

# CHILDSWICKHAM PARISH COUNCIL

The minutes of Childswickham Parish Council meeting held on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2020 at 7. 30pm, via videoconferencing, using Zoom.

Residents are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on the agenda, or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chairman. There will be a maximum of three questions and a time limit of five minutes per question.

Members of the public may not take part in the Parish Council meeting it self.

PRESENT Cllr's Ms S Lewis, Mr R Deakin, Mr A Halling (Chairman), Mr T Ramsbottom and Mr J Wade.

IN ATTENDANCE Ms J Shields (Clerk) and Mrs E Eyre (County and District).

## 1. Apologies for Absence.

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Mr A Parker and Cllr N Robinson (District).

## 2. Declaration of Interests.

Councillors were reminded to update their registers of interest and to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests (DPI) and their nature.

## 3. Minutes Of Childswickham Parish Council Meeting Held On Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2020.

The minutes of the meeting, having been previously circulated, were agreed as a true record and will be signed when appropriate.

## 4. To Receive The Report From The Internal Auditor, To Approve The Governance Statement and the Accounts For 2019/2020.

- a. Mr Rhodes had audited the accounts, several comments had been made which have been addressed by the clerk.
- b. The council agreed the Governance Statement and the chairman signed the form.
- c. The council agreed the Accounts For 2019/2020 and the chairman signed the form.

## 5. Finance.

- a. To Consider Invoices for Payment via Bacs.

The Council agreed the following items for payment;-

B Arrowsmith	May Invoice	£176.00
Abbey Forestry	Brook Street	£217.70
J Shields	Clerks Expenses April – June 2020	£41.13
M Newbury	Grass cutting	£600.00
Roy Hawkins	Grass cutting	£330.00

- b. To approve payments made by Bacs since the last meeting.

The Council agreed the following item for payment;-

Medisol	Battery	£268.80
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- c. Financial Report.

Report had been circulated.

The following remittance had been received:-

WCC	Feb – March	504.00
WDC	Brook Street	644.93
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## 6. Correspondence.

- a. Over grown footpath.

The footpath through the church woodland (car park to the big field, and around the kissing gate in to churchyard), has been cut back by two parishioners, the parish council would like to thank them.

- b. Chestnut tree in the playing field.

Cllr Halling will obtain a quote to have the tree cut back.

## 7. Planning.

- a. For Consideration.

Notification of an Application for the Grant of a Street Trading Consent - 20/02436/STRETR

On the information provided, the council agreed to object.

- b. To Ratify The Comments For Applications and Appeals Submitted Since The Last Meeting.

20/00874/FUL The Old Mill The Cross Childswickham The council objects to the application.

- c. Decided by Wychavon.

Approved.

20/00645/HP 5 Green Close Childswickham Broadway WR12 7JJ.

Refused

20/00874/FUL The Old Mill The Cross Childswickham Broadway

## 8. Reports.

- a. Clerk.

Audit had been taken and collected from the internal auditor.

Clerk to ask WDC for a change to the Village Development Boundary.

Clerk to ask Mr Parkinson to resume the siting of the shared VAS in Childswickham.

- b. County Councillor.

A report was provided by Cllr Eyre, who is continuing to work on several issues effecting the village.

- c. District Councillor.

No report.

- d. Lengthsman.

The Lengthsman on guidance from WCC has resumed all duties.

- e. Covid 19.

The group organised by Cathi Malvarozza, hung up their volunteer hats on the 1<sup>st</sup> July as things are going back to normal. It's been a rewarding 110 days. Some volunteers are carrying on with Rev Michelle Ward.

The parish council, on behalf of the parish, would like to thank Cathi.

## 9. Councillors Reports and Items For Future Agenda.

- VAS – Purchase, siting and operation.
- Parishioners are urged to contact the officer at Wychavon, with photographic evidence where possible, if they are aware of any planning breaches in the parish.

## 10. Date Of The Next Meeting.

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2020.

**CHILDSWICKHAM PARISH COUNCIL**

Signed

Date