

SMALLEY PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of Smalley Parish Council held on Monday 16th April 2018
At 7.30pm in the Church Hall, Smalley

44/18 Present

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

45/18 Public Participation

None

46/18 Apologies

Cllr R Illiffe

47/18 Declaration of Members Interests

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

48/18 Minutes of Meeting dated 12th March 2018

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

49/18 Matters Arising

RESOLVED: Memorial plaque for Cllr S Goddard to be ordered and placed on the Pavilion, until the new entrance is in place at Stainsby Meadow.

Clerk to ask Cllr Stevenson to weed kill the weeds by Smalley Hall.

Clerk to report the blocked drain outside Morley Manor.

The fly tipping will be removed by the landowner once the ground has dried out.

An advert will go in the Parish Magazine looking for someone to keep the Parish Council website up to date.

50/18 Planning

AVA/2018/0312

Proposed extension and conversion of existing bungalow into a 4 bed house
39 Main Road, Smalley
No objections

AVA/2018/0309

Block shed to north east side of property

Greenside View, Smalley
No objections

AVA/2018/0113
Erection of single storey dwelling house
Kidsley Lodge, Adale Road
No objections

51/18 Cllr Buttery

Cllr Buttery reported that a review of Ethical Standards in public life the consultation process is on line.

RESOLVED; Members agreed that Item i) and Item b) to be taken in confidential matters .

52/18 *Report of the Parish Clerk*

a) Playground Inspections

Dobholes Lane

The bearing on the group swing will be adjusted, and the contractor will talk to Amber Valley regarding the conical roundabout, new guttering will also be put around the pavilion.

There is a back log of football games, which may have to be played mid-week.

All the equipment is in good working order and the bark is of an adequate depth.

It was noted that the footpath around the cricket pitch is very muddy at the present time.

b) Stainsby Meadow Entrance

Cllr Pride and Leivers have met with M Bostock contractors to look at the fencing, tarmac of driveway and installation of kerb stones.

RESOLVED: Members agreed that the design for the sign was suitable, an amendment to the wording as follows;

***WELCOME TO
STAINSBY MEADOW RECREATION GROUND,
A COMMUNITY FACILITY***

c) Christmas Lights

Cllr Pride to contact Leisurelites again.

d) Grant Award Policy

RESOLVED: Clerk to amend the Grant Award Policy and circulate to members.

e) Police Surgery

The Chairman to ask Total Care if a police surgery could take place in their meeting room on a Saturday morning in June or July. If this can be agreed with the police this will be advertised on the Community Group website and on the notice boards in the village.

f) Audit 2018

The 2018 Audit process to commence.

g) Hanging Baskets

RESOLVED: Members agreed that the planters to be put in place as last year. Clerk to obtain a quotation for a tiered planter by at the junction of the Main Road and St Johns Road.

h) Art Group

Cllr Bower and Cllr Feenan had a meeting with the Art Group, Cllr Feenan agreed to continue negotiations with the Art Group, and to draft a and email to the group explaining the principle of what the Parish Council are proposing which they can show to their solicitor.

53/18 Finance

RESOLVED: Members agreed the following payments be made;

Shelter Maintenance	£79.86
Clerk/Groundsman/Expenses	£1118.70
HMRC	£157.38
NT Services	£265.25
NEST	£37.40
A Gerrett Tree Services	£400.00

Direct Debits

Eon	£55.56
Waterplus	£55.05

Clerk to contact the Post Office regarding the closure of Smalley Post Office.

36 bags of rubbish were collected by the Community Group on their litter pick.