

DUDDON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday 27 January 2011 in the Rankin Room Victory Hall, Broughton-in-Furness

Present Cllr Albion, Cllr Burch (chair) Cllr Curwen, Cllr V Glessal, Cllr Johnson, Cllr Knowles, Cllr Longworth, Cllr Warwick

Cllr Knowles advised that she would need to leave early.

01/11 Apologies

Cllr Kirkbride

02/11 Minutes

Resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on 25 November 2010 be signed by the chair as a true record.

03/11 Declaration of Interests

Cllr Glessal declared an interest in agenda item 11 – Victory Hall
A planning application (Car Park) had been received since the agendas had been sent out and Cllr Knowles, Cllr Burch, Cllr Curwen and Cllr Glessal all declared an interest in the application.

04/11 Local Police Report

The police were in attendance and reported the following crimes:-

1. Theft from a secure portacabin in Grizebeck
2. An outbuilding at Wreaks had been broken into.
3. A non dwelling on Foxfield Road had been broken into.

An update was given on anti social behavior and the police advised that deer poaching was still a priority.

Cllr Curwen left the room.

The police sergeant gave an update on the restructuring and gave the details of the 5 PC's covering the area.

Cllr Curwen re-entered the room.

05/11 County Cllr Salisbury

County Cllr Claire Salibury was in attendance and gave updates on the following:-

1. The Better Highways Project.
County Cllr Salisbury urged people to report any potholes.
2. The speedtables in Church Street.

The next traffic calming meeting is next week. Some traffic calming measures are in the draft transport implementation plan.

She has a meeting with property services on Monday and expect that CCC will release the field for allotment use for a nominal fee.

County Cllr Salisbury also advised that Amey finish in March 2012.

County Cllr Salisbury also advised that it will be August before Eddie Martin will be able to attend a Duddon Parish Council Meeting.

06/11 Public Participation.

Concern was raised regarding the cost of the removal and replacement of the speedbumps.

It was suggested that before making a decision on the public toilets it should be costed.

It was also suggested that the council apply to CGP for the remainder of the money towards the streetlight.

Several concerns were raised regarding the car park planning application.

The public want to be able to park outside their houses and do not want yellow lines.

The council were reminded that they represent all the residents in Broughton.

07/11 Cllr J Barker – Resignation

Cllr Burch read out Cllr J Barkers resignation letter. It was agreed that the council will not co-opt a new councilor as it is so near to the local elections. It was also agreed that Cllr Burch would write a thank you letter.

Cllr Barker had represented Duddon Parish Council as a trustee on a number of charities. The clerk was tasked with writing a letter to the charities.

08/11 Clerk and Correspondence

To note items of correspondence received since the last meeting.

It was agreed to nominate Cllr Burch for the Royal Garden Party.

Cllr Knowles left the meeting.

Cllr Burch and Cllr Curwen left the room.

09/11 Planning Applications

LDNPA – 7/2010/5617 – 2 Peel House, Church St, Broughton-in-Furness

Proposed construction of balcony to rear- no objections

SLDC – SL/2010/1031 – Wreaks End Farm, Broughton-in-Furness

Extension of time condition on SL/20070656 – This application has been granted planning permission.

It was agreed that there would be an extra meeting to discuss the car park planning application.

Cllr Burch and Cllr Curwen re-entered the room.

Grant of Planning Permission

LDNPA -7/2010/5548 Boothwaite Nook, Broughton-in-Furness

LDNPA -7/2010/5521 Hoses Farm, Broughton-in-Furness

LDNPA -7/2010/5530 The Mountain Centre, Broughton-in-Furness

LDNPA -7/2010/5496 15 Sawrey Court, Broughton-in-Furness

LDNPA -7/2010/5461 Border Riggs, Broughton-in-Furness

General Permitted Development

Border Rigg, Broughton-in-Furness

10/11 Financial Matters

Resolved that the following Direct Debits and Cheques be paid:-

E-on	40.12	Receipts	
Victory Hall	57.50	Allotment Rent	150.00
Clerks wages		CGP Grant	100.00
Including expenses	464.03	Wayleave	7.35
HMRC	86.80	Wayleave	<u>33.08</u>
E-on	40.12		<u>£290.43</u>
S Loftus	47.00		
M Knowles	<u>582.00</u>		
	<u>£1317.57</u>		

11/11 Victory Hall

Cllr Burch gave an update from the recent Victory Hall Committee Meeting.

There will be a table top sale on the 13 February 2011 and the AGM will be on the 22 March 2011.

12/11 Public Toilets

There was a discussion regarding the future of the public toilets in Broughton.

Resolved that Duddon Parish Council will take on the responsibility of running the toilets. A meeting will be arranged with SLDC.

13/11 Christmas Tree

A grant for £100 had been received for the Christmas tree but the tree had only cost £50.

It was agreed that the £50 surplus would be repaid to the CGP.

14/11 New Street Light

There was a discussion regarding the proposed new street light and the correspondence received from Broughton Auction Mart, in particular the amount of wayleave requested. Cllr Curwen felt a better deal could be sought and it was agreed that the street light be on the next agenda.

15/11 Cllrs Reports

Cllr Burch would like thank you letters to be sent to David Roe, The Fire Brigade, The Manor and Martin Knowles for their help with the Christmas tree.

Cllr Burch suggested a street party to celebrate the royal wedding.

Cllr Albion advised that David Roe had suggested getting a working group together for Wilson Park. The Council thought this was good idea and were in agreement.

Cllr Warwick felt that the streets are looking a bit shabby at the moment. Cllr Curwen will request that the sweeper comes out.

Cllr Warwick raised concern about doggie waste. Cllr Curwen suggested Environmental Health be contacted.

Cllr Curwen gave the clerk a form to be given to people who struggle to get their blue boxes or bins out for collection.

Cllr Curwen advised that the Bus shelter at Broughton Mills needs repairs.

Cllr raised concern about gravel coming on to the highways and filling the road gulleys causing flooding.

Cllr Curwen requested that if people have any issues regarding children and school buses to contact him.

Cllr Curwen advised of a meeting in Victory Hall ON 4TH February 2011 regarding SLDC allocation of land consultation. There is another meeting on the same issue in Kirkby. Anyone with any grit bin problems should contact Cllr Curwen.

Cllr Curwen requested that a letter be sent to SLDC regarding the funding for the development of New Road car park in Kendal. The money could be used to keep the rural area toilets open.

Cllr Longworth raised concern about someone emptying the grit bins from the fell.

Raised concern about pot holes in the valley.

Requested a meeting regarding land belonging to Duddon Parish Council.

Gave an update on a meeting she had attended regarding the anti social behavior of motor cyclists.

Cllr Glessal raised concern as the sweeper has not been out and when it does come out, it needs to do the side of the roads and not just the middle.

16/11 Date of next Meeting

The next meeting of the council will be held on 24 February 2011 at 19.30 pm