

## BONSALL PARISH COUNCIL

### MINUTES OF BONSALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING OF 21 JULY 2009 AT BONSALL VILLAGE HALL.

#### PRESENT

Councillor D Lane (Chair)  
Councillors L Howsley, A Brazewell, D Pountain  
Mr D Robertson (Finance Officer), Mrs C McDowell (Clerk)

County Cllr G Purdy, District Cllr P Hume and 4 members of public

#### 27/2009 APOLOGIES.

Councillors B Cartwright, A Gregory

PCSO Brooking

#### 28/2009 APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.

RESOLVED to confirm the notes of the meeting of 16 June 2009 as a true record of the meeting and ratified by the Chair

#### 29/2009 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

No declarations of interest declared.

#### 30/2009 PUBLIC SPEAKING

Concerns were raised about the untidy state of the Village lorry park it appears that rubbish had been left in the long grass. A member of the public informed the council that he would ring the DDDC and report the fly tipping and ask that it be removed prior to the carnival. The village toilets were also in a mess and in need of attention prior to the carnival, Cllr Pountain was to address this issue.

Trees overhanging the highway on the Via Gellia are causing concern to residents following a recent accident. County Cllr Purdy will raise this issue with the Highways department.

Cllr Purdy reported that he had been in contact with DCC about the road sign at the top of Salters Lane and that action was underway to rectify this matter and that the PPJPB were unable to act further on Blakemore Pit until 2010 due to lack of resources but were still monitoring monthly.

#### 31/2009 FINANCE

a. **Financial Statements** for p.e. 30/6/09 were issued to Councillors.

b. **Income:** Burial fees - £30; PAYE refund (RFO) £181.23

#### **c. Approval & authorisation of work etc:**

Lengthsman – 30 hours @ £6.56 = £196.80  
Less PAYE @20% = £39.36  
Net pay = £157.44  
Plus expenses (petrol) = £10.00  
**Total = £167.44**

Churchyard – 18.5 hours @ £6.56 = £121.36  
Less PAYE @20% = £24.27  
Net pay = £97.09  
Plus Exps (trimmer) = £13.64  
**Total= £110.73**

Handyman - hours @ £6.56 = £  
Less PAYE @20% = £  
Net pay = £

Clerk – Salary = £164.76  
Less PAYE = £(32.80)  
Net salary = £131.96  
Plus expenses = £nil

<b>Total</b>	<b>= £131.96</b>
RFO - Salary	= £82.38
Less PAYE	= <u>£(16.40)</u>
Net salary	= £65.98
Plus expenses	= <u>£ 6.66</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>= £72.64</b>

Councillor Howsley – expenses for Calor Village competition - £28.12

Request for funding: Mutterings (printing costs) £500 – approved by Council

**d.Payment of cheques:**

<u>Cheque No</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Amount</u>
1113	HMRC	PAYE	£277.20
1114	P. Spencer	Salary & Exps	£167.44
1115	M Biggin	Salary & Exps	£110.73
1116	L Johnson	Salary	£91.84
1117	C McDowell	Salary	£131.96
1118	D S Robertson	Salary & Exps	£72.64
1119	E-on	Lighting (The Cross)	£8.23
1120	E-on	Lighting (Park)	£44.18
1121	DALC	Training course	£15.00
1122	Hollies Farm	Plants	£67.20
1123	Mutterings	Donation	£500.00
1124	L Howsley	Expenses	£28.12

**e.Other matters:**

Telephone kiosks – after correspondence with British Telecom, it was ascertained that the PC had adopted both kiosks (The Dale and Slaley). Due to the high cost of disconnection of the electricity supply, it was decided that the existing lighting would be retained and added to the PC non-metered schedule. BT and Central Networks were informed.

**32/2009 ADDITIONAL INSCRIPTIONS ON MEMORIALS - HERMAN HEELEY & NORA MARTIN MEMORIAL AND KENNETH & CELIA MARY BAKER**

RESOLVED to approve additional inscriptions as per stonemason's request.

**33/2009 TREE THINNING WITHIN THE PARK**

RESOLVED to establish who the landowner is and who is responsible for the trees.

**34/2009 RIGHTS OF WAY MINOR MAINTENANCE SCHEME**

RESOLVED RFO to claim grant on PC'S behalf.

**35/2009 DCC EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY AWARDS**

RESOLVED to nominate the Bonsall Barns Project under the Protecting Derbyshire category.

**36/2009 2009 PARISHES DAY – 19 SEPTEMBER 2009**

RESOLVED to send 1 member of the Council to be arranged nearer the time.

**37/2009 PARISH COUNCIL VACANCIES**

RESOLVED to display posters advertising 2 vacancies on the Council.

**38/2009 WEB PAGE**

RESOLVED to post agendas and minutes to PC web page, Cllr Brazewell to give all relevant info to Clerk.

**39/2009 MONTHLY WASTE COLLECTION**

RESOLVED to continue with the co-operation of District Councillor's Hume & Purdy to resolve this matter with the Environmental Services Team on behalf of the village.

**40/2009 REPORTS FROM PARISH COUNCILLORS**

RESOLVED to note that

Cllr Brazewell had attended the Minerals & Waste strategies workshop and was continuing his work within the village to develop youth activities.

Cllr Housley had spent the day with the judges of the Calor Village awards and that they were suitably impressed but there were no results as yet.

Cllrs Brazewell & Housley attended a site visit to the village with members of Derbyshire Dales District Council, Nottingham Community Housing Association & Parish Council members to look at possible sites which could be considered for potential affordable housing. A number of potential sites have been identified and further discussions to find a suitable site will be taking place.

The Bonsall Business Group were trying to bring the village together to come up with suggestions for a BBC programme called Village SOS and a public meeting was to take place on 10<sup>th</sup> August.

**41/2009 MONTHLY REPORT FOR MUTTERINGS.**

RESOLVED to report in the mutterings on Affordable Housing, Saturday Morning waste collection, PC Vacancies and Web Page update.

**42/2009 PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED**

09/00296/FUL

Ground floor/first floor extensions to provide dependant relative accommodation  
Rehoboth, Uppertown, Bonsall

NP/DDD/0609/0510

Extension and alteration works to existing dwelling  
Laburnum Cottage, Uppertown, Bonsall

RESOLVED to comment NO OBJECTIONS.

**43/2009 ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

The following items were reported for the information of members: -

Dalc Circulars Nos 33-39 / 2009

Rural Services Community Newsletter.

**NEXT MEETING – 18 August 2009**

CHAIRMAN'S SIGNATURE:.....

DATE:.....