

CHILDSWICKHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Childswickham Parish Council Meeting held at The Memorial Hall, Childswickham on Thursday 24th November 2016.

PRESENT Cllr's Mr R Deakin, Cllr Halling (Chairman), Mr J Lowe and Mr J Wade.

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

1. Apologies for Absence.

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllrs Ms S Lewis, Mr S Higgins, Mr G Sanders and Cllr B Thomas (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 the 27th October 2016.

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

4. Finance.

a) To Consider Invoices for Payment.

The Council agreed the following items for payment;-

Grant Thornton	External Audit	£120.00
S Gwilliam	October	£176.00
Mr Hawkins	Grass Nov	£55.00

b) Financial Report.

Has been circulated.

The following remittance has been received;-

WCC	Lengthsman	£132.00
Mrs Douch	Donation	£5,000.00

5. Correspondence.

6. To Consider the Precept for 2016/2017.

The council agreed, in principle, to increase the precept by 2%, hopefully the council will have received the 'tax base' figure from Wychavon before the January meeting.

7. To Discuss The Continued Management Of The Defibrillator.

Cllr J Wade offered to take over from Alan Parker, clerk to E mail contact details to both.

8. To Discuss the New Swings.

Councillors to look at the play area and current swings, with a view to replacement or a further set for a different age group with matting underneath. Also councillors to look 'on line' at what is available and to come to the next meeting with ideas for the clerk to get quotes.

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9. Planning.

a. For Consideration.

W/16/02589/PN - Furrow View, Murcot Road, Childswickham. The council has no planning reason to object.

b. Decided by Wychavon.

Approved.

W/16/02361/PP Brookside, Vicarage Lane, Childswickham.

10. Reports and Updates.

a) Clerk.

Previously circulated.

b) County Councillor.

Report circulated.

c) District Councillor.

Previously circulated.

d) Police Report.

Previously circulated.

e) Playing Field.

f) Broadway Bund.

The council has already agreed to apply for £5,000.00 from New Homes Bonus, Clerk to apply for a further £2,000.00 from the fund.

£3,000.00 has been raised from parish fund raising events.

The council agreed in principle to donate a further £10,000.00 if necessary.

g) Transparency Code Grant – Wi. Fi.

Cllr Wade will investigate the cost of a laptop, Clerk to complete application form.

Clerk to Write to The Memorial Hall regarding installation of a Broadband line and the management of it.

h) Phone Box.

To date no response.

11. Councillors Reports and Items For Future Agenda.

12. Date of Next Meeting.

Thursday 5th January 2017.