

Hensall Parish Council



MINUTES OF HENSALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING on the 4th July 2023 at 7:15 pm in the School Hall

Present: Cllrs. R Tams, N Reeson, C Ainsworth, A Brennan and Cllr. McKenna.

Clerk D Tredgett and 7 members of the public.

072301 Welcome The Chair welcomed everyone present at the meeting.

072302 Public Session Concerns were raised regarding the condition of footway in the village which were being narrowed by vegetation and hedges.

It was stated that all the road gullies were full of debris.

A resident complained about the vehicular crossing to his property.

072303 Apologies Cllr. G Mason and PCSO A Newbould.

The Chair reported that Cllr. T Elliott-Adams has resigned from the Parish Council because of work pressures.

072304 Minutes of previous meeting **Resolved** The minutes of the Meeting of the 9th May 2023 were approved and signed by the Chair.

072305 Cllr. Reports Cllr. Tams reported that he had attended a meeting with NYCC regarding highways issues and had raised the flooding on Station Road.

It had been agreed that a letter be sent seeking the support of NYCC in an attempt to pressurise Yorkshire Water into resolving the problem.

72306 Clerk's Report Speed Watch surveys had taken place on Wand Lane and Gowdall Road. A request for an allotment had been received.
 Wand Lane Footway NYCC had cut the overgrown vegetation.
 Heck Lane NYCC had repaired the potholes.
 HGV loading Wand Lane The garage owner had been spoken to.
 Vegetation A19/Wand Lane NYCC had cut the visibility splay.

072307 Planning

Applications	The Lydens 8 Station Road	No comments No comments
Decisions	19 Dene Close 8 Dene Close Brambleside	granted. granted granted

072308 Station Road Play Area The chain link fencing has been purchased and will be erected shortly.

072309 Cricket Netting Erected.

072310 School Defibrillator Awaiting installation.

072311 Xmas Lighting Eleven expressions of interest to sponsor new lights have been received.
 Cllr. Tams asked that stainless steel mounting straps be purchased to fix the new and existing lights.

Resolved To purchase the necessary fixing equipment.

072312 Bird Lane Play Area Visit required following the RoSPA report.

072313 Responsible Financial Officer's Report

a) Current balance	£ 31,267.44	£	VAT	Total
b) Payments received	Xmas lights	500.00		500.00
	Xmas lights	750.00		750.00
	Insurance claim	650.00		650.00
	VAT return	1306.02		1306.02
c) Payments made	Methodist Hall	18.00		18.00
	Grass cutting	235.25		235.25
	HMRC	87.60		87.60
	Payroll	31.08	6.21	37.29
	Insurance Claim	900.00		900.00

		£	VAT	Total
d) Payments to be made	Clerking	330.18		350.18
	St. Light electricity	6599.89	1319.98	7919.87
	St.Light maintenance	2011.48	402.29	2413.75
	Cricket netting	354.00	70.81	424.81

Resolved To accept the report .

- 072314 Audit** The 2022/23 audit report is still available for inspection.
- 072315 Questions** Declaration of Interests. The recent concerns have been researched and found to be a misunderstanding of the procedures.
- Councillor Training. It was agreed to ask the YLCA to arrange a training session for those interested Councillors.
Cllr. McKenna to arrange.
- Vice Chair It was agreed that the formal agreement of a Vice Chair was not necessary.
- 072316 Minor Items** The storage of white vans at Station Road Farm was raised. Planners are investigating. Clerk to check on progress.
- Verges No immediate action required.
- 072317 Items for next Agenda** None.
- 072318 Further comments** None.
- 072319 Date of next Meeting** 5th September in the School Hall.
- 072320 Closure of meeting** 8:35 pm

Signed _____ Chair Date _____ 2023