

Little Houghton Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held Monday 3rd November 2008

Present: Mr J. Betton (Chairperson)
Mrs J. James (Clerk to the Council)

Attended:

Action

The meeting is not quorate only urgent business transacted and an update given on matters arising

1. Questions from Parishioners

None

2. Apologies

Apologies were received from Mr Keating, Mrs Turner, Mrs Harris.

3. Declarations of Office, Code of Conduct and Register of Interest

Declaration for the Register of Interest are due from Mrs Seymour and Mr Keating

4. Minutes of previous meeting 8th September

The minutes of the above meeting were agreed and signed as a correct record.

5. Matters arising

Traffic issues in Little Houghton

There has been no further communication as a result of Darren Richardson taking over appointment of Assistant Director for Highways & Engineering in respect of the number of outstanding highways issues. White lining has been repainted in some areas.

Play equipment Little Houghton & Health & Safety checks on Playground Equipment

Lightmain Leisure have installed the wooden ramp in Little Houghton, recent playground inspections are satisfactory.

Grass verge Middlecliffe Lane/Rotherham Road

Mr Betton reported that Neighbourhood Pride have cut the grass to ensure improved visibility at the junction however further cutting is needed.

6. Correspondence

Barnsley MBC Planning decisions – noted

Barnsley MBC – Planning Application Detached bungalow land Adj Colliery Farm – no objection.

Barnsley MBC Parish & Town Council Charter – noted

Barnsley MBC Agenda for 14th Oct Parish Council's Liaison Committee

Barnsley MBC Joint Strategic Waste Plan

YLCA Ballot to elect 2 additional Parish Council representatives

Communities & Local Government – Communities in Control – noted

7. Finance

Accounts are due for payment from:

Mr. Gerrard Payment Sept/Oct

£

91.68

Mrs J James Fee & expenses

200.52

Middlecliffe Club – Nov rent

20.00

Lightmain Leisure

705.00

Income

Interest on Barnsley MBC Investment Account

227.89

Transfer from Investment Account

2000.00

Financial Statement

Current Account

1,560.66

Investment Account

10,050.00

There was unanimous agreement to the payment of the above accounts.

8. Any other business

Dumping rear of 11 Middlecliffe Lane

The resident has been advised to report the illegal dumping to Environmental Health

9. Date of next meeting

The next meeting **8th December 2008** in Middlecliffe WMC.

Cc to Cclrs R Fisher, T Smith, D. Wainwright

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