

Danby Wiske with Lazenby Parish Council

Meeting held on Thursday 16th November 2017 at 8pm in the Village Hall

Minutes

Present:- Chairman:- Margaret Goldie

Councillors:- Geoff Solomon, Jeannette Darwin and

Alastair Wilkin.

1. Apologies :- Councillor Steve Knight. District Councillor Brian Phillips, and County Councillor Annabel Wilkinson

2. Minutes of the meeting held on the 19th October 2017

The minutes of the meeting held on the 19th October were circulated, read, confirmed and signed as a true record.

3. Matters arising:- Road signs:-

The Council at the request of NYCC have viewed the proposed location of the signs warning motorists of the children play area and made a recommendation of slightly different location to make them more visible and submitted this information to the relevant engineer for approval before they are erected.

Footpaths:-

Nothing further to report at present.

Events field:-

The Council agreed to apply for change of use from agricultural to a play field on behalf of the Village Hall committee in order to save costs. It was also agreed that the goal post paid for but currently still stored with Streetscape be asked for delivery in the spring by which time it should have

been decided what work if any be carried out to the land by the Village Hall committee.

4. Children's Play Area:- Having had a meeting with Streetscape earlier with an agreement that a ramp should be provided to enable children to use the zip wire and the PC would pay 50% of the costs, the Council were very disappointed to see the erected ramp. It is very small and not of a height that aids smaller children to use the zip wire. Further more we received a bill for it of £350 plus VAT which at a 50% reduction is very expensive. After some discussion with Streetscape they have reduced the bill to £200 plus VAT. However further thought and advice is required before the Council proceed any further

5. Approval of various bills to be paid:- Walkers bill for the seasons grass cutting of £562.80 which was approved and a cheque issued. Also the bill from Streetscape as above held in abeyance until a solution to the Zip wire is agreed.

6. Planning Applications:-

Pitched roofed steel framed structure over an existing slurry pit and a second structure over an existing silage clamp at Willow Tree Farm, Thrintoft, DL7 0QA. Applicant Mr H Pattison.

Both applications have been granted planning permission.

7. Police Report:- None received

8. Complaints re muddy roads:- The Clerk had received two complaints of severe mud on the south end of Mountstrall Lane in the village. The mud was from farm vehicles transporting harvested maize to Manor farm and made worse with heavy rain. Warning signs were placed accordingly and the PC acknowledges that use of the road was made difficult for pedestrians and vehicles. However efforts were made to clean the road but one of the disadvantages of having a farm in the middle of the village and it was suggested

that additional signs in future be provided and a more intensive cleaning programme be done daily.

9. Any other business:- None

10.Date of next meeting:- Thursday 18th January 2018

Signed.....Chairman

Signed.....Clerk

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