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WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Winsham Parish Council Meeting on the 14th June 1996 in the Jubilee Hall at 8.00 p.m.

Present:- MrOC Slade (in the Chair), Mrs A Rose, Mrs H Duke, Mrs J Gowers, Mr J Sullivan, Mr E Partridge, Mr J Aslett.
Also Mr D Esp (Cty Cllr), Mrs S Abbey (Dist Cllr) and Mr K S F Harvie (Clerk).

15. Apologies for absence.

Were received from Mr K Fowler.

16. Public Question Time.

None.

17. Co-Option of Councillor.

A Poll was taken and the outcome was 4 votes for Mr G Winter of the Post Office, Winsham and 2 votes for Mrs C Salter of 30 Western Way, Winsham. Therefore Mr G Winter was nominated as a Winsham Parish Councillor.

18. Police.

Following the crash in Church Street, the Person concerned and the Mother are being prosecuted.

Mr Aslett said something has to be done about speeding traffic. Camera Stands and Rumble Strips were suggested in Church Street as well as the B3162. Mr Esp will suggest this to Mr Ian Titcombe.

19. Minutes.

The Minutes of the Meeting on the 10th May 1996 were signed following the addition of an item on Min. 9. This is regarding Kingsfield Tree Nursery. If the bungalow is sold, is there likely to be an application for a property to be built.

20. Matters arising.

The barrier in the Childrens Playing Field has been fixed by Mr K Fowler. Some work still has to be completed on the swings.

Plaque on the Old Lamp Post. Mr Slade will fix this.

It was agreed that the swings should be immobilised on Street Fair Day.

Recycling. Mr Ian Maxwell called on the Clerk and together they went to the Site next to the Band Hut. It was thought this is unsuitable. It was suggested that perhaps a Site on the left at the Large Playing Field might be suitable.

Mr C Slade has resigned from the Sports and Social Club Committee. He received an Agenda for the AGM too late to attend. There are other reasons as well.

21. Planning.

R C Smith & Partners. Erection of a Store Crop Spraying Tank. Permitted.

22. Finance.

It was agreed to pay:- Mr A E Partridge for Grass Cutting £440.00p.

Repairs to Church Clock. £70.00p.

Petty Cash £35.00p.

The Clerks Wage will increase from £823 per Year to £856 per year from April 1996.

C/S.

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23. Mr D Esp.

A letter from Mr ~~Ima~~ Titcombe was read. Apparently the road from High Street to the A 30 will be dealt with next Year.

The Gulley has be attended to.

Mrs Gowers said the road at Ebben Lane still has puddles. These are worse ~~than~~ than before some work was done.

24. Mrs S Abbey.

There is a Winsham School inspection next week.

Cricket St Thomas Dairy is now under administration. It must be made sure all complaints are in the open before the Dairy is, perhaps, taken over.

There are three possibilities for the Dairy. 1. It will close. 2. It will be sold. 3. It will be brought back into use by Cricket St Thomas.

Mrs Abbey would like some Councillors to attend the next Area West Meeting.

25. Cemetery Extension.

Right Reverend Richard Henry Mc Phail Theod MA. DCL
The Bishop of Bath and Wells will consecrate the new part of the Cemetery on the 19th June 1996 at 3 p.m.

Regarding space for graves. Mr Wakely will meet with Councillors to advise.

Grass Cutting at the new Cemetery. Mr A E Partridge will be asked for a price.

Mr Slade has price for turf for the Cremated Caskets part of the Cemetery. This is £90. Nothing was decided.

The Clerk has researched prices and instructions for the Cemetery. These will be photocopied and sent to all Councillors for discussion at the next Meeting.

26. Correspondence.

An application from Mrs M A Ellis for a Memorial Stone to be erected on the Grave of Mr E Forward in Winsham Cemetery. This was agreed.

Parish Council Newsletter.

Tourism Strategy.

Outlook West.

Info. Bulletin No. 6.

Highway Matters.

Environment Update.

Traveller Review Panel.

Community Grants.

Twinning Notes.

Traffic Matters.

Highway Management.

Community Resource Service.

27. Any other business.

None.

R. J. Slade

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RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS TO 11th JUNE 1996

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
OPENING BALANCES	- -	CORNHILL INSURANCE	100.24
CURRENT A/C	5031.41	JUBILEE HALL RENT	25.00
C & S A/C	1762.07	BALANCES	- -
CEMETERY FEES	186.00	Current A/C	1713.02
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	£ 6979.48		£ 6979.48

FURTHER ESTIMATES TO 31.3.97

<u>RECEIPTS</u>		<u>PAYMENTS</u>	
CEMETERY FEES	?	WAGES	642.00
MAINT: GRANT	585.00	PLAY EQUIPMENT	?
		FENCE FOR CEMETERY	?
		TURF FOR CEMETERY	?
		GRASS CUTTING	1320.00