

REETH PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES of the Meeting held on 18 April 2011 at 7pm in Reeth Memorial Hall

Present: Cllr M. Bearpark (Chairman) Cllrs D. Allinson, D. Hutchinson, R.W Rutter, O. J. Kendall & M Gardner, Mr. I. C. Scott (Clerk), Mrs. T. Little (Press) .

1. There were no apologies for absence.
2. The Minutes of the last meeting having been circulated, they were approved subject to one amendment and duly signed.
3. Matters arising:
 1. Amended Plans for Metcalfe's Farm have been received.
 2. The moles at Healaugh Top Green need catching.
 3. It is believed that it is an offence to park within 15 metres of a road junction.
 4. Dr Corbett has not contacted the Builder about the seat base.
 5. The Bandstand and the cobbles have been repaired.
 6. The Police say they cannot stop someone parking at Mill Hill if it is a public highway.
 7. The Police have spoken to the youths in the Shelter.
 8. Swaledale Outdoors have 3 finger boards and one A board.
4. Correspondence:
 1. The Memorial Hall accounts have been received.
 2. Notice of Audit has been received from Mazars. The annual Return needs to be approved by 30 June 2011.
 3. Richmond Community Safety Partnership had written regarding the School.
 4. Letters from Mr & Mrs Bain and Mr Blodwell regarding Metcalfe's Farm had been received.
 5. NYCC say that funds may not be available for the Leader programme.
 6. The Council to reiterate their position on the Dales to Lakes project.
 7. RDC have noted that we want to pay for Play Area inspections.
 8. Temporary Road Closures will need 10 weeks prior Notice.
5. Market Report:

£103 had been received this week from the Market .
Mr Parker to be told that he has been placed on the list should a vacancy in the Market arise.
6. The New Order of Service for Remembrance Sunday was approved

7. There were two estimates for repairing the setts at Healaugh namely Tony Sunter @ £60 a square metre and R & H Builders @ £55 a square metre. The lower estimate is to be accepted. Cllr Gardner to be appointed Project Manager.
8. It was resolved that the repairs to the Play Area proceed as estimated but that the future of the Aerial Swing be reviewed in 6 months time.
9. It was resolved to accept the lower quote of £ 1,100.68 from Zurich for the Insurance cover as opposed to £1401.05 from AON.
10. Any Other Business:
 1. The weeds on the High Row need spraying.
The Clerk to write a strong letter to the businesses when circulating the Green Agreements.
 2. The area around the Bandstand needs attention.
 3. The Double Litter bin near the WCs should be swapped with the single one on High Row. The Clerk to write to RDC.
 4. A new Kubota 21 hp ride on Mower has a list price of £8225 plus VAT. Cllr Allinson to collect quotes from various dealers.
 5. It was noted that the cattle grid on Arkengarthdale Road is higher than the adjoining roadway.