

WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Winsham Parish Council meeting held on the 10th November 1989 in the Jubilee Hall at 8.00 p.m.

Present: Mr C Slade (in the Chair), Mrs E Jones, Mr D Woodward, Mr D Wilson, Mr P Newton, Mrs R Rose, Mrs M Fowler, Mr R Smart. Mr J Trickett (Cty. Cllr.), Mr L Fisher (Dist. Cllr.), P.C. Andrew Mazzei (Community Constable) and Mr K Harvie (Clerk).

56. Apologies for absence.

Were received from Mrs M Loaring.

57. Minutes.

The Minutes of the meeting on 13th October 1989 were signed as a true record.

58. Matters arising.

"DOGS SIGNS". Mr Smart will deliver these to Mr Slade. One will be sited in the Small Recreation Ground and one, on the suggestion of Mrs Rose, at the Poole's Lane end of the Cemetery Path.

FOOTPATH MARKER POSTS. The Clerk will contact Mr P Pym asking if he has a mechanical auger. This would make the installation of the Posts much easier.

STILES. Names of Landowners were given to the Clerk who will forward the information to Mr P Reynolds, the Rights of Way Officer.

PLAY EQUIPMENT. The restrictors were passed to Mr Slade. These are to be fixed in the See Saw. Mrs Fowler mentioned the concrete at the end of the Slide. Some of this will be removed or covered with turf. Mrs Fowler will remind Mr J Gibbons about repairing the Igloo.

STREET NAMEPLATES. Mr Fisher reported he had no reply to his last letter
TREES OUTSIDE No 11 DAVIES CLOSE. Mr Fisher has passed this matter to the District Council.

MAINTENANCE GRANTS. The Clerk has completed the forms. Mr Smart will check the figures.

STREET CLEANSING. The De-litter Operative visited Winsham on Tuesday, 7th November. The reply to our last letter states that Mr Crossland the Chief Technical Officer visited Winsham and found it devoid of litter.

No 13 WESTERN WAY. A Planning Application for the access has been called for by the District Council.

59. Police.

P.C. Mazzei said he had been appointed as the Winsham Community Constable. He will pursue the problem of speeding cars in the Village and try to arrange a speed check. Mrs Fowler asked what can be done about untaxed cars and "L" drivers driving without a qualified driver in the car. P.C. Mazzei said he needed details.

60. Planning.

892959 Dwelling on land adjacent to Plum Tree Cottage.

This has been recommended for approval.

892972 Plot 4, Court Farm.

893142 Whatley Farm.
Conversion of barns into 3 dwellings.
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Conversion of farm buildings for light industrial use. 893269
Mr S J Coate.
Continued use of workshop at the rear of Plum Tree Cottage.
Planning Application to the West Dorset District Council.
FOR INFORMATION ONLY.
Kingsfield Tree Nursery at Beere Farm.
The use of Farm Buildings as a Retail Outlet.

61. Mr L Fisher.

Mr Fisher would like to be kept informed about local people wanting Council Houses.

62. Mr J Trickett.

Heavy Vehicle Restriction. Some Road Signs have been changed and some more may be altered. Possibly at Street and Horn Ash.
Regarding the dumping of rubbish by the Highways Dept. The County Surveyor has apologised for this.
The subsidence in Fore Street. Mr Slade this still needed attention. He also reported a dangerous hump on the culvert adjacent to Midnell Farm on the road from Fore Street to the A30.

63. Parish Precept.

It was proposed by Mr Smart, seconded by Mr Newton to apply for £1700, a rise of £100.
Whilst on the subject of finances, it was agreed that the Clerk should contact Mr A Smith asking him to cut the grass as soon as possible. Also to write to Mr Warry thanking him for cutting his side of the Cemetery Hedge.

64. Sewerage.

Mr Fisher reported on the meeting with SWW Representatives on the 9th of November. The Plant is working well within its limits. The sludge is removed every 3 Months.

65. Receipts and Payments.

Received from A J Wakely & Sons £7.50 re: Inscription on the Peterson Headstone.
It was agreed to pay: Clerk's Pay £88.20p. Balance:
Current Account £123.32p. Deposit Account
£1120.19p.

66. Correspondence.

A letter from Mr R Perrott complaining about the untidy Cemetery. The Clerk will acknowledge the letter saying that steps are being taken. 67. Any other business.

Mr Woodward reported that the Fire Hydrant sign opposite No 35 Church St is missing. The Clerk will advise the Fire Brigade H.Q. Also the HGV sign towards Axe Bridge has fallen and the reflector posts are faulty. This will be reported to the Highways Dept.

seemed to think the Parish Council ineffective in planning matters but the meeting agreed that the proposed Trust should work in conjunction with the Parish Council.

The next meeting will be on Friday, 8th December 1989.