

KIRMINGTON & CROXTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of Kirmington & Croxton Parish Council, held on Tuesday, 12th November, 2013, at Kirmington Bowls Club.

Present - Cllr Hannigan, Cllr Wells, Cllr Bridges, Cllr Walton, Cllr Gallimore, Cllr Page

The meeting was chaired by Vice-Chairperson Cllr Hannigan.

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01.11.13- To note Apologies for Absence

Cllr Marsden, Cllr Clark, Cllr Wardle

02.11.13 - Declarations of Interest need to be remade and recorded in the minutes even if an interest has been declared in the register

Cllr Wells declared a personal interest in any item on the agenda in connection with North Lincolnshire Council as he is a Representative.

03.11.13- To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 8th October, 2013

These were confirmed as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Page and seconded by Cllr Wells.

04.11.13 - Public Participation

None

05.11.13 - To receive the Chairmans Report - an update on decisions taken at previous meetings

All items were covered on the agenda.

06.11.13 - To receive an update from the Airport Consultative Committee meeting and Noise Monitoring

Clerk read out the following statement by Airfield Operations Manager, Chris Wild, from ACC minutes dated 29.10.13.

- Unfortunately Humberside Airport is reliant on Manchester Airport to access the noise data and produce the noise reports on our behalf. Due to technical issues there was a delay in the reports being updated for the period May - September, however this has been overcome and the reports are now on the Humberside Airport website. During the outage period we have been working hard to establish our own standalone system to enable us to produce the reports without the ongoing assistance of Manchester Airport. This work has now concluded successfully and there

should be no further technical issues in the report production.

07.11.13 - To receive any updates from NATS and discuss any items to be raised at the next NATS meeting and any further Police Matters and any updates on Country & Wildlife Crime

Cllr Hannigan reported that Cllr Marsden had spoken to the Police Commissioner (Matthew Groves) and informed him that he is looking for residents who are horse owners to be involved in looking for unsavory people within villages. He is also aiming for CCTV cameras to be placed on entrances to every village.

The next NATS meeting is due to be held on 12th December.

08.11.13 - To receive a report from Local Councillors updating the Parish Council on activities within North Lincolnshire Council and determine further action

Cllr Wells reported that free parking has been introduced in Brigg and Scunthorpe during Xmas Shopping events.

Cllr Wells also informed that the 30mph speed reduction will be introduced shortly in Melton Ross.

09.11.13 - (a) To consider any further Highways matters within the Parish for the Clerk to take up with North Lincolnshire Council

Clerk advised of the refusal of NLC permission for the brown tourist signs to be fitted advising of the 'squadron memorial.' She read out email drafted by Cllr Marsden appealing to Cllr Nigel Sherwood to reconsider this decision. All Councillors present approved for Clerk to send the appeal. All agreed if NLC then approve the brown signs to then reconsider the locations, as it is felt that the signs perhaps do not need to be placed on the A18.

Clerk advised of NLC response to the experimental weight restriction on the C137, advising this is a low priority at present.

Clerk advised of NLC decision over flashing speed signs in Croxton. They cannot fund at present. It was resolved to accept Singleton-Birch offer of paying for a flashing speed sign. The location suggested is near to the Old-Keepers Cottage, towards Ulceby and another post near Cllr Gallimore's house for the sign to be swapped over if this is possible. Clerk to arrange further site visit with Roy Hindmarsh and Cllr Gallimore to confirm site details.

Cllr Page has had a site visit from Wayne Hill at North Lincolnshire Council. He has pointed out the village issues in both villages which includes - Pot Holes at East End lane being filled in, hedges in both

villages being cut back to clear the footpaths, path from Kirmington school to the end of the road will be sealed, Forty Foot Lane the kerbs will be pointed out, gulleys in both villages will be cleared, the flooding under Croxton bridge has been noted and will be investigated, hedges at Fisks farms will be looked into, Wayne will contact the Yarborough Estate regarding hedges. Clerk to write letter to Wayne confirming the above jobs to be dealt with and confirm once carried out.

