

BADGER FARM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 8th June 2015

PRESENT: John Godbold (Chairman) Rhian Dolby Fenella Jarvis
Monica Pelling Heather Nicholson Simon Fletcher Julie Lacey

Clerk: - Vivienne A Brooks

WCC – Brian Laming

WCC – Patrick Fancett

1313. Apologies- Cllr Upton, Cllr Bailey – HCC.

1314. Minutes of the Meeting of 11th May 2015

The minutes were signed by the Chairman (**JG**)

1315. Reports and Recommendations from Working Parties

c) Planning

(BL) There are no permitted developments at all on Badger Farm, however we have had an incident of a large roof conversion and dormer appeared. The works have been reported, the Enforcement Officer has stopped the work and we will probably be getting retrospective planning application. This application will be dealt with as and when it comes forward.

(BL) Ivy Close – the fence fell down, would council be happy with it being replaced with dragons teeth (access onto Clarendon Way) – yes we would.

(BL) Contractor has been fined for not completing the works outside of Larkhill Rise – Noted.

h) Community Centre Lease Compliance.

(BL) with not having to do the roof our funds did not exceed those held. We will be seeking funding in the next 12 months for future works. Discussion took place on the issue of the boilers and other heat sources.

(FJ) reported to (BL) the trees overhanging the path from Sainsburys these will be reported.

(BL) left the meeting.

a) Police

We note that we have a new PCSO that will be reporting in the future. (JL) had attended the PACT meeting and reported that staff has again been reduced to 6 PC's and 9 PCSO's. We are still in the south ward with Oliver's Battery and Stanmore.

Could we get a SLR speed sign for the estate? The Clerk will enquire if any other parish would wish to come in with us.

Residents are advised to have their cycles post coded either at the time of purchase or at local shops.

The next PACT meeting will be held on June 24th at Peter Symonds College at 7:30pm

b) Open Space

A large tree branch had fallen down during the storm and the tree has been removed. We do not know if there are plans to replace it. Many garden items had been found around the estate that included a trampoline blown by the wind.

d) Play Equipment

(i) "In-house" fortnightly play equipment inspections have not been received this month to date.

e) Transport

(RD) had circulated a report prior to this meeting. The full HCC survey took over 90 minutes to complete (spending priorities.)

f) Communications – No report.

(g) Parish Lengthsman – due 22nd June.

Add all the paths from the Davis Play area. Plus those from Kestrel Close.

(i) Whiteshute Ridge.

The paths all need cutting back again.

(j) County Council Report – No report.

(L) Notice Board rep – More posters would be welcome we will have the relate posters and the electoral review poster put up.

N) Newsletter Rep – (HN)

1316 Play Ground Safety – feedback from the May meeting – (HN)

56 responses and the Davis Kick a bout area came out marginally favoured for redevelopment.

Silverwood, Fallow & Falcon Close sent back responses more than other areas on the estate.

There was a wide range of ideas fencing was popular, as overwhelmingly was adult fitness equipment.

At the Davis the slide was not liked, Benches and picnic tables would be appreciated and an in ground round-a-bout.

We wish to move this forward and there will be a meeting on 6th July at 8:30pm Larkhill Rise.

1317. Correspondence.

1. Email Cllr Laming re the bus survey – circulated previously.
2. Police report on Elder Close Incident – no further reports from PCSO Window.
3. Relate – posters can we put them up please.
4. BFCC – increase on the room hire to £25.00 though we note that June 1st we paid £21.29.
5. Cllr Bailey – (copied to Cllr Upton) the report on the electrical charging points at the Winchester Park and Ride.
6. pink list of meetings at WCC.
7. Local Government Boundary Commission letter re the Electoral Review of Hampshire – does anyone want a copy, poster for the statutory notice board passed to (JG)
8. NALC – Legal briefing re the Religious Observance Act 205 – previously circulated.
9. Email HALC re a picture to encapsulate the parish – Whiteshute Ridge.
10. Email WCC re a recycling map of all the parishes – completed by Council and the Clerk will notify the City Council.

1318. Finance/Reports to be Paid as Listed.

00761 V A Brooks Salary/Expenses. £450.19

Balances.

Carry forward £51,484.10

Income to date £18,695.45

Expenditure to date £ 4,383.05

Cash in hand £65,796.50

This includes the cheque above plus £20.69 VAT refunded.

The cheques was agreed and signed.

1319. Councillors Questions – None.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8:40pm

Next Meeting July 13th 2015

Signed

Date