

**MINUTES OF INKBERROW PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE PAVILION, SAND ROAD,
INKBERROW ON WEDNESDAY 21st JUNE, 2017.**

Present: Councillors Christopher Burdett (Chairman), Rodger Fooks, Dinah Griffin, Richard Jordan, Robin Lunn, Jane Neal, Mrs. Audrey Steel.

In attendance: Janet Cresswell, Clerk, Mike Pashby Press Officer.

APLOGIES FOR ABSENCE. Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Anthony Hopkins, Elizabeth Collins and Robert Wilcox, RFO.

DEMOCRATIC FIFTEEN MINUTES PUBLIC QUESTION TIME. Details of a planning application in Appletree Lane were received. It was noted that the ICC had discussed the 106 proposals and that a reply would be made in due course. 4 new people had completed training for Speedwatch and there was evidence that Speedwatch was working.

2180. **MINUTES.** The minutes of the meeting held on 17th May were agreed to be a correct record and were signed by the Chairman.

2181, **PROGRESS REPORTS**

Highways. The map case on the Green had been cleaned and now housed a new map. Costs for replacing road signs at the Bovis development were being sought. The 'bus shelter notice board would be included in the July Agenda.

Lengthsman. Clerk would arrange for Tuer Way to be cleared, for the greenery overgrowing the footpath from the PO to Dingle End, for road signs to be made visible, the footpath from the Old Bakery to Stockwood Lane to be cleared and for the footpath from the village hall to Stockwood Lane to be cleared.

Allotments. Permission was given for a small shed to be placed on allotment 6.

Neighbourhood Plan. No progress had been made.

106 Management. (Meeting closed) Sally Banks gave an update on progress and it was noted that a suggestion had been made to amalgamate ISLA and ICC. This being currently discussed. (Meeting re-opened).

Village Year of Culture. It was noted a bank account had been opened with a current balance of £1,700. The Food Festival had been a success and the next events were the Horse Show and the War Memorabilia Display. Problems had arisen with the booking of the Hall for the October event. The band had expensive equipment which needed to be removed after the performance which required an extension of closing time. Clerk was directed to write and express the Parish Council's disappointment with the ICC's stance on this matter.

Police. There was no Police report.

2182. **REPORT OF THE COUNTY COUNCILLOR.** A written report had been received in the absence of Cncllr. Anthony Hopkins.

2183. **REPORT OF THE DISTRICT COUNCILLOR.** Cncllr Mrs Steel advised that planning decisions would be reported to parishes. It was agreed that planning decisions would in future be included within PC minutes. (**AS THIS INFORMATION IS NOT PART OF A PC MEETING A LIST OF PLANNING DECISIONS WILL BE CIRCULATED TO MEMBERS AND PLACED ON THE PC NOTICE BOARD**)

2184. **FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.** The monthly balance sheet was presented and the following outstanding accounts were approved for payment: Smartcut £234. Clerk £416.10, RFO £136, ICC £16, Children’s Play Adv. £191.40 , Lengthsman £217.

2185. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS.** The following planning applications were recommended for approval: 01070/01071 Car Port, Springmeadow Cottage, Appletree Lane, 00738 Orchard View, Wrens Nest Farm, Internal conversion of workshop and garage, 01075 Great Knighton Farm, Appletree Lane, agricultural development, steel famed agricultural building, 00892/00891 Rock End Cottage, Pepper Street. Enlargement of existing garage, single storey rear ext. insertion of roof light in store room with internal amendments and new garage. 01085 Le Hollier, Stockwood Lane, replacement self build dwelling of building design as approved via PP/16/02350.

2186. **SPEEDWATCH SIGNS.** Arrangements would be made for speed links to be placed at either end of the village.

2187. **HORSES ON PAVEMENTS.** A note would be placed in Whats On drawing attention to the fact that it was illegal for horses to be ridden on pavements. The recent event of horse manure on pavements used by children walking to school had brought this to the attention of the Parish Council.

2188. **ISLA APPLICATION FOR NHB MONEY FOR INSALLATION OF NEW BOILER.** The Clerk would ascertain what self help ISLA had done to raise money towards this and would ask that a second quote be provided for the boiler replacement.

2189. **EXTRA GRASS CUTTING.** Clerk would ascertain whether there was sufficient funding to extend the grass cutting schedule.

2190. **FURTHER COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC.** It was noted that the Tennis Club lease was still ongoing and that the Charity Commission report was awaited. A request was made for the “Quiet Lane” posts to be removed.

2191. **CLERK’S/MEMBERS’ REPORTS.** The question was asked what would be the situation should either ICC or ISLA be bankrupted. It was suggested that as the ICC was a concern “for the benefit of the village” the Charity Commission would need to decide what the benefit of the village would be.

2192. **PLAY AREA.** The annual report had been received which showed a number of required improvements on safety grounds. Cncllr Jane Neal was preparing a report and costings which would be included in the next agenda.

2193. **PC STANDING ORDERS.** Members had been handed a new copy of the revised Inkberrow PC Standing Orders.

Signed.....Chairman Date.....

