

SHUDY CAMPS PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 11th APRIL 2024 AT 7.30PM IN ST MARY'S CHURCH, CHURCH ROAD, SHUDY CAMPS.

Present : Councillors Anita Kiddy (Chair), Justin Plumb (Vice Chair), Simon Powell, Paul Malins

In attendance: Jackie Dockerill (Parish Clerk)

Members of the public: 3

1. OPEN FORUM

- Mr & Mrs Davis of Sunnyside attended the meeting in respect of the bus stopping outside of their property. Mr Davis showed the councillors official documents including the Highway Code to confirm that a bus should not stop outside parallel to the access of a private property. Mr Davis also confirmed that this no longer happens since the Police became involved in 2022
- Mr Bromley (No 2 Nosterfield End) attended to report the issues previously emailed to the Parish Council in Mar 24.

The septic tank serving properties number 1 & 2 discharges into the ditch across the lane. It needs to be replaced with a domestic sewage treatment plant but this needs the ditches to be free flowing to operate, which is not currently the case. Mr Bromley has been put in touch with the other residents, so that he can ensure that the works also cover the ditches at his end of the road

Mr Bromley will supply a sketch to illustrate the issues which will hopefully aid the resolution of this.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received from Councillor Sharon Kell, Councillor Henry Batchelor, Councillor John Batchelor

3. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 14th MARCH 2024

RESOLVED: that the Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 14th March 2024 approved as a correct record.

4. MATTERS ARISING ON THE MINUTES

No matters were reported.

5. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made

6. DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCILLORS' REPORTS

RECEIVED: Apr 24 (previously circulated to Councillors and uploaded to SCPC website and Phonebox)

The councillors were unable to attend the meeting, so no further comments were made.

7. FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS

REPORTED: that the balance of £9779.71 in the Treasurer's Account at 5th April 2024

REPORTED: The following payments/receipts were made since the last meeting and authorised by the Parish councillors

SSE Mar24 charge DD 28/03/24	13.14
Clerk Wages Jan24 to Mar24	892.45
HMRC Paye Qtr 4	18.55
Red Shoes Payroll Charges Qtr 4	43.20

REPORTED: Following expense were approved for payment

J Pledger Audit 2023	60.00
Capalc Annual Subs 24/25	234.94

REPORTED : the balances of £8 in the Social Club Account and £8794.35 in the s106 account on 5th April 2024

8. PLANNING MATTERS

- i) 23/02626/CONDB : Bangs Close, Shudy Camps – awaiting decision

9. Highways and Related Matters

- Jubilee Green Application – no further update to report
- Flooding Nosterfield End

No further communication to report since the last meeting.

- LHI 2324 / Post relocation

AK has been in contact with Highways regards the post location on Carsey Hill. They have confirmed that they are willing to move the post but the cost has yet tbc. The delivery date for the device has yet to be confirmed.

- Telephone Boxes

Main Street - JP is awaiting a callback from UK Power to confirm if there is power to the phone box.

Nosterfield End : no action required at this time

- Lawnmower: Repair / Replacement

PM has contacted a number of suppliers for quotes and all are offering similar prices. It was decided to proceed with an online company who will deliver. The cost will be in the region of £2700. PM to purchase the machine and be reimbursed.

- Grass Cutting in village

Glebe House has informed the parish council that it is unable to cut the grass in 3 locations as previously agreed, the locations are Jubilee Green, Verge with the bus stop opposite the Church and Alice's bench.

Michael Kiddy / Simon Powell / Justin Plumb have agreed to cut these locations respectively.

10. **ELECTION OF NEW CHAIR**

AK confirmed that she will not be standing as Chair Year 24/25.

11. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING** - Thurs 9th May 2024 (Annual Parish Meeting + Annual Parish Council Meeting)

12. **MEETING ATTENDED/FORTHCOMING AND TRAINING ATTENDED**

"Unlocking the Potential of Your Parish: How the Planning Team Can Support You as a Parish Clerk." – Wed 17th April at Cambourne Chambers FOC : Clerk has signed up

There being no further business, the meeting concluded at 20.45 pm