REETH PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES of a Meeting held on Monday 25th June 2012

Present: Councillor M Bearpark (Chairman) Councillors OJ Kendall, D Allinson, G Frankland, RW Rutter, M Gardner, Councillors R Gale & J Blackie Mrs T Little (Press) & IC Scott (Clerk)

- 1. There were no apologies for absence.
- 2. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read approved and signed.
- 3. Matters Arising.
 - 3.1 The Clerk to arrange a gift voucher for £25.00.
 - 3.2 Two estimates to be sought for dismantling the chimes.
 - 3.3 The Clerk reported that the YDNP are looking at the procedure for registering the footpath near the Copper Kettle on the Definitive Plan.
 - 3.4 A new sign "To the Market Place" is being arranged.
 - 3.5 The car at Healaugh maybe on land belonging to Reeth Moor.
 - 3.6 Dr Corbett is to be asked to contact the approved contractors for a price for the new seat.
- 4. Correspondence.
 - 1. Letter of thanks had been received from Black Sheep for the use of the Village Green for the Firkin Challenge which raised £17,000 for Wooden Spoon.
 - 2. Smith of Derby say the chimes can be looked at if they are disconnected and made available for collection.
 - 3. Michael Briggs (Area Ranger) re: new bins which are awaited.
 - 4. The Clerk to reply to a complaint about the grass not being cut.
- 5. A Resolution was passed to pay the following:
 - 1. Reeth Garage £78.35 fuel
 - 2. Zurich Insurance Premium Tax £57.02
 - 3. Npower £144.99
 - 4. R Baker Grass cutting £192.78
- 6 Half Moon Cellar.

Copy correspondence from 2001 was produced. The clerk to ask NYCC Highways to mark an area off.

- 7. Market Report & Honesty Boxes.
 - 41 stalls £492 had been received and £1127 from the Honesty Boxes.
- 8. HM The Queens Diamond Jubilee and distribution of Commemorative Mugs.

There are 47 mugs left (one was broken).

9. Accounts.

The audited accounts were produced.

10. Code of Conduct.

It was proposed by Councillor Bearpark seconded by Councillor Gardner and agreed that the new Code of Conduct being introduced at Richmondshire District Council should be adopted.

11. Any other business.

- 11.1 The Mobile Skip will be in Reeth 21 July 9am 1pm.
- 11.2 Councillor Blackie gave a quick report on DITA, the mobile skip, the Friarage and ambulance resources.
- 11.3 The Trees near Prospect House need cutting back.
- 11.4 There is a blocked drain near the Temperance Bookshop.
- 11.5 The Clerk to ask David Clark if he can spray the High Row.
- 11.6 It was agreed that Mr R Tarren can put down some quarry waste at Healaugh on the access to his garage.
- 11.7 There are loose flagstones near Harker View.
- 11.8 There is a broken drain in Back Lane.
- 11.9 Swaledale Festival Banners have not been removed yet.
- 11.10 There are cracks in Grinton Bridge.
- 11.11 The Cattle Grid at the Water Splash is filling with rubble.
- 11.12 The new Library Service will be located at Hudson House.
- 11.13 The snicket near Mrs Clarkson's bungalow can't be cut back until after the end of the nesting season. Then it will be tarmaced with a rough finish.
- 11.14 Some grass cutting in Arkengarthdale Road is needed.
- 11.15 The "Hen" in the playground needs a new spring.