

REETH PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES of the Meeting

held on Monday 26th July 2010 at 7pm in the Memorial Hall, Reeth

Present: Cllr M Gardner (Chairman), Cllrs D Allinson, RW Rutter, D Hutchinson & OJ Kendall, Mrs T Little, IC Scott (Clerk).

1. Apologies for absence were received from Cllr M Bearpark
2. The Minutes of the meeting held on 28th June 2010 had been circulated. After one amendment had been agreed it was proposed by Cllr Allinson, seconded by Cllr Kendall that the Minutes be approved and all were in favour.
3. Matters Arising
 - 3.1 Bob Baker risk assessment is still required
 - 3.2 The Clerk to ascertain whether a grant can be obtained for repairing the steps..
 - 3.3 The Clerk to prepare a "Preferred Contractor" List and to invite applications from local Traders by advertising in the Gazette.
 - 3.4 The spring in the Playground gate had been mended.
 - 3.5 The Clerk to contact J. Dawson about having Parish Minutes etc. displayed on a web site
 - 3.6 A sign "No Dogs" for the playground had been acquired
 - 3.7 Cllr Kendall is making progress with the purchase of a plaque commemorating the Recces. Cllrs Hutchinson and Rutter proposed and seconded that the estimate of £300 for the plaque be accepted.
 - 3.8 Swale dale Outdoors had completed a new form regarding their signs on the Green.
 - 3.9 The Clock light is not working
 - 3.10 The Clerk to send a copy of the estimate for repairing the steps to Cllr Gardner who will be Project Manager and to inform the contractors accordingly
4. Correspondence had been received from the following:
 - (1) NYCC – e-mail re Kerbing and Green Lanes. There are other kerbs needing attention
 - (2) NYCC re street lighting
 - (3) Farnell Construction requesting a site meeting at Metcalfe's Farm. Cllr Bearpark and Hutchinson are to meet Mr Bowers
 - (4) YDNP – conditional approval for the Old Butchers Yard
 - (5) Richmondshire DC feedback re affordable Housing Day it was felt that there had been a good response from people in the area.

- (6) County Library Service “Action for the Blind”. Stand on 16 Sept was agreed. They can use the electric at their own risk.
- (7) Receipt from Yorkshire Cancer Research.

5. A Quotation from Ian Hall for the renewal of the Electric point on the Green was considered. Cllr Allinson is to see Ian Hall to clarify the “scope” of the quotation. Cllr Gardner is of the opinion that the cable protectors will be replacing one trip hazard by another. The Clerk and Cllr Gardner are to draft a letter to the stall holders.

6. It was proposed by Cllr Rutter second by Cllr Hutchinson and resolved that a cheque for Reeth Memorial Hall in the sum of £70 be signed.

7. Market Report
£1580 had been paid in together with £14 from Healaugh Honesty Box.

8. The next meeting is to be held in September unless the Clerk arranges one in August.

9. Any Other Business

1. From now on £50 will be requested before permissions will be granted for a non local seat on the Green

2. Bob Baker to be asked to strim grass before Reeth Show.

3. The Clerk to remind businesses having tables on the High Row that they have an obligation to keep the area tidy.

4. Complaints have been received concerning the state of the cobbles on the High Row

5. The Clerk to ask Bob Baker to look at the Millennium seat in Healaugh which is in need of repair.

6. The Clerk to remind County highways of the jobs still requiring attention including the “Keep Clear” sign at Hudson House.

7. There always seems to be water on the road near to Cambridge House.

8. There are pot holes in Back Lane which need attention.

9. Vandals are burning paper and plastic in the Shelter.

10. A letter had been received from Ian Broadwith of YDNP regarding the RDC Heritage Fund and the problems at Rawcroft. The Clerk to mention the Stepping Stones at Barney Beck