

Minutes of the Penton Grafton Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday 12th November 2019 in the Committee Room, The Fairground Village Hall at 7.30pm.

Present: Cllr Mr G Light – Chairman
Cllr Mr J Marsh – Vice Chairman
Cllr Mrs P Foster
Cllr Mrs P West
Cllr Mrs J Osborne
Richard Waterman – Parish Clerk
County Councillor Mrs Z Brooks
Borough Councillor Mrs L Lashbrook
Mrs R Smith

Apologies: Cllr Mr S McKay

WELCOME.

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting

DECLARATION OF INTEREST.

Cllr Mrs P Foster declared an interest in the Fairground Hall and the Fairground Site.
Cllr Mrs J Osborne declared an interest in the Cottage Charity and the Fairground Hall.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.

The Chairman signed the minutes of the previous meeting as a true record. Matters arising from those minutes:

WEYHILL BOTTOM CROSSROADS – The crossroads at Weyhill Bottom are still being monitored, there have been no further reported incidents.

PENTON LANE – The deep potholes are due to be repaired, a road closure notice has been posted.

SPEED LIMIT IN CLANVILLE – After the recent vehicle accident in Clanville Cllr Mr J Marsh wrote to Steve Woodward about getting the speed limit in Clanville extended to the County Boundary. Steve Woodward replied stating that this would not be possible and that there are 'Road Narrow' signs. A site meeting will be organised by Cllr Mrs Z Brooks with Cllr Mr J Marsh and a representative from Hampshire Highways

DUCK POND – Cllr Mrs Z Brooks confirmed that Paul Walsh has not been authorized to proceed with the work at the Duck Pond.

The Clerk reported that Paul Walsh has agreed to meet with him to show what needs to be done, the Clerk suggested that Mr Graham North be contacted to see if he would quote to carry out the work of clearing the old duck pond.

The Parish Council thought this a good idea, it was hoped that the meeting will take place before Christmas and that the work can be completed as soon as possible.

VILLAGE GATEWAYS – No further news to report.

RED POST LANE – Cllr S McKay will be asked to report on this issue at the January Meeting.

WEYHILL PETROL STATION.

Cllr Mrs Z Brooks reported that Hampshire County Council have been contacted regarding the land issue and things are proceeding.

PLANNING

19/02546/FULLN and 19/02547/LBWN – Formation of swimming pool and timber plant hut, repairs to front boundary wall, replacement timber gates, rebuild courtyard wall – Clanville House, Penton Park Lane, Clanville – NO OBJECTIONS.

FINANCE.

FINANCIAL POSITION – 12th November 2019

Lloyds TSB Current Account	£ 5,193.83 (28/10/19)
Premium 10-day Account 1.5%	£ 17,538.98
10 Day Account	£ 1,202.49
Instant Access	£ 794.98
	<u>£24,730.28</u>

PAYMENTS – October and November 2019

R.N. Waterman	Administration – October	£300.00
R.N. Waterman	Administration – November	£300.00
Lloyds	Bank Charges	£14.30
Mr C Wilkins	Grass Cutting and Maintenance	£351.51
Michelle Shill	Website	£130.95
R.N. Waterman	Stamps	£19.70
Shipton Bellinger PC	FSS Maintenance	£164.81
		<u>£1,281.27</u>

COUNTY COUNCILLOR MRS Z BROOKS.

Cllr Mrs Z Brooks had nothing to report as she is in purdah leading up to the General Election.

BOROUGH COUNCILLOR MRS L LASHBROOK.

Cllr Mrs L Lashbrook also had nothing to report as she is also in purdah leading up to the General Election.

PARISH COUNCILLORS REPORTS

CLLR MRS J OSBORNE – Reported that Weyhill Cemetery has been voted the 2nd best kept cemetery in the UK. This is down to the hard work of Sue. Sue has done a lot of clearing work in the cemetery and has found additional graves. Sue has also found a water connection for the cemetery. The Parish Council thought that it would be a nice gesture to send Sue a thank you card and a bouquet of flowers.

CLLR P WEST – Cllr Mrs P West, Cllr Mrs J Osborne and the Clerk had met with Mr David Gleave and the TVBC Conservation Officer to discuss the Fairground Site. Due to the sensitive nature of the discussion the Parish Council will be briefed first before making this public.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.

It was reported that on the 23rd October 2019 there had been a discharge of sewage from the Fairground access road. This practice did disturb some residents of Casterbridge Lane.

It was reported that the 'St Margaret's' sign needs replacing. This will be reported to TVBC.

CLOSE OF THE MEETING

The Chairman thanked everyone for coming and closed the meeting.

DATES OF THE 2020 MEETINGS

7th January

10th March

12th May

14th July

8th September

10th November