Cllr Page informed that NLC only have 1 working roadsweeper at the present time.

Cllr Gallimore advised there is a child who walks to Kirmington School from Croxton and the footpath is not safe. She will speak to their parents to see if they require transport and contact Cllr Wells if they do to see if this can be funded due to the state of the footpath.

(b) To consider any quotations for 'squadron memorial' brown sign
Keep on Agenda

(c) To consider any quotations for Kirmington Village signs
Waiting for quote from Bill Gregory of Caistor. Cllr Page asked Clerk to resend the details as the company has mislaid original email.

10.11.13 (a) - To receive planning decisions made by North Lincolnshire Council and consider any planning applications received where comments have to be submitted before the next meeting

None

11.11.13 - Any Updates on Singleton Birch AD Plant

Cllr Gallimore reported they are still on track for March 2014.

12.11.13 - Any Updates on Pimlico Farm

Cllr Marsden sent message advising it appears to be up and running, there is a lot of dirt on surrounding roads, but unsure who is responsible.

13.11.13 -(a) - To discuss progress on the Playing Field and work to date

Cllr Walton recently cut the field for the football team.

Waterman's have attended for kissing gate quote, Clerk to chase up.

Cllr Page has treated 1 table; he will purchase some more cuprinol to treat the other 2. (This was previously approved).

(b) - To consider the proposal of a pavilion on the Playing Field

Keep on agenda.

14.11.13 - To discuss any further ideas for the layout of the Parish Council Website

Football Fixtures are now displayed.

Cllr Page will pass some Halloween Pictures to Clerk to be displayed.

15.11.13 - To discuss Remembrance Day 2013

The event was very well attended as it was very wet/windy weather. 10 wreaths in total were laid. School children attended, the school has requested if next year perhaps veterans would go to the school after the event to talk to the children.

Clerk to send email of thanks to both the School and to Rev'd Mary Vickers.

Also send £20 cheque with letter of thanks to Bugler, Daniel Clark.

16.11.13 - Any updates regarding Broadband Speeds in the Parishes

No further updates.

17.11.13 - Correspondence

North Lincolnshire Council - Community Champion Award - Thanking for application nominating Peter Lancaster and advising he has not been shortlisted - Noted - Cllr Page has taken the letter to show Peter.

Invite to Mayors Charity Dinner on 08.02.14 - Clerk read out - Councillors to confirm their attendance at the next meeting - Noted

Complaint email - regarding noise at a private event held by resident in Kirmington on 1st November - This was discussed and resolved this is a private matter, not a Parish Council issue. Clerk to reply and advise should any further incidents occur this should be reported to NLC Environmental team or possibly the police.

Leaflet regarding logging valuables - Cllr Hannigan will display on notice board - Noted.

Kit Read has passed an obituary from the Grimsby Telegraph of a former resident - Sam Townsend who is a former soldier from Kirmington who has passed away - Put on agenda for next meeting when Cllr Marsden is present for further discussion.

18.11.13 - Accounts

(a) To approve the October accounts. These were approved as a true and accurate record. Proposed by Cllr Page and seconded by Cllr Bridges.

(b) To discuss the request for a contribution towards the Kirmington

Pensioners Lunch

It was resolved to approve £180 from the Chairmans Allowance. All Councillors present agreed.

19.11.13 - Minor Items

Cllr Bridges is concerned that many vehicles are using the woods/layby before the Brocklesby Arch as a toilet. Clerk to inform Brocklesby Estate and ask for any preventative measures.

Vacancy - Clerk has a poster from NLC to be displayed on 03.12.13 giving residents option of voting for election by 23.12.13. If this does not happen Clerk will advertise vacancy in the New Year to be discussed at February meeting to co-opt person.

20.11.13- Agenda Items for the next meeting

To decide on Parish precept for 2014-2015

To discuss Grimsby Telegraph article on Sam Townsend

21.11.13 - To confirm the date and time of the next meeting as Tuesday, 2nd December, 2013 at 7.30pm.

This was confirmed.