

SWINTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Meeting at Swinton Reading Rooms
8th March 2017 commencing at 7.15pm

Present: Cllr P Cuthbertson (Chair) Cllr R Harrison
Gail Cook (Clerk) 0 Members of the Public
Cllr Farrow Cllr Fenwick

1. Apologies for Absence

County Cllr L Burr, Cllr F Farnell and Cllr R Liversidge
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2. Minutes of the last Meeting

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

3. Matters Arising

None

4. Declaration of Interest

None

5. Public Session

None

6. Emergency Plan – Grace Lawes

Members discussed the first draft of the plan which will now be sent to Grace Lawes, NYCC for consideration.

7. Village Items

NYCC Highways

Some pot holes on Swinton Grange Lane have been filled but the curb edges require full replacement.

ACTION: Chairman to take photographs of the work required and book an appointment with NYCC Highways Area 4 Manager.

Give Way Sign

Area 4 Engineer has visited the location and informed the Parish Council that the sign is in the correct position.

Swinton Parish Council Workshops

All payments for the rental of the workshops are up to date.

Playing Field Gate & Inspection Duty

Cllr R Harrison	Week commencing 6 March 2017
Cllr M Fenwick	Week commencing 13 March 2017
Rob Cook	Week commencing 20 March 2017
Cllr P Cuthbertson	Week commencing 27 March 2017

Signature

Street Lighting Faults

Column No 17 West Street requires extensive repairs amounting to £390.

The NYCC Footway Lighting Increase

This was discussed at length by Members and agreed to obtain a breakdown of the wattage of each light in the village with a view to reducing this.

ACTION: Clerk to ascertain the minimum wattage for each location and a cost for changing to low energy bulbs.

Dog Fouling

Complaints are continuing to come in regarding this issue, please report any irresponsible dog owners to Ryedale District Council. Tel: 01653 600666. Additional Officers from Ryedale District Council and North Yorkshire Police are now able to issue Fixed Penalty Notices for dog fouling and litter.

Tour de Yorkshire – 28th April 2017

The village will be decorated for the event.

ACTION: Cllr Farrow to purchase yellow and blue spray paint for the bicycle tree.

The Tour de Yorkshire will be at Costa Coffee in Malton at 2.20pm and then proceed through Swinton along to Amotherby.

Grass Cutting

The Clerk will contact Brian in early May regarding first cut.

8. Correspondence

None

9. NYCC Planning Applications

17/00127/HOUSE

APPLICANT: Mr Terry Stephenson

DESCRIPTION: Erection of part two storey/part single storey rear extension following demolition of existing single storey flat roofed extension at Birch Cottage Middle Street Swinton Malton North Yorkshire YO17 6SR

No objections

10. Finance

Payments March

- Clerks Salary & Expenses £77.50
- HMRC Payment Qtr 3 & 4 Cheque No: 100775 £80.00
- NBB Recycled Furniture Picnic Bench Cheque No: 100776 £750.00
- Clerks Training Course Fee Cheque No: 100777 £25.00
- Postage £21.25 Cheque No: 100778
- Tour de Yorkshire Banner £80.40 Cheque No: 100779

The Clerk gave a financial update.

11. Any Other Business

None

12. Date of the Next Meeting

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 5 April 2017, 7.15pm. There being no further business the meeting was closed at 8.40pm.

If residents have any concerns or issues within the village, please contact a Member of the Parish Council, all contact details are available on the Swinton Village website <http://www.swinton.btck.co.uk/ParishCouncil>

Signed Date

SWINTON PLAY AREA COMMITTEE & SWINTON IN BLOOM

MINUTES of Swinton Play Area Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 8 March 2017, 8.40pm in The Reading Rooms, Swinton.

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

1. Apologies for Absence

Rachel 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. Equipment & Maintenance

Equipment

- Cllr Burr has allocated £700 from the Locality Budget, which will be spent on a non-maintenance picnic bench in due course.
- Committee agreed to hold a cake stall at Easter
- ACTION: Secretary to contact Playdale to ask if there is anything we can do to make the zip wire easier to pull back.

5. Date of Next Meeting

It was agreed that the date of the next meeting would be Wednesday 5 April 2017 9.00pm. There being no further business the meeting was closed at 8.40pm.