you can hear is constant barking. Clerk advised that a member of public has been in contact in regards to this already and the dog warden is aware and looking into the complaint.

Ms. Hall asked what we all thought of the road repairs on Main / Ellerker road as she thinks they are inadequate, Mr. Copley agrees. Mr. Harper and Mr. Platts think they are a vast improvement, and the only concerns they have are of the poor joining. Mr. Gibbons suggested that we monitor the road especially during and after winter and see if the surface begins to fail were they have been join, then we can report them if needed.

Mr. Gibbons advised that the manhole cover is off again in-between Wayside and Holme Garth and asked if the clerk can report this again, as it has been knocked again when ERYC came to cut the grass last. Mr. Platts said that the brickwork for the manhole needs repairing, and that the Clerk should report this also. Mr. Platts offered to take photos if needed to send to ERYC.

Mr. Copley asked if anyone had objection if he took the lawnmower in for a service, all agreed. Mr. Platts asked how much is a service, and would Mr. Copley need a cheque in advance to pay on completion. Mr. Copley said he would find out and ask Clerk if he needs a cheque.

Mr. Copley suggested that we have another meeting purely for the Xmas event to see what is left to do and to organise last minute tasks if needed. All agreed that is was a good idea and chose 01.12.15 for the meeting.

13. Date of Next Meeting

Tuesday 12th January 2016

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.30 P.M.

Chair:

Date: