

LANGWATHBY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of Langwathby Parish Council held on
Thursday 20 March 2014 in the Village Hall, Langwathby

Apologies for absence

None received

Present

Cllrs: Mr D H Banks (in the Chair), Mr W Mounsey, Mr I S Harrington, Mrs C Merrie, Mr C Little, Mr P Jackson, Mrs P Williams, Mr S Peet, Mr M Holliday, Mr B Benn and 3 members of the public

557 Minutes

To authorise the chairman to sign the minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council held Thursday 16 January 2014 as a true record.

558 Declarations of Interest

Noted Mr D Banks and Mr I Harrington's role on the Village Hall Committee. No other declarations were made.

559 Public Participation

559.1 No requests were received

559.2 District Councillor, Mr M Holliday, updated the Parish Council on planning matters and street lighting.

560 Neighbourhood Planning

Mr Fergus McMorrow, Eden District Council, gave a presentation on Neighbourhood Planning.

561 Village Hall

Mrs M Truman organising a series of fundraising events for the village hall.

562 Planning Matters

562.1 14/0055 Land off Storey Bank, Langwathby - proposed agricultural small holding - observations: large development on the skyline, proposed site outside of the Parish boundary, concerns for future scale and proposed use, possible land contamination and development in open countryside.

563 Highways and Land Matters

563.1 Property Inspections

Langwathby North: Cemetery wall to point, grass edges to cut, trees & shrubs to be maintained.

Langwathby South: Bus shelter to be painted. War Memorial tidy. Trees ok. Car park ok.

Edenhall: Small swing ok. Large swings - work in progress. Picnic bench ok.

Pinfold ok. Noticeboard ok. Bus shelter - window frames require repair. Lady's Walk seat - ok.

563.2 War Memorial, Langwathby

Pollock Transport accepted liability for damage. Insurance company require 2 quotes for repair works and photographic evidence of damage.

563.3 Maintenance - Langwathby Cemetry

Quotes for treeworks be sought.

563.4 The village green and sports field, Edenhall

Two dog fouling signs to be erected on the green.

563.5 Damage to the village green, Langwathby

M Holliday to fix with road planings. S Peet to fill wheel ruts with soil.

563.6 Gate at The Meadows

Damaged gate and poor condition of footpath to be reported to Eden Housing Association.

564 Finance**564.1 The following balances we noted:**

Penrith Building Society	£8,598.49
Barclays	£203.45
VAT to be claimed	£19.66
Total Assets	£8821.60

564.2 The following payments were approved:

PWLB	£3,726.00
Norris & Fisher	£1,566.03
gca -webdesign	£71.86
Clerks quarterly salary	£600.00
Postage	£6.60
Ink	£12.49
E.on 31 Jan - 28 Feb	£69.66
Xtreme signs	£52.50

564.3 The following receipts were noted:

	Able Memorials	£50.00
VHC	E.on 1-18 Nov	£52.36
	E.on 23 Nov	£68.02
	Cater Kwick	£91.95
	Scottish Fuels	£553.04
	C Parsons Electrical	£401.52
	Field View Electrical Inv 6309	£36.00
	Chubb	£79.52

565 Insurance

Estimates for rebuild costs for bus shelters be sought for insurance purposes.

566 Arrangements for Annual Parish Meeting

Mr J Leveson to be invited to speak about Transplant Games.

567 Councillor Matters

1. Potholes at: brickworks A686, Powleys Farm, adjacent to noticeboard, top of Green Lane close to junction with A686
2. Condition of road surface Eden Straits
3. Parked vans adjacent to Village Green, Langwathby
4. Lorries being misdirected through village - request CCC to erect signs to Frank Birds Poultry at either end of village to direct HGVs
5. EDC be reminded of planning condition for replacement trees at Stratheden, Langwathby
6. Several of the recycling bins, Langwathby, have gone missing.

13. Correspondence, notices and publications

Correspondence received since the last meeting and not on the agenda was noted.

14. Date of next meeting – Thursday 8 May 2014 (Annual Parish Meeting) at 7.30pm in Main Hall, Langwathby Village Hall. A review of meeting dates to be considered at the next meeting.