

Bonsall Parish Council

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Minutes of the **Bonsall Parish Council Meeting** held on Tuesday 18th October at 7.30pm.
(To be approved)

Present: Councillor D Lane (Chair), Councillor A Brazewell, Cllr D Pountain, Cllr K Taylor Mrs C Rawas
(Clerk) Mr D Robertson (Finance Officer) DDDC Cllr Hulme DCC Cllr Purdy 1 member of the public

9/10/1. Apologies for absence., Cllr B Cartwright, Cllr A Gregory

9/10/2. Any variation on order of business. None

Declaration of Members interests in this Agenda. None Declared

9/10/3. Public Speaking –

Cllr Purdy reported DCC public consultations are currently being held on Transport and Winter Maintenance.

Cllr Purdy requested that Gulleys in the village be checked and any blockages reported ASAP
Additional money is being requested for Grit Bins.

The Impact of the Spending Review is likely to be understood in November/December

Cllr Hulme reported that the appeal Date for Dunsley Mill in 21st March and DDDC would welcome public support at the Committee Meeting.

CALC (Matlock Leisure Centre) was 'topped out' Monday 18th October – all on schedule.

9/10/4. Approval of the Minutes of the Council meeting held on Tuesday 17th August 2010.

Approved. Notes of the non-quorate September meeting do not need to be approved.

9/10/5. Reports from Parish Councillors

- a) **Planning Applications** – responses sent and information received
NP/DDD/0910/0973 Retrospective Application for engineering operations and change of use
Hollies Farm Plant Centre – Uppertown Lane . Recommend Approval
Permission Notices: Ms Webb and Ms Collier, Mr and Mrs T & C Marshall and Heathcote
- b) Speeding traffic in Bonsall – A DCC survey has been carried out previously, DCC would not consider the Village for traffic calming measures. Cllrs recommend as a Village we investigate the 'Speedwatch' campaign with PSCO Jones and consider the use of 'Speedboards' to remind driver to be considerate and careful
- c) Update on repairs to The Cross – Cllrs wish to consider a project to renovate the historical stonework in the village – The Cross, The Fountain, War Memorials and Wells. Cllr Brazelwell is developing a funding bid.
- d) Vacancies for Councillors – Deferred until full Council is present at ameeting
- e) Part payment of membership for Society of Local Council Clerks (shared 50% with Brassington) - Approved

9/10/6 Finance

Financial statement for p.e. 8/10/10 were issued to Parish Councillors.

b) Approval and authorisation of work and bills:

Clerk - 20 hours @ £8.919 = £178.38 less PAYE £35.68 = £142.70 (no expenses)

RFO - 10 hours @£8.919 = £89.19 less PAYE £17.84 = £71.35 plus expenses £4.83 = £76.18

Lengthsman - 24 hours @ £6.56 = £157.44 less PAYE £31.49 = £125.95 plus expenses (fuel) £20.00 =

£145.95

Handyman - 18 hours @ £6.56 = £118.08 less PAYE £23.62 = £94.46 (no expenses)

Churchyard - 22 hours @ £6.56 = £144.32 less PAYE £28.86 = £115.46 plus expenses (fuel) £10.00 =

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£125.46

E.On electricity bill for light at the Cross £15.81
E.On electricity bill for the Park £17.90
Alison Gregory - reimbursement of invoice paid for football nets £75.00

c) Authorisation and payment of cheques:

Cheque No	Payee	For	Amount
1231	C Rawas	Salary	£142.70
1232	D S Robertson	Salary & exps	£76.18
1233	P Spencer	Salary & exps	£145.95
1234	L Johnson	Salary	£94.46
1235	M Biggin	Salary & exps	£125.46
1236	E.On	Electricity	£15.81
1237	E.On	Electricity	£17.90
1238	A Gregory	Football nets	£75.00
		Total	£693.46

Recommended for approval

9/10/7 Monthly report for Mutterings – The Dog Bin Request for the Dale, Cllr Purdy’s Community Fund, Request for comments on Winter Maintenance, proposal for the next meeting that the August Parish Council meeting should in future comprise a walkround of the Village to help shape plans for the forthcoming year.

Clerks Report and Correspondence

DDDC are no longer installing Dog Bins, they will review the placement of the bins and the signage around the village. The Village planters are to be filled with winter flowers after they have been re-painted
DDDC – consultation on making planning applications available electronically. Cllrs requested hard copies still be sent as well.

9/10/8

Monthly report for Mutterings to include:

Speedwatch – volunteers needed

Dog Bins

Area Community Forums are being held, please pass on feedback either to Parish Council or directly to DDDC

Re-painting of the planters and planting of winter flowers.

9/10/9

Date of next meeting 16th November

Date for Agenda Items to be submitted to the Clerk 5th November

Meeting closed at 8.40pm