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STOKENCHURCH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeng of the Parish Council held on Wednesday 16th June 2021 at 7.30 pm

Aendees: Cllr Victoria Nuthall (chair), Cllr Malcolm Penny (vice chair), Cllr Camilla Baker, Cllr Racquel Burnham, Cllr Nick Hodder, Cllr Val Jenkinson, Cllr Mahew Jennings, Cllr Andrew Preece, Cllr Tracey Ramsden, Cllr Tracey Young
Buckinghamshire Councillors: Cllr Shade Adoh
Minutes: John Harding
Members of the Public: 10 & local PCSO

1. Acceptance of apologies for absence

Cllr Carl Etholen, Cllr Robert Carrington & Cllr Robin Thomas

2. Declaraons of interest (agenda items)

None.

To confirm Minutes of 2nd 3. June 2021

Approved subject to one change to item 3 in the cemetery minutes.
Proposed Cllr Preece,
Seconded Cllr Young

4. Maers Arising(informaon only)

An encouraging response had been received to the leer sent to planning/enforcement regarding Mudds Bank developments/infringements

5. Reports & Acons

Cllr Preece had aended a paent parcipaon group meeng
Cllr Preece had approached two local contractors for grass cung quotes to the churchyard & cemetery these were for 3 days each for a complete dy up, the lower quote of £250 a day from King of Spades was accepted. Cllr Nuthall declared an interest.
Proposed Cllr Preece,



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Following day
 Cllr Jennings had received a quote for additional posts, turf & repair sets to Church Square from Mr Hodsdon. He was asked to get an additional quote
 Cllr Penny reported that the flag pole had been re-rope & new bolt was required that he would source.
 Cllr Jennings reported Legionella testing order placed & due to be carried out this week Cllr Jennings that he had contacted The Buckinghamshire Housing Association with a view to install a defibrillator at St Hugh's Close
 Cllrs Nuthall asked Cllr Preece to liaise with medical centre to see if defibrillator training could be arranged
 Cllr Hodder reported that is planning to amend the Memorial Hall as council representative & asked if swing to Studley Green could be replaced.
 Cllr Ramsden had tried to contact Mr Tickner about gate to Marlow Road , but had no response
 Cllr Young had received complaints about pavement parking advised by PCSO to contact 101 if an offence was being committed. It was advised if a pram could not get through it was an offence.
 Cllr Nuthall advised that Cllrs Thomas & Etholen had met with a Transport for Bucks representative & gone through all councillor comments, particularly Marlow Road junction. Cllrs Nuthall & Thomas met the grass cutting contractor. It was noted that not all areas are on the maps. It was also agreed for his visit to be two days in one go. The contractor has requested that the stone snake be removed.
 Cllr Ramsden to remove stone snake & notify the public via face book page of intention to remove it. Cllr Hodder suggested a sign be put up to



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unanimously agreed to proceed on match funding basis (£2511.14)
Cllrs Nuthall, Preece & Jenkinson were investigating whether a site owned by Red Kite in Eastwood Road could be used as a skate park.

6. Notification of other Parish Maers (information only)

Duke of Edinburgh award, allotments, speed sign Studley Green & street light

21/06568/FUL Application for : Householder application for construction of part single, part two storey extension, insertion of 3 x rooflights to front roof slope & 1 x dormer window to rear in connection with loft conversion and internal remodelling-27 Eastwood Road, Stokenchurch, HP14 3SN.

No objection Proposed Cllr Penny Seconded Cllr Preece unanimously agreed

21/0647/ADRC Application for: Approval of details subject to Condition 16 (ecological mitigation of planning ref: 20/07743/VCDN - Wallace Hill Farm, Wellground, Stokenchurch HP14 3YF

Cllr Preece No comment unanimously agreed

21/06728/FUL Application for: Demolition of existing building and erection of pair of semi detached dwellings, with associated parking, amenity and bin/cycle storage - Bank House Church Path Stokenchurch

Buckinghamshire HP14 3TJ
The Cllrs agreed that the site needed redeveloping; however the design was not in keeping with the conservation area. It was also felt the car parking was not manoeuvrable. Objection Proposed Cllr Preece

seconded Cllr Jenkinson unanimously agreed

8. Buckinghamshire Councillors

Cllr Adoh that the community centre (Tippings) is still being

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Bills payable

Proposed Cllr Preece,
Seconded Cllr Jenkinson,
unanimously agreed

10. Correspondence

1)

Request for
support for 50mph
speed limit on
Dashwood Hill by
Piddington Parish
Council this was
agreed
unanimously

2)

Queens award Cllr
Hodder asked for
nominations to given
through the clerk closing
date 15/9/2021

3)

Buckinghamshire
council training
Planning and
Environment
service update

4)

Councillor
Code of Conduct
training
11/8/2021

5)

Vacancy for Clerk &
RFO interviews to be
carried out week
commencing 21st

June 6)

Update
revised bank
signatories etc are
progressing

11. Change of Standing orders and meeting frequency

Cllr Penny gave an update
that other surrounding towns
& parish councils only have
one monthly meeting. Cllr
Penny proposed one monthly
public meeting changing

standing orders to say 1st
Wednesday of the month

effective from the 1st of July
2021. That a planning
committee be formed. That
draft minutes be published.
Seconded by Cllr Preece
Unanimously agreed

Planning subcommittee Cllr

Penny, Cllr Preece, Cllr
Young, Cllr Ramsden. If
affected Studley
Green/hamlets Cllr Hodder
in addition.

12. The Commons

Cllr Baker asked if the
purchasers of the Methodist
Church were aware there



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date of next cemetery committee meeting to be confirmed.

14 Hall Bookings

Chair thanked Cllr Burnham for her work. No change in Covid policy announced on Monday 14th June so one hall system still being used generally

15 The Kings Hotel

The land was given over in 1941. The lease of 1954 does not allow for building work. Council to seek legal advice

16 Vodaphone Mast

Cllr Preece circulated imposed images showing the scale of the proposed mast. It was agreed Cllr Jennings would contact Vodafone to say this was not acceptable on the commons. The Council thanked Cllr Jennings for his work on this.

17 Other Parish Maers

1) Cllr Baker reported street light No 7 Lower Church Street in-operative 2) Cllr Hodder requested that electronic speed device from A40 be re-sited in Studley Green

3)

Cllr Penny confirmed Grow to Give had already been contacted by the Allotment Association

4) Green committee various ideas have already been put forward

5)

Cllr Preece asked if Duke of Edinburgh award candidates could be picked on a voluntary basis towards their award. This was agreed, but at their own risk

6) A request to use the playing fields in conjunction with hall at Studley Green was agreed.

7)

It was requested a dog bin be ordered for the footbridge over the M40
Proposed Cllr Jenkinson Seconded

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armed forces day Cllrs Preece & Jenkinson agreed. It was noted that flag raising would also be required on Armisce Day & Remembrance Sunday . 9)

A parishioner commented that he believed that Buckinghamshire Council should be replacing sets (kerbs) in Church Square

10)

A parishioner quesoned how the Planning commiee would funcon without public aending. Cllr Preece said he would contact BALC

11)

A parishioner wanted to know if anything could be done regarding the car parking situaon on match days between allotment holders and cricketers, as there had been some fricon the previous weekend over car park spaces. Several proposals and comments were forthcoming.

12)


A parishioner commented that the acouscs were much improved with the dividing door closed

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Items

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