

**SWINTON PARISH COUNCIL**

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD AT THE READING ROOMS, SWINTON AT 7.30PM ON WEDNESDAY  
9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2019**

**PRESENT:** Councillors Paul Cuthbertson (Chairman), Victoria Farrow (Vice Chair), Rob Harrison and District Councillor Fiona Farnell

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Gail Cook (Clerk & Responsible Financial Officer), 1 member of the public in attendance

**18.126 APOLOGIES & REASONS FOR ABSENCE**

Cllr Rachel Liversidge, Cllr Richard Davies and County Councillor Lindsey Burr

**18.127 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST ON THE AGENDA ITEMS**

None

**18.128 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION**

A member of the public gave an insight into a potential Community Housing Scheme in the village.

**18.129 MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING – 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018**

The minutes were taken as read and signed by the Chairman as being a true and accurate record.

**18.130 FINANCIAL MATTERS**

(a) To receive and approve current financial Statement

(b) To note and approve payments:-

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| • Clerks (Salary & Expenses) Standing Order        | £ 97.00 |
| • Autela Group Ltd (Payroll) Chq No: 100878        | £46.80  |
| • Yorwaste Ltd (10% grant donation) Chq No: 100877 | £581.00 |

**18.131 PLANNING**

None

**18.132 PARISH MATTERS**

**(a) STREET LIGHTS**

Clerk to contact NYCC regarding the replacement of column no 9.

**(b) HIGHWAYS ISSUES**

Clerk to report pot hole on Low Lane just passed the yard entrance and pot hole outside Rose Cottage, West Street. Also report subsidence on the road between Swinton and Broughton.

**(c) PARKING**

The parish council would like to remind residents to park at the same side of the road to ensure access if available for large vehicles including emergency vehicles.

**(d) DOG FOULING**

Thank you to residents for being responsible dog owners, dog fouling has improved at the moment.

- (e) **PARISH COUNCIL SHEDS**  
All payments are up to date.
- (f) **BIRDMOUTH FENCING**  
An additional quote has been obtained for erecting the birdmouth fencing on East Street and West Street.
- (g) **Race Night**  
The race night has been confirmed for Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019, 8.30pm at The Smithy Arms, all welcome to come along and support your village. Posters to be distributed around the village.

**18.133 ELECTRIC CAR CHARGING POINTS**  
Grants are available for public electrical car charging points, Members agreed to think about locations for a point.

**18.134 CORRESPONDENCE**  
None

**18.135 ANY OTHER BUSINESS**  
None

**18.136 ITEMS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA**  
Three Parish Cemetery contribution  
Future of Swinton Community Group  
Possibility of additional parking in the parish council workshops

**18.136 DATE OF NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019, 7.30pm at Swinton Reading Rooms. The meeting closed at 9.10pm.

Signed

Chair of Swinton Parish Council

## SWINTON PLAY AREA & SWINTON IN BLOOM COMMITTEE

MINUTES of Swinton Play Area and Swinton In Bloom Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2019, at the Reading Rooms, Swinton.

Present: Paul Cuthbertson (Chair) Gail Cook (Secretary)  
Rob Harrison Victoria Farrow (Vice Chair)

1. **Apologies for Absence**  
Richard Davies and Racheal Liversidge
2. **Minutes of the last Meeting**  
The minutes of the last meeting were taken as read and signed by the Chairman as being a true and accurate record.
3. **Matters Arising**  
None
4. **Playing Field Gate & Inspection Duty**  
The gate will now remain closed over the winter period.
5. **Play Area Maintenance**  
No update
6. **Play Area Equipment**  
No update
7. **In Bloom**  
No update
8. **Any Other Business**  
Village christmas tree to be removed on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2.30pm
9. **Date of Next Meeting**  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019