

WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Winsham Parish Council Meeting held in the Jubilee Hall on the 9th December 1994 at 8.00 p.m.

Present:- Mr C Slade (in the Chair), Mrs A Rose, Mr D Woodward, Mr D Wilson, Mr B Speyer.
Also Mr D Esp (Cty Cllr), Mr K Harvie (Clerk) and 1 Member of the Public.

86. Apologies for absence.

Were received from Mrs J Gowers, Mrs E Jones, Mr K Fowler, Mr C Baigent and the Police.

87. Public Question Time.

Mrs Stella Abbey asked what was being organised to celebrate the end of World War 2. She was told this was Item 10 on the Agenda. Regarding the 1995 Street Fair and the objections to the theme of 'Hollywood'. Mrs Abbey was told that the Parish Council accept the decision by the Jubilee Hall Management Committee.

88. Minutes.

After an adjustment to Minute 71, the Minutes of the Meeting on the 11th November 1994 were signed as a true record.

89. Matters arising.

WINSHAM ROAD SIGNS. Mr Ian Titcombe has visited Winsham and will send details of signs shortly.
STREET LIGHTS. The Clerk was asked to contact SWEB asking when the Lights will be fitted.
SIGN IN THE FLOWERBED IN THE CHURCHYARD. It was agreed to purchase a sign. It will be 5" x 3" and read 'Sponsored by the Winsham Parish Council'. The cost will be £7.
REPAIRS TO PLAY EQUIPMENT. Mr Speyer will repair the Swing. Regarding the See Saw. The Clerk was asked to contact Mr Fowler asking him if he intends to deal with this, as per Minute 73. If he cannot, Mr Roger Beer will be asked to dismantle the Plank. Mr Beer will also be asked if he would like to repair the seat at the top end of the Small Recreation Ground.
CEMETERY HEDGE. Two Estimates will be obtained for cutting the Hedge. One from B Powell & Sons and one from Shearings of Merriott.

90. Police.

The Crime Report from P.C. Roger Saunders was passed to the Meeting. A letter of complaint on the subject of crime, damage and vandalism in Winsham will be sent to the Chief Constable, Sgt B Swatton at Chard with a copy to The Rt Hon Paddy Ashdown M.P.

91. Planning.

No. 942725 Winsham Parish Council. Change of use of land from Agricultural to Extension of Recreation Ground.
As the Parish Council will become the owners of the land, the Parish Council feel they cannot comment.

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92. Finance.

It was agreed to pay the Audit Commission £76.85p.
Clerk's Pay. A rise in pay dated from July 1994. The new rate is £1.28p.
per Electoral Roll Number. It was agreed to pay the back pay ~~to~~ ^{from} July 1994.

93. Mr D Esp.

Road Works in the Village should be carried out shortly.
Lorries in Whatley Lane. Mr Esp will pursue this matter.
The Highways Superintendant has inspected flooding in the Parish.

94. Celebration for the end of World War 2.

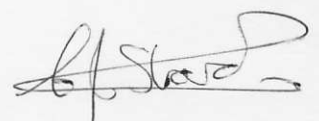
It was agreed to hold an Open Meeting in the Jubilee Hall at 7.30 p.m.
on the 6th January 1995 to obtain ideas from all Organisations. All
Organisations will be invited to have a representative attend.
A Exhibition of Wartime Memorabilia will be held in the Jubilee Hall on
the 6th, 7th and 8th of May 1995.
These dates will be booked.

95. Correspondence.

Crewkerne Community Centre.
Planning for Parish Councils.
Area West Meeting - 14th December 1994.
A letter from Danniell Slade asking for a donation to help finance a Junior
Rugby Trip to Hong Kong. Mr Wilson proposed £100. An amendment of £50 was
suggested by Mr Speyer. The matter was discussed and finally £50 was
agreed.

96. Any other business.

Damage to Winsham Cross. Mr Slade has dealt with this matter.
War Memorial Damage. This subject will be on the next Agenda.



WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL - YEAR TO 31st MARCH 1995

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS TO 6.12.94

RECEIPTS

PAYMENTS

Balances at 9.11.94	- -		- -
Current A/c	95.88	K.S.F. Harvie	57.00
C & S A/c	5195.86	B.E. Powell & Sons	1163.25
Tax Return from Bank	32.71	SSDC. Planning Application	70.00
	/	Balances at 6.12.94	- -
		Current A/c	208.34
		C & S A/c	3825.86
	£ 5324.45		£ 5324.45

Further Estimates to 31.3.95

Receipts

Payments

Cemetery Fees	?	Wages (New Rate)	208.00
SSDC Grant for St. Lights (approx)	116.80	2 Street Lights (approx)	274.48
SCC " " " " (")	192.72	Tree Cutting for Street Lights	30.00
	£ 309.52	Audit (a/c to hand)	76.85
		Petty Cash	25.00
		Play Equipment Donation	?
		Works in Churchyard	?
		Repairs to War Memorial	?
		Tele calls	?
			£ 614.33