

**SMALLEY PARISH COUNCIL**  
**Minutes of Smalley Parish Council held on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2017**  
**At 7.30pm in the Church Hall, Smalley**

**108/17 Present**

Cllrs S Bower (Chairman), J Walker MBE (Vice-Chairman), E Feenan, N Paget, G Rogers, W Judson T Pride, B Leivers, M Miller, Cllr Gray and Cllr K Buttery

**109/17 Public Participation**

None

**110/17 Apologies**

None

**111/17 Co-Option of Parish Councillor**

**RESOLVED:** Members confirmed that all democratic procedures had been fulfilled and therefore Mrs Sue Gray be co-opted on to Smalley Parish Council.

**112/17 Declaration of Acceptance**

Cllr Gray sign the declaration of acceptance

**113/17 Declaration of Members Interests**

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

**114/17 Minutes of Meeting dated 16<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

**RESOLVED:** Members agreed the minutes were correct record and duly signed by the Chairman.

**RESOLVED:** Cllr Walker declared an interest in the following item.

The mower which is owned jointly between the Church and Parish Council and is used to mow the burial ground requires a service.

**RESOLVED:** Members agreed that the Parish Council will pay half towards the service of the mower from last year and half of the service this year.

Clerk to arrange for Mr Tadman to strim around the trough and strim below the hedge from the railed bridge by Old Green Farm to house no 152 Main Road.

Cllr Bower reported that the pavements opposite Kerry Drive had been inspected by Derbyshire County Council and will be repaired as soon as the necessary resources are available.

It was noted that the Spookfest was a highly successful event.

### ***115/17 Planning***

#### ***AVA/2017/1152***

First floor extension to side of existing property  
33 Main Road, Smalley – no objections

#### ***AVA/2017/1243***

16a Cloves Hill, Morley  
Demolish existing conservatory and construct a new single storey extension to form a dining kitchen/sun lounge – No objections

#### ***AVA/2017/1256***

11 Woodside, Morley  
Proposed erection of a new 4 bedroom dwelling  
Cllr Leivers and Cllr Pride will inform members of comments this week once the plans are available to see on the website.

### ***116/17 Report of the Parish Council***

#### ***a) Monthly Play Ground Inspections***

Cllr Rogers reported that the new cradle swings have been installed and the new bark laid, however 2 more bags of bark are required.

***RESOLVED:*** Members agreed that Clerk to purchase 2 bags of play bark.

Members agreed that after the next play grounds inspections have taken place a decision will be made whether to refurbish the play equipment and safety surface.

Clerk to obtain details of the Tesco Groundwork Grant Scheme

Clerk to ask Western Power if they are going to remove the old telegraph poles which have been left at Stainsby Meadow for the past 4 months.

#### ***b) Stainsby Meadow***

Quotations have been received for the new entrance at Stainsby Meadow.

***RESOLVED:*** Members agreed to ask Bosco to carry out the work at Stainsby Meadow.

***RESOLVED:*** Members agreed that Green Hatch be asked to complete a boundary survey to establish the correct boundary at Stainsby Meadow.

Clerk to complete planning permission forms for the proposed plans for the entrance to Stainsby Meadow.

**c) Christmas Lights**

Chairman reported that we had still not heard from Leisurelites concerning additional lights for the Christmas display.

Clerk reported that all the relevant forms had been sent to Derbyshire County Council, but waiting for H&S and risk assessments from Leisurelites.

**d) Register of Members Interests**

Clerk reminded Councillors to update their register of interests if required.

**e) Snow Wardens**

Members completed the fit to participate forms.

Clerk reported that the bus shelter opposite Heanor Gate School had been vandalised, the cost to repair will be £477, plus £100 for a new notice board

**RESOLVED:** Members agreed that the work should be carried out and a claim made with the Parish Council's insurance company.

Clerk to ask Amber Valley who owns the bus shelter at Dakins Lane, as this requires painting.

Clerk to ask Mr Tadman to clean the bollard at Dobholes Lane

**117/17 Finance**

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| <b>Shelter Maintenance</b>                   | <b>£79.86</b>   |
| <b>Clerk/Groundsman/Expenses</b>             | <b>£1157.23</b> |
| <b>HMRC</b>                                  | <b>£304.07</b>  |
| <b>NT Services</b>                           | <b>£260.00</b>  |
| <b>Pension Regulator</b>                     | <b>£14.99</b>   |
| <b>C&amp;M Services</b>                      | <b>£30.00</b>   |
| <b>Excel Ink/paper</b>                       | <b>£104.02</b>  |
| <b>Royal British Legion – Poppy Appeal</b>   | <b>£ 60.00</b>  |
| <b>R H Booth – hedge cutting</b>             | <b>£90.00</b>   |
| <b>Smalley PCC – strimming burial ground</b> | <b>£160.00</b>  |
| <b>Chairman's Allowance</b>                  | <b>£100.00</b>  |
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| <b>Direct Debits</b>                         |                 |
| <b>E-On</b>                                  | <b>£35.57</b>   |

The meeting closed at 8.30pm