

SMALLEY PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of Smalley Parish Council held on Monday 17th October 2016
At 7.30pm in the Church Hall, Smalley

106/16 Present

Councillors S Bowers (Chairman), J Walker MBE (Vice-Chairman), G Rogers, E Feenan
W Judson, B Leivers, M Miller, T Pride, S Goddard

107/16 Public Participation

Mrs J Ainsworth asked members for permission to use the Tavern Plantation.

RESOLVED: Members agreed to give Mrs Ainsworth permission to use the Tavern
Plantation for the Forest School Project

108/16 Councillor Buttery

Cllr Buttery reported that Highways Department at DCC were considering putting 'slow
down' signs on Bell Lane

109/16 Police Report

None

Clerk to write to request a presence at the next meeting and for reports to be sent ahead of
parish council meetings.

110/16 Apologies

Cllr N Padget and Cllr R Illiffe

100/16 Declaration of Members Interests

RESOLVED: Members agreed to take any Declarations of Members Interests as they
occur in the meeting.

101/16 Minutes of Meeting dated 19th September 2016

**Item 95/16 – Cllr S Goddard was present at the meeting. Cllr Pride did not attend the
meeting.**

RESOLVED: The minutes were agreed as a correct record and duly signed by the Chairman.

102/16 Planning

AVA/2016/0981 – 93 Main Road, Smalley
Alterations to fenestration – no objections

AVA/2016/0984 – 17 Lowe Avenue, Smalley
Retrospective application for Garden Shed and a canopy – no objections

103/16 Report of the Parish Clerk

a) Monthly Playground Inspections

The playgrounds have been inspected and there are no faults to report.

Playdale will be installing the chain on the play equipment on Stainsby Meadow tomorrow.

b) Dobhole Lane Pavilion Showers

Waiting for 2 more quotations from Contractors.

c) Hanging Baskets

RESOLVED: Members agreed that 18 hanging baskets will be purchased for next Spring/Summer. This is to be put into the budget for next year.

d) Christmas Light

RESOLVED: Members agreed that the 3 year contract from Leisure Lites to be purchased for the new Christmas Lights. Clerk to arrange for the stress testing of the lamp posts and to order the new lights.

RESOLVED: The Christmas Light Committee was given delegated powers to ensure the project is up and running for Christmas.

e) Payback Scheme

Clerk reported she had been in contact with the Payback Scheme and a site meeting had taken place. Rachel Marriott from Payback Scheme will try to arrange for the brambles/overgrowth to be cut back before the Halloween Walk.

f) Tree felling

RESOLVED: Groundsman to fell the dead tree on Dobholes Lane Recreation Ground.

g) Lay flat bollards

Lay flat bollard quotes obtained. Clerk to chase up quotation for the proposed wall at Stainsby Meadow.

Clerk to write to Mr Fletcher on Dobholes Lane requesting the overgrown trees from his property are cut back.

The planters on Stafford Close have been replanted with compost, bulbs and plants

104/16 Finance

RESOLVED: The following payments to be made;

<i>Shelter Maintenance</i>	£78.54
<i>Clerk/Groundsman/Expenses</i>	£998.40
<i>HMRC</i>	£277.98
<i>NT Services</i>	£255.00
<i>Smalley PCC – mowing of burial ground 16x</i>	£160.00
<i>BTC Mowing Smalley Dam</i>	£60.00
<i>DALC</i>	£25.00
<i>Excel – Stationery</i>	£40.41

Direct Debits

<i>e-on</i>	£30.89
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105/16 Items for Information

Approval for memorials for G S Charles and D Genever.

Meeting closed at 8.40 pm