

Chelmarsh Parish Council

Parish Council meeting held in Chelmