

BEAULIEU PARISH COUNCIL  
MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014  
AT BEAULIEU VILLAGE HALL

**PRESENT**

Cllr. F. Norris (Chairman), Cllr. Shanks, Cllr. S. Steele, Cllr. Knight

**APOLOGIES**

Cllr. P. Fairweather (Vice Chairman), Cllr. Gibbs, Cllr. Weiss

**IN ATTENDANCE**

Mrs. N. Deering (Clerk), Mrs. R. Pearson, Cllr. K. Thornber, Cllr. Vickers, Mr. J. Beaumont, Mr. R. Gaynor

1001. **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING**

Proposed: Cllr. Steele    Seconded: Cllr. Knight

1002. **MATTERS ARISING**

976. Traffic report has been received.

991. Drains in High Street not draining and SLR post in Palace Lane need straightening.

985. 2/3rds of the chippings have been put down in the playground, the remainder are at Fairweathers. Looks very good and the bulbs have been planted. Flag poles in Twinning Garden need painting, Cllr. Steele to ask Paul Harding to do this and flag poles need new ropes, Cllr. Steele to organise.

1003. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None

1004. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Mr. Beaumont on Neighbourhood Watch. Reported that Cllr. Weiss, Jill Hall and Ann Scott are potential co-ordinators. Have 3 quotes for CCTV and this is now in Cllr. Fairweather's hands. Said the tramp has reappeared again and sits outside the school and upsets children and mothers. Sleeps in the bus shelter. NFDC have spoken to him. Police have visited him and told him not to stay there and to move on. Cllr. Thornber said unless he is sectioned under the mental health act, and has 'escaped' without permission, then it is difficult to act. Suggests giving him an account of this behavior and the school element etc. and he will take it up with the Director of Social Care and Children's Services and see what they suggest. Said not sure his behavior is worthy of sectioning. Cllr. Norris asked about the vagrancy act? Cllr. Thornber will arrange a social worker trained in mental health issues to come and talk to him. Cllr. Shanks suggested sending a letter to the school asking parents not to encourage him. Apparently Mrs. Nobel has called the police several times.

Robert Gaynor said he was pleased to report that the Poppy Appeal raised £4,000 and thanked BPC for their cheque for the wreath laid. Said in most areas there had been increased sales.

1005. **UPDATE FROM PC YATES**

P.C. Yates not present, but emailed and said only one crime reported - locks of an outside store at Queensmeade tea rooms had been tampered with.

1006. **HAMPHIRE COUNTY COUNCILS REPRESENTATIVES REPORT**

Cllr. Thornber said he hopes he has good news. He met to discuss the Traffic Management schemes and prioritize them. Out of 10 schemes, 4 will go forward and one of them is the Palace Lane 30mph speed request. Speed limit review to include the OOTC, and then traffic regulation order applied for. Cllr. Norris thanked Cllr. Thornber for this really good result.

1007. **NEW FOREST DISTRICT COUNCILS REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT**

Cllr. Vickers said East Boldre PC were talking about the SLR and he feels we should meet with them and discuss, as we now have the traffic report. Cllr. Norris asked about the black box device and Cllr. Vickers said to contact Nick Hunt. Said EB had device by shop and garage. Cllr. Norris said he would arrange a meeting in January. Cllr. Vickers spoke about the Village Agent scheme with Age UK, helping the elderly in isolated areas. Cllr. Norris said we would invite Gail to come to January meeting and talk about this. Cllr. Steele asked if they help with transport. Cllr. Vickers said jointly they do with Dial a Ride, Wheels to Work and an emergency fund for people in dire straits to make a journey, 112 bus scheme and taxi scheme which people can book. Said bus services going down in April and bus routes trimmed even more and bus passes will start at 9.30am and lots of elderly need passes to start from 9.00a.m. NFDC car park charges and clocks frozen for 4<sup>th</sup> year. No increase in council tax and guarantee from Hampshire for 2 more years. Cllr. Vickers said he was not standing for re-election. Cllr. Thornber said it has been a pleasure to work hand in hand with Cllr. Vickers. Cllr. Norris said we appreciate all the help and support we have received and thanked him very much indeed.

