

COLNBROOK WITH POYLE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the PARISH COUNCIL held at the Village Hall, Colnbrook on Tuesday 13th July 2004, commencing at 7.30pm.

MEMBERS PRESENT

CHAIRMAN: Cllr L. Tucker
Cllrs. Angell, Ghatora, Gray,
Hood, Laxman, MacDougald,
Maddison, Thomas, Tucker and
Mrs Underhill

The Clerk and Finance Officer,
Mr. R.L.N. Hewson

Village Hall Management
Committee:-
Mr & Mrs W. Jeeves,
Mrs H. Head

1 member of Public – Mr D. Coe

PC/04/28 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Received from Cllrs. Mrs Gipps and M. Rayner. District Cllr. D. Smith.

PC/04/29 PUBLIC SESSION

Mr Coe reported that the Residents Association with the help of the Parish Council had been awarded a grant of £25,000 from Living Spaces. It would be paid to Slough Borough Council in two equal amounts of £12,500. 375 metres of footpath had been marked out, safety arrangements analysed and Slough Borough Council had agreed to provide a new entrance off the Bath Road at a cost to them of £6,900. The Colnbrook Partnership Group had agreed that the scheme would be designed and supervised by Slough Borough Council.

PC/04/30 COLNBROOK COMMUNITY CUP

Cllr. Tucker said “This is the 8th year that the Parish Council has awarded this cup. In this year of 2004 the winners of the cup are the Colnbrook Village Hall Management Committee. This committee is a small but very dedicated group. The Management Committee was formed when the current Village Hall opened years ago and is responsible for many functions from the finance of the hall, bookings of events, general maintenance and cleaning plus many other untold duties. Without the Management Committee the Village Hall would not and could not be open to the benefit of the community as a whole. It therefore gives me great pleasure in inviting Heather Head as Chairperson of the Committee to come and receive the cup from the Parish Council as a mark of appreciation of your work in the village.”

PC/04/31 MINUTES

(a) The minutes of the annual meeting held on Tuesday 8th June 2004 were confirmed as a true record.

(b) Matters arising

There were no matters arising not on the agenda.

PC/04/32 SERVICES COMMITTEE

Cllr. Maddison reported on the meeting held on Tuesday 22nd June 2004 which was accepted by the Council.

PC/04/33 FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE

(a) Cllr. Laxman gave a report of the meeting held on Tuesday 22nd June 2004 which was accepted by the Council.

(b) Lists of Payments:

The list of payments in the sum of £9,806.41 from 12th May 2004 – 8th June 2004 was confirmed and approved.

(c) A grant of £50.00 was approved to the Winged Fellowship Trust.

PC/04/34 PLANNING MATTERS

(i) P/12244/2 – Variation to conditions 4 and 5 Colnbrook Logistics Centre – referred to Services Committee.

(ii) P/12244/001 – Erection of building to house part of an integrated test faculty for IT Control Systems, Colnbrook Logistics Centre – referred to Services Committee.

(iii) P/12860/000 – Siting of a caravan within the cartilage of 2 Anthony House for a temporary period. Clerk instructed to send a letter of objection.

(iv) P/12879/000 – Erection of single storey rear extension with pitched rood at 10, Torridge Road – Leave to neighbours.

PC/04/35 CHAIRMAN'S CORRESPONDENCE

(i) Colnbrook Town Council – 225 anniversary tee-shirts, badges and associated correspondence.

(ii) Chenies Landscapes Ltd – Free clean-up of 'The Splash' next autumn.

(iii) SALC – Minutes of meeting of 25th June 2004.

(iv) Just Fencing – Apology and thanks re tender.

- (v) Chenies Landscapes Ltd – Under new ownership (ISS Waterers Landscape).
- (vi) Postponement of meeting with Borough Council Representatives.

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OUTSIDE BODIES

- (i) Cllr. Laxman said that CAST were giving a performance of “Company” at the Village Hall from July 21 – 24 inc. commencing at 8 pm.
- (ii) Cllr. Tucker said that the following motion supported by the new joint administration was going to full Slough Borough Council on 20th July.

Council notes significant evidence of dissatisfaction with the new Slough Gateway Signs across the Borough, and that there has already been some expenditure on repairing signs defaced. It resolves to adapt this signage to reflect distinct community areas and identities within Slough whilst still identifying them as part of Slough Borough, making these gateway signs more consistent with other highways signs. It also resolves to encourage and allow Parish Councils to erect complementary signage where appropriate provided it conforms with Highways Department standards.

- (iii) Cllr. Tucker reported that he had attended:-

Wednesday 9 th June 2004	Meeting at Langley Police Station with WPC Flockhart and others re Colnbrook High Street.
Wednesday 16 th June 2004	Environment Sub-Committee
Friday 18 th June 2004	LAANC at Knowle Green, Staines
Friday 18 th June 2004	Inspection re Village of Year Competition
Thursday 24 th June 2004	Slough Mayors Reception (The Centre)
Friday 25 th June 2004	SALC Meeting, (Colnbrook Village Hall)
Monday 28 th June 2004	Colnbrook Community Steering Group (Westfield)
Tuesday 29 th June 2004	Slough Transport Forum with Mike Rayner (The Centre)
Friday 2 nd July 2004	Pippins School (re Pippins Park)

and would be attending:-

Thursday 15 th July 2004	BALC AGM (Knowle Hill Village Hall)
Friday 16 th July 2004	SALC Meeting with SBC has been postponed until September 2004.
Tuesday 20 th July 2004	Environment Sub-Committee
Monday 2 nd August 2004	Meeting at Wellington House with SBC and Mr Andy Pepper re Flood Relief Scheme.

PC/04/37 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

The Chairman moved and it was AGREED that the Press and Public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by virtue of the confidential nature of the business.

The meeting closed at 8.35pm.

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