

THORNTON CURTIS PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held Monday 9th May 2011.

Present:- In The Chair Cllr. R. Brixton, Cllrs:- P. Grainger, Mrs P. Spink, I. Whelpton, W. Crampin, A. Tulloch, Mrs C. Crouch.

In Attendance:- Mrs L. Underwood (clerk) Mrs S. Leach, Mrs E. Trubshaw

1. APOLOGIES – Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr P. Clark.
2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST –None
3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – Mrs Leach enquired whether the parish council had any interest in what was happening at the ‘Hilly Pits’. The chair responded with the fact that no planning application had been received regarding the pits. Mrs Leach will be sent the contact for the enforcement officer. The parish council will investigate further and discuss the matter at the next meeting.
4. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING – The minutes of the meeting held 14th March 2011 were approved and signed as correct.
5. MATTERS ARISING – i. A1077 footpath –Cllr Regan will investigate ii. Playing field –the committee have rearranged the fete from June until 3rd September iii. Dog bin – Apparently the one on Main Street was removed as according to NLC it was not being used, it will be requested that it be re-sited on Station Road.
6. VILLAGE MATTERS – Mr Davy has agreed to access for the fete. A. Hrynyk will be informed that we do not want him to cut the play area.
7. HIGHWAYS & TRANSPORT – Chevrons at Thornton Abbey bends need replacing and at the level crossing. Both ends of Station Road need white lines and red stripes repainting. The BCCRP will be holding their agm when they may bring up ‘skip stops’ for Thornton Abbey station.
8. PLANNING – 2011/0414 25 Burnham Lane conservatory & new windows to first floor siade elevation – No objections.
9. ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES –None
10. CORRESPONDENCE – None
11. PAYMENTS & FINANCE – i. Thornton Hunt Inn £10.00 ii. Clerks Honorarium £375.00 iii. Insurance £348.55 iv. A James hedge £125.00, it was agreed cheques be signed for these amounts. Statement of governance –this was completed.
12. AGENDA FOR NEXT MEETING –Hilly Pits , plaque near light on church.
13. DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING –The next parish council meeting will be held Monday 4th July 2011 at 8.00pm in the Thornton Hunt Inn.