

HAWKCHURCH PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Council Meeting held at the Hawkchurch Village Hall on Tuesday 19th June 2018

Present: Cllr's N Over (Chairman), D Searle, S Bartlett, J Baker, T Greenshields, R Fox and R Churchill

In Attendance: The Clerk (Mr J Vanderwolfe), Cllr I Hall (DCC&EDDC) plus five members of the public.

538	Apologies There were no apologies for absence
539	Declarations of Interest There were no Declarations of interest under the Code of Conduct at this stage of the meeting.
540	Minutes The minutes of the Council meeting held on Tuesday 15 th May 2018 were approved as a true record with the following alterations. J Baker is the PCC representative not S Bartlett. The four elected members on the Playfield Committee are Cllr's T Greenshields, N Over, S Bartlett and J Baker. Mr D Cowling and Mr B Gibbons would be co-opted members of this committee. There would also be a representative from the Football Club.
541	Matters Arising from the Minutes There would be a meeting of the Playfield Committee on Tuesday 17 th July at 7pm; followed by the Council meeting at 8pm. Cllr Greenshields provided a short verbal update of Section 106. There is a need to obtain the names of the proposers and seconders of the various proposed schemes. There is at present £1726 in the Section 106 fund. It was felt that there could be a call for additional items for the playfield.
542	County and District Report The meeting was saddened to learn of the recent death of our former County Councillor's son Robert. Cllr Hall had found the Royal Garden Party a very interesting experience. He apologised for the lack of communication in recent months regarding highways, There had been no

	<p>official handover from the retiring officer to the new officer, however our new officer was getting to grips with the problems in the Hawkchurch area. He concluded that if anyone wanted information about Universal Credit they should be signposted to EDDC or Citizens Advice. EDDC are recruiting an events officer to produce income for the council. There has unfortunately been a spate of anti-social and drug related problems in the Axe Valley. There have also been reports of heavy speeding problems in the area. Millwey Rise had run a Millwey Memories event recently. There is a new leader at EDDC. He is Cllr Phillip Skinner, who is the member for Tale Vale. The new EDDC HQ, which will be located in Honiton should be open by the end of the year.</p>
543	<p>Democratic Period A parishioner presented the chairman of the council with a specification for a Badger Road Plate which he felt could solve problems with badgers tunnelling under road surfaces. He remained concerned about the communication problems with the highway authority. Another parishioner informed the meeting that there had been a police meeting in the village earlier today. PC Bolsover hopes to undertake speed checks in the area as soon as possible. The officer could attend the meeting in either the September or October. The clerk would contact him.</p>
544	<p>Air Ambulance The chairman informed the meeting that there were no further developments but hoped to be able to provide details at the July meeting</p>
545	<p>Finance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Accounts for Payment: HMRC £138.00 (938), All Saints PC £10.16 (939), Darren Strawbridge £615.00 (940), Beviss & Beckingsale £940.00 (942). b) Financial Update: The meeting noted the budget v actual expenditure and income report. There was some confusion regarding the understanding of the earmarked reserves and current funds for footpaths. The clerk would try and condense this so that it was easier to understand c) Paperwork for the bank: Authorised councillors were provided with paperwork to take to the bank so that they could sign cheques d) Payments by Bacs: The clerk informed the meeting that this facility should soon be up and running.
546	<p>Councillors' Reports</p> <p>Community Shop: The shop would need to apply for planning permission to extend the temporary position of the shop. In the past this was done through the Parish Council. Agreed that the Parish Council would lead on this.</p> <p>Litter bin: It was hoped that the new bin would be delivered this week.</p> <p>Lottery: New license was in place</p>
547	<p>Playfield lease The lease had now been completed and just required registering with the Land Registry Office.</p>

548	Planning Applications 18/00955/Ful Land and buildings east of Brimley Farmhouse: Retention of widened field entrance and hardstanding. No objection 18/1276/Ful Cornshay Far, Hawkchurch: Construction of two storey extension and porch to front. Support
549	Determinations Castle House, Hawkchurch: Extension. Approved
550	Appeal The chairman informed the meeting that an appeal had been lodged against the decision by EDDC to refuse planning application 17/1270/Ful in respect of a Battery Storage Barn south of Pound Lane. Members supported the position of EDDC opposing the appeal. There was a further vote that the appeal should be dealt with by a public inquiry. It should be noted that there were two abstentions to this vote.
551	Merchant Navy Day Flag Agreed that subject to approval of the PCC a flag would be purchased at the cost of 28.00
552	Highways and Rights of Way The clearing of signs in the village of vegetation has now been completed. Agreed that the first cut of hedges from Damas Lawns to Wareham Road, Yardley Cross to Axe Farm, Downash Lane, Brimley Lane and Hill and Castle Cross to Scouse Cross would be completed Concerns raised regarding the poor standard of the yellow lines outside the school. County Councillor to investigate this. Some trees need cutting back on bridleway 44. Cllr Fox has requested some new springs for gates as a number have failed.
553	Correspondence Nil
554	Items of Urgency Nil
555	Date of Next Meetings Playfield Committee 7pm Tuesday 17 th July Council Meeting 8pm Tuesday 17 th July

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