

Danby Wiske with Lazenby Parish Council

Meeting held on Thursday 21st July 2016 at 8pm in the Village Hall

MINUTES

Present:- Chairman:- Margaret Goldie

Geoff Solomon, Jeannette Darwin, Steve Knight

Also Present:- Councillors Brian Phillips and Arthur Barker

Clerk, Ian Parminter

1. Apologies An apology was received from Alastair Wilkin

2. Minutes of the meeting held on the 16th June 2016

Minutes of the meeting held on the 16th June 2016 were circulated, read, confirmed and signed as a true record.

3. Matters arising:-

Viewley Hill:- A response from Highways had been received with reference to the Councils request for signage warning of the dangers on the road outside the property, but due to cutbacks they would not fund signs at present. Councillors Brian and Arthur were going to take further action with the various departments concerned to see what could be done.

Flooding and Sewage:- Nothing further to report at present but hoped to have a Yorkshire Water Engineer at a PC meeting in the near future.

Village Green Trees:- The Clerk had spoken to Malcolm who had informed him that the person to contact was Anthony Eaton of Gt.Langton who had carried out the tree thinning in the past. This has been done and we are awaiting the result of his report on what work needs doing.

Verges:- The verges on Danby Lane and Crowfoot Lane have now been cut by the contractor from last year. The verges will be cut again during the summer months.

4. Planning Application:-1) Proposed two storey extension to rear of

1 Council Houses, Danby Lane. for Mr & Mrs Harrison

Ref no 16/01339/FUL.- All Councillors and neighbours are ok with this so approval is recommended.

2) Amended plans to Construct 2 stables at Cleveland

View Streetlam. Mr & Mrs A Ross. Ref no.16/00269/Ful

All Councillors have no further issue with the amended plans now that the footpath is not being blocked or diverted.

3) Retrospective app for the redundant barns at Mossa

Grange, Little Langton for Mr D Bellerby. ref no 16/

01436/FUL. The Council have no comments to make on this as it was dealt with during the original application stage.

4) Demolition of shed and erection of outdoor equest-

rian arena at Park Hills Fm, DW for Mr A Wilson ref no

16/01508/FUL. The Council and neighbours have no objections to this application.

5. Call for Sites- Local Plan

The Clerk had received an email from Hambleton Planning Dept re the Local Plan where a call had been made for potential building sites and a meeting had been called for 26th July to go through and briefly discuss the sites put forward. It was also discovered that there was one proposed site in Danby Wiske/ Lazenby on the land of Malcolm Rayfields between Sescray and the river Wiske. As the Clerk would be away on the date of the meeting Geoff offered to attend and report back in the future. However on the whole the Council did not have any objections to the proposed development if it was one of the selected sites by Hambleton.

6. Facebook page

Jeannette reported that she would be working on our social media images and report back hopefully at the next meeting.

7. Police Report

No Police report received this month but it is believed that there were reported crimes for June/July

8. Play Area and fund raising

At the June meeting there was no progress report from Shirley and it was discussed and agreed to ask Malcolm and Shirley to attend the next PC meeting. Both were asked but it was agreed that Shirley would submit a written report as there was little to add from the previous update. The report was circulated to all Councillors with the news that the awaited Electricity pole would now hopefully be moved in early September allowing work to begin in earnest on the site thereafter.

In Shirley's report there was a note that the Village had just been offered some extra money of £4,450. "It could be useful for landscaping the area". However as the offer had only just been received further information would follow as soon as possible.

Shirley's report also stated that there had been some concerns from residents as to the type of equipment chosen and the isolation of the

site raising concerns of child abduction. However it was felt that parents would be supervising children of a vulnerable age.

9. Rishi Sunak support for Coast to Coast

All Councils on the C to C route had been sent a letter from Rishi asking for their support to help in making the walk a National Trail, recognition of which would help in securing funding for its up keep and improvement. The Council were unanimous in sending their support to him.

10. Use of Village Green

Having just changed the insurance cover for the Council, the Clerk checked the Councils liability with the proposed forthcoming events on the Village Green. Providing the usual precautions were taken and the organisers used their own insurance, then the Council would be covered for their liability for things like the fences etc.

11. Folk Festival

Steve reported on how the Festival had been organised including all the facilities being used and the arrangements put in place for parking and the management of the 3 days. He also asked for help in marshalling on the 3 days. A share of the profits would be given to the PC for use on the Play Area.

12. Footpaths to promote a safer route for C to C Walkers.

As reported previously there were concerns for the Walkers on Danby Lane and Crowfoot Lane and Councillors Geoff, Jeannette and the Clerk explored an alternative route on two footpaths that lead to Lovesome Hill. A report was given to the Council on the poor state of the first part being very overgrown and leading to a bridge that needed repair. Councillor Arthur Barker took a keen interest in this and would look at the route himself and see what could be done by NYCC to help improve things.

There still were concerns over the C to C path through Streetlam and Councillor Brian Phillips would look into this.

13. Any other business

The roads still gave rise to concerns and Councillor Arthur Barker was asked to see when the pot holes and surfaces could be repaired by NYCC.

14.Date of next meeting:- Thursday 18th August 2016