

Minutes of Holmpton Parish Council

Tuesday 3 February 2015

7.30pm Holmpton Village Hall, School Lane, Holmpton

Present — A.Wilkin (Chair), L. Hodgson, P. Leckonby, S.Pilkington, C. Leckonby,

R. Dawson, L. Duplock (Clerk), 3 members of the public

Apologies — No apologies

1. Minutes of the last meeting were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chair.
2. No matters arising.
3. Old Fold Yard planning application — R.Dawson explained his plans regarding the stable block. All in favour of the plans.
4. Meadow Cottage planning application — R.Dawson declined to vote as he has a pecuniary interest. One member of the public objected to these plans due to the state of this property, smell from the duck area, the chicken area and the noise from the dogs. He has been made aware by several villagers that since his arrival in the village there has been a lack of consultation with neighbours. LH explained that the Parish Council cannot get involved with this as this complaint does not affect this planning application. It was decided therefore that concerns would be noted when returning the application to the Planning Department.
5. Allotments — Allotment number three is vacant, R. Dawson to contact the person who has expressed an interest and will email Lynda with his name and address to enable her to create a 12 month agreement (January — December), the other three existing tenants will receive a new agreement for nine months (April — December) and covering letter.
6. PL spoke for some time about her ill neighbour who had 'gone missing' for a short time before Christmas. SP to update the Community Emergency Plan. AW asked for this to be an item on the March agenda.
7. To enable SP to proceed with the grant for a defibrillator she needed up to date copies of the Parish Councils Health & Safety Policy and the Equal Opportunity Policy, these were distributed to the members, all were in favour of the contents of both policies. SP is to go ahead with the grant application for £1525. 00 (£750 for the defibrillator, £580 for the cabinet, £20 for the signs, £25 for the spare electrodes, £150 for fitting) all in favour of supporting this.
8. All in favour with the cost of the Public Liability insurance, Lynda to proceed in sending a cheque for £230.
9. Holmpton Parish Council currently bank with TSB, this bank has now closed in Withersea, Lynda is to source an alternative bank and will report back to the council of the new arrangements.

AOB

PL will apply for more grit and a litter bin from the Community Fund

Date of the next meeting of HPC was arranged for Tuesday 3 March 2015 @ 7.30 in Holmpton Village Hall, School Lane, Holmpton.

Meeting closed at 9.25 pm