

**BONSALL PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF BONSALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING OF 15 JANUARY 2008 AT**  
**BONSALL VILLAGE HALL.**

**69/2008/JANUARY– PRESENT**

Cllr Cartwright (chair)	Mr Robertson	Cllr Gregory
County Cllr Ratcliffe	Cllr Taylor	Dist Cllr Purdy
Cllr Lane	Cllr Pountain	Mrs Smith (clerk)
Dist Cllr Hume		

**70/2008/JANUARY– APOLOGIES.**

Cllr Rowlands  
Cllr Engelbregsten

**71/2008/ JANUARY– APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.**

The minutes of the meeting of 11December 2007 were signed as a true record of the meeting and ratified by the Chair.

**72/2008/ JANUARY– DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.**

None received

**73/2008/JANUARY– FINANCE**

Mr Robertson (RFO) was pleased to announce that he had now received a refund of £270.64 from HM Revenue in respect of income tax incorrectly levied on bank interest for the past six years.

Other income: Burial fees £300.00 Bank interest £106.72

**a. Current Financial Statement**

See separate sheet.

**b. Approval and authorisation of work**

<b>Churchyard</b>	No bill this month	00.00
<b>Lengtsman</b>	No bill this month	00.00
<b>Handyman</b>	Dec & Jan 19.5 hours @ £5.52	107.64

**c. Authorisation and payment of cheques**

Mrs C Smith	157.00	
Mr M Biggin	00.00	
Mr G Bunting	00.00	
Mr L Johnson	107.64	
Mr D Robertson	86.71	
Mr K Falconer	Website	100.56

**Total Expenses for this month**

**£451.91**

**74/2008/ JANUARY- REPORTS BACK FROM REPRESENTATIVES.**

**County Councillor Ratcliffe representative for Derbyshire County Council**

County Cllr Ratcliffe updated the PC on the Footpath maintenance and thanked all involved. A complaint about the damage being done by 4x4 vehicles in the village has been sent to Peak District national Park, and a response is awaited.

An application for a goods vehicle operators licence has been applied for at Ball Eye quarry, and concerns were raised that if this is granted it could have implications on the objections put forward for Dunsley Mill. Further information is to be sought.

It is anticipated that the Dunsley Mill application is likely to be presented to DCC planning committee in February, confirmation of this, will be sent to everyone who has written to DCC regarding this.

Significant investment has been granted to DCC to prioritise Older Peoples services in Derbyshire. The Gold Card scheme is to be revised and community and rural transport schemes.

County Cllr Ratcliffe has met with the Highways Inspector and further maintenance is to take place on the Via Gellia road, and tree maintenance is to continue.

A meeting of the Safer Neighbourhoods is to be requested to take place at Bonsall.

County Cllr Ratcliffe left the meeting at 8.10pm.

#### **District Councillor Purdy representative for Derbyshire Dales District Council**

Dist Cllr Purdy has recently met with Chief Inspector Roger Flint and expressed the Masson wards concerns over having not significant Police presence in the area for sometime. Mr Flint said that due to under funding in the area, an officer is not available. PC Wright is still on sick leave and PCO Burns is to attend the next meeting.

The problem with the gulleys at Slaley is still being followed up.

Lime trees at the Church have been reported as requiring maintenance. The Clerk will contact the Church.

#### **P.C. Wright representative for Derbyshire Constabulary**

No report this month

#### **Councillor Taylor reported**

Further difficulties have arisen about the problem of the off-roading on the Moor. It has been noted that people are pulling up fence posts and making fires with them to keep warm. The Moor site is now being shown on the internet site "You Tube", and is attracting an even wider market of visitors. The Police are to be made aware of the further problems arising.

Arter Hill sign is still missing. The Clerk will follow this up.

#### **Councillor Lane reported**

After the recent heavy rain there has been a large amount of debris being brought down from Uppertown down to High Street. Dist Cllr Purdy will ask for the road sweeper to come through the village.

#### **Councillor Cartwright reported**

Cllr Cartwright has contacted Mr Webster about doing some repairs at the Cross and currently Mr Webster is too busy to take on the job. Cllr Cartwright will make enquiries with other contractors.

#### **Clerks report**

Nothing to report this month.

#### **75/2008/JANUARY – VILLAGE IN BLOOM**

Cllr Pountain has received some more information about this and is following this up. Dist Cllr Purdy will enquire about the land next to the garage on Yeoman Street to see if DDDC have any objections to it being used.

#### **76/2008/JANUARY – CORRESPONDENCE**

See separate sheet

#### **77/2008/ JANUARY – MONTHLY REPORT FOR MUTTERINGS.**

Website

Dunsley Mill

Casual vacancy

**78/2008/JANUARY– PLANNING.**

*Planning Applications received from Peak Park Planning & Derbyshire Dales District Council, for consideration by the Parish Council.*

First floor extension, two storey rear side extension, amendment to planning permission  
07/00262/FUL  
Mr & Mrs Gould, Orchard Croft, Ember Lane, Bonsall  
08/00006/FUL

No objections

*Planning application decisions by Peak Park Planning & Derbyshire Dales District Council.*

No planning decisions received this month.

**79/2008/ JANUARY– AGENDA ITEMS FOR THE NEXT MEETING.**

As for December

**NEXT MEETING – 19 FEBRUARY 2008**

Meeting closed at 9.15pm.

CHAIRMANS SIGNATURE:.....

DATE:.....