1008. **PLANNING**

The Tukul      14/00842      5 Bay Garage  
Dock Lane

For the storage of classic cars, on boundary with the Vance's. Barn type development, agricultural cow shed type. Only problem is drainage which Mr. Vance has raised as an issue and owners have agreed to do. Cllr. Norris Said it was very suitable, not seem from the river and Vance's are happy.  
**BEAULIEU PARISH COUNCIL RECOMMENDS PERMISSION**

Log House      14/00903      Installation of air source heat pumps  
St. Leonards

This is well away from anyone vision and very green  
**BEAULIEU PARISH COUNCIL RECOMMENDS PERMISSION**

Little Salterns Cottage    14/00849    Addition of 2 dormer windows  
Salternshill Lane

Very small  
**BEAULIEU PARISH COUNCIL RECOMMENDS PERMISSION**

Beaulieu Abbey      14/00859      Repairs and structural restoration of low  
walls and chapter house

Application withdrawn

1009. **PLANNING DECISIONS**

Drokes Lodge      14/00749      Single Storey Studio  
Sowley Lane      GRANTED

St. Leonards Grange    14/00767    Garage and Stable Complex  
St. Leonards      GRANTED

Tree Works  
Holt Cottage      CONS/14/1090  
Bunkers Hill      RAISE NO OBJECTIONS

1010. **CCTV FOR THE VILLAGE**

Cllr. Norris said Cllr. Fairweather is working on this and feels we need to form a sub-committee to take this on and discuss outside the parish council meeting and we need Cllr. Fairweather. Mrs. Pearson offered to be on the sub-committee.

1011. **SLR**

Agreed to write to NFDC and ask if we can deploy their black box. Cllr. Norris asked Cllr. Vickers about moving the SLR and cost. Kim from EBPC said NFDC offer a service of £80. Cllr. Vickers said contact Nick Hunt. Cllr. Shanks feels we need this on the bypass as more accidents there than in Palace Lane. Cllr. Vickers said we need highways permission as to where a device is placed.

1012. **LEAKING OUTLET PIPE FROM BUNKERS HILL**

This is from Rose Cottage and Cllr. Norris said it was not leaking at the moment, but has been and this will be an issue again in icy conditions. Water also coming down from further up the hill as well. Need to speak to Cllr. Thornber.

1013. **CORRESPONDENCE**

Letter from Beaulieu Cricket Club asking for grant for storage shed behind the pavilion. Cost £2,300. Cllr. Norris feels we should support them and maybe good to give them 50%. Cllr. Steele thought £500. Cllr. Norris said it depends on the cost of SLR and CCTV.

NFNPA – Call for Views – Cllr. Norris feels very little room for us to do anything and does not apply.

Coastal Management – new officer at NP Planning – ask to come to talk to PC in the new year.

General

Rural Services Network – New Digest 23rd Oct, 3rd Nov, 10th Nov, 17th Nov  
Rural Services Network – Rural Vulnerability Services – Rural Broadband Nov  
CPRE – Countryside Voice and Field Work

Lloyds Bank – Balance 29th Oct 2014 - £18,170.11

Clerks and Councils Direct

BVHT – Letter of thanks for donation

ICO – Renewal confirmation

NF Disability – Letter of thanks for grant

British Red Cross – Open Gardens

AON – Insurance Amendment

HALC – Nov e-update

NFDC

Forward Plan of Key Decision – Dec 2014

Road Closure – Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Nov

Alcohol Awareness Week

Events Notice – Beaulieu School – Xmas Event 29 Nov

Precept Arrangements

Info Bulletin Oct

NFNPA

Park Life

Minerals & Waste Monitoring Cases

Enforcement Parish List 31<sup>st</sup> Oct

1014. **CHEQUE SIGNING**

Royal British Legion – Purchase of Wreath - £60.00

Cllr. Norris said it was an honor to lay the wreath on behalf of the Parish Council

Proposed: Cllr. Steele                      Seconded: Cllr. Shanks

Cllr. Norris said the £18.75 for the RBL on the agenda was being paid by EBPC

Mark Young - £135.00

Proposed: Cllr. Shanks                      Seconded: Cllr. Steele

Clerks Salary - £773.86

Proposed: Cllr. Knight                      Seconded : Cllr. Shanks

C. Fairweather - £264.60

Proposed: Cllr. Shanks                      Seconded: Cllr. Steele

Paul Harding - £60.00

Proposed: Cllr. Knight                      Seconded: Cllr. Steele

1015. **QUESTION TIME**

Cllr. Steele said the BHF will do publicity for the defib opening and training will probably take place in the new year. Also write to Steve Green about the state of the tables in the village hall.

Cllr. Knight said there were pot holes either side of Lodge Farm Cottages. Clerk to log them on pot hole help line.

Meeting closed at 8.00p.m.

Date of Next Meeting – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December in the Main Hall of the Village Hall.