

Kewstoke Parish Council

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Minutes of Kewstoke Parish Council Meeting held at Kewstoke village Hall on Monday 3rd September 2018 which commenced at 7pm.

Present R .Adams K Harper,C Thomas K, Jenkins, C Bates, G Vearncombe

R Cunningham. N.Richards (Liaison Officer) T Horry T Morris (Vice Chairman)

Unitary members

L Pilgrim

R.Willis

Members of the Public

Derek Richings 47 Kewstoke Road

Police Community Support Officer

PCSO Alexandra Humphries

Public participation (15 minutes)

Mr Riching raised 2 points

Lack of Publication of Parish minutes on Website – Update of Telephone Number on Website

Action Parish Clerk .

Mr Riching also brought to the councils attention speeding vehicles by Kewstoke Primary School.

The point was noted and agreed would be incorporated in the Parishes Traffic management Work

1 Opening of the meeting

Meeting opened at 7.05 pm

2. Apologies for Absence

Cllr MacDonald and Cllr Whyte

3. Declaration of interests

None

4. Adoption of the minutes of the council meeting of 6th August 2018

These were adopted with no changes. Proposed Cllr Cunningham
Seconded Cllr..Vearncombe

Vote was unanimous.

5. Matters arising as a matter of report

Actions not covered by agenda items to be included in other Issues

6. Police Report

Incidents reported this month excluded Cygnet hospital

Written report received and presented to councillors

- 1 Incidents of theft
- 2 Incidents of criminal damage
- 5 incidents of assault
- 2 incidents of public order
- 3 incidents of harassment
- 5 incidents of Anti-social behaviour
- 1 incident of non- dwelling burglary

PCSO Humphries also reported

Speeding youth bikers speeding along Beach Road to Sand Bay at night causing nuisance and anti-Social Behaviour.

Residents to be encouraged to report Occurrences to be reported to Police.

e-mail 9653@avonandsomerset.police.co.uk

or via 101.

Suggestion that an Item be placed on Facebook suggesting Residents contact Police direct. Must ensure communications don't encourage reporting to council members. Via social media.

Action Cllr K.Jenkins

The Police were also still receiving reports of garage and garden shed break-ins in neighbouring Parishes.

PCSO Humphries also confirmed the continuation of high visibility patrols in the Parish to prevent village crime and make residents feel safe.

Report of verbal abuse on beach was raised with a suggestion of nonattendance of Police following it being reported

Action PCSO Humphries to follow up.

Confirmed recent signs appearing relating to coaches applied by Council members

7. Unitary members report

Cllr Pilgrim –

Foul smelling water 101 the Elms

NSDC have now visited property – Mr Risdale the owner suggested the water trickling under the road was from a natural spring. Whilst on site there appeared to be no smell of sewerage.

Following Mr Risdales return from Holiday a dye test will be undertaken from the Septic tank to confirm if indeed the Septic tank is leaking.

Dog bin meeting confirmed as Wednesday 3rd October in bus terminus extended to the Village hall if required.

Interim Chief Executive Helen Bailey to visit Parish 18/9 – If sufficient members available meeting to be arranged in village Hall. 6.30pm

Action.Parish Clerk E-mail to confirm attendance

Cllr Willis- Dog bin missing in woods by New Inn – NSDC investigating

2 bins in New Inn car park can be used in interim

Confirmed Calls from the Cygnet to be excluded from Police Report

8. Highways issues

Traffic management work

Timescales for circulating VAS guidelines still not received

TRO now registered and agreed by NSDC to provide next year.

20 MPH sign missing from bottom of Monks hill.

Action N. Richards to follow up.

Mr Denings report on speeding vehicles was noted.

Coaches using Kewstoke Road

Working Group – Cllr Morris confirmed that 3 signs had been purchased and currently displayed advising coaches to follow approved route.

Letter to be drafted by Cllr Vearncombe to W-S-M hotels to request coach drivers to use advised bus route. Letter to be e-mailed to Cllr members for agreement and then forwarded to Malcolm Nicholson at W-S-M Town Hall to e-mail hoteliers..

Action- Cllr Vearncombe

9. Other Issues

Foul Smelling water discharge

Refer Cllr Pilgrim report

Dog Bins

On site meeting at Bus terminal arranged for 3rd October – Refer Cllr Pilgrims report.

Defibrillator

Confirmation received defibrillator now registered – Monthly confirmation of working required to be updated on website.

Action Cllr Horry

9a. Actions from Previous meeting

Colin's night out – arranged for 20/10 New Inn

Book swap club- To be raised at next Village hall meeting

Action Cllr Horry & Cllr Harper

10. Correspondance - None

11. Car parks

Indication work would start in October –

No response on result of consultation – hope was that both could be published in Septembers Parish magazine.

Action N. Richards to follow up with David Murphy

13. Financial Update

Cheques for Approval

<i>Clerks salary</i>	<i>£346.40</i>
<i>Clerks expenses</i>	<i>£60.00</i>
<i>Inland Revenue</i>	<i>£86.60</i>

B.Thorne	£443.98
J.Mortimore	£192.00
Weston support services	£ 25.32
Southern Electricity	£ 16.18
T.Baker Grass Cutting	£1522.00
T.Baker Sea Front	£462.00
Foremost signs	£357.60
	£40.80
	<i>Total £398.40</i>

.EDF Energy	£236.58
R.Palmer Toilets	£335.12
R. Palmer Village hall	£301.45

Unanimously agreed for payment Proposed Cllr Cunningham, Seconded Cllr Vearncombe .

Agreed to hold back payment to T.Baker until Cllr Harper had spoken to Andy Ham re quality of grass cutting at Church.

Action Cllr Harper

Purchase of laptop for Parish Clerk unanimously agreed £399.00

14. Councilors report

Cllr Vearncombe

Damage to wall at 100 Rock house

T.Morris to investigate

Cllr Cunningham

Brambles overgrowing at alliance housing site

Action Cllr Cunningham.

Buses started reduced winter service

Bus hit wall near Cllr Cunningham house – Buses appear to be speeding.

Action Cllr Cunningham to take up with First Bus.

Cllr.Jenkins

Items being pulled together for newsletter – Note firework display 2/11 to be included

Cllr.Bates

Unanimous vote to hold Xmas party 1/12 at Commodore Hotel

E-mail re Xmas party 2/9 – Numbers required please respond to e-mail

Hotel Cost Tickets £25.95PP

Cllr Horry

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Queenies celebrating Anniversary 22/9 (2-6pm) W-S-M Mayor wishes to attend – 2.30-3pm .

Request expected from Mayor's Office Chris Milliard via Parish Clerk to seek approval from Parish Chairman to attend.

Cllr. Adams

Overgrown Branches at Bus terminus Sand Road junction.

Action Cllr Harper to liaise with Andy ham.

Cllr Whyte E-mail notification

Grass cutting at Church reportedly not to usual standard- refer 13. financial update where it was agreed to hold back payment until matter discussed with A. Ham.

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Meeting Closed 8.35 pm

15. Date of next meeting 1st October 2018 7 PM. Village Hall.

