

## Bonsall Parish Council

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The Minutes of the meeting of **Bonsall Parish Council** held on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March <sup>2013</sup> at 7.30pm at Bonsall Village Hall

**1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.** Cllr Pountain PCSO Coxhead Kath Potter, Cllr Henderson

Present: Cllr Lane (Chair), Cllr Addis, , DCC Cllr Purdy, DDDC Cllr Cartwright, Mr D Robertson (RFO)  
Mrs C Rawas (Clerk) 1 member of the public

**2 VARIATION OF ORDER OF BUSINESS: None**

**3 DECLARATION OF MEMBERS INTERESTS: None.**

**4 PUBLIC SPEAKING:**

Cllr Purdy: DCC are receiving 1,000 calls per week for potholes, more money has been approved please keep reporting any potholes on 08456 058058

Initiative for reducing energy costs 'the Big Deal' register your interest as soon as possible via [www.derbyshire.gov.uk/bigdeals](http://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/bigdeals)

Litter – from Via Gellia up to Ryder Point. PCSO's could issue on the spot fines if they were given the power which could help to reduce the problem.

Cllr Cartwright: On March 27<sup>th</sup> there is a meeting at Wirksworth Leisure Centre for a consultation on travellers site at Homesford Cottage. There is an opportunity on the District Council website to make your views known or attend the meeting. Work continues to fix the leak at Town Head.

Member of the Public No Parking sign, an additional sign requested outside Kings Lodge but it has not been erected yet.

Village Hall Committee considering installation of solar panels (District Council may also be making some money available for adaptations) They will be approaching the Parish Council for financial support

Both electrical cables supplying the Park are faulty and the alternative would be an additional connector in the meter house. Parish Council will investigate as part of the power supply work currently being quoted.

**5 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING - Approved**

**Work in Progress** – Nothing on the toilets. Website: The best option is to renew the website as a blog using wordpress which will allow updating and information to be submitted as well as storage of all the files and links to useful sites and information.

**6 Chair's Announcements** – Bonsall Parish Council do need to co-opt some more Councillors, if anyone is interested, please contact a Councillor for more details.

**7 Village Matters**

- a) **Maintenance:** Where work can't be carried out promptly especially with cutting back Pete Spencer to be asked to carry out the work as part of his duties where possible.

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- b) **Planters in the Village** – Cllr Pountain given delegated authority on a budget of up to £250 to get the planters made and installed.
- c) **Annual Parish Meeting 2013** – to be held at 7pm on May 21<sup>st</sup> Agenda items to Clerk 10<sup>th</sup> May
- d) **County Council Elections** will take place on May 2<sup>nd</sup>, Cllr Purdy will not be standing for re-election

### 8 FINANCE

RFO pointed out that the increase in % of Council Tax shown on Council Tax Bills is due to taking on responsibility for keeping the public toilets open.

- a) Monthly statement to 27/2/13 circulated to Council Members and approved.
- b) Expenditure:

Clerk - 20 hours @ £8.919 = £178.38 less PAYE £35.60 = £142.78  
RFO - 12 hours @ £8.919 = £107.03 less PAYE £21.40 = £85.63 plus exps £111.03 = £196.66  
Lengthsman - 12 hours @ £7.45 = £89.40 less PAYE £53.40 plus exps £15.00 = £51.00  
Ladywell Accountancy Services - £95.00  
HMRC - PAYE to 5/4/13 - £327.00  
DALC - Subs - £229.45  
Peak Park Parishes Forum - Subs - £6.00

- c) Authorisation & payment of cheques:

Cheque No	Payee	For	Amount
1417	C Rawas	Salary	£142.78
1418	D Robertson	Salary + exps	£196.66
1419	P Spencer	Salary + exps	£ 51.00
1420	Ladywell	Acc. Services	£ 95.00
1421	HMRC	PAYE	£327.00
1422	DALC	Subs	£229.45
1423	Peak PPF	Subs	£ 6.00
		Total	£1047.89
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- d) Other matters:

E.ON had notified increases on electricity supply to Park Bottom. It was decided not to seek alternative supplier until after Summer Gala.

### 10 PLANNING

- a) **To consider planning applications received**

13/00104/FUL Mr&MrsG Hardy South View & Yew Tree Cottage Arter Hill Bonsall Derbyshire DE4 2AZ Single storey front and two storey rear extensions – No Objection

Next meeting: 16<sup>th</sup> April 7.30pm. Annual Parish Meeting to be held on May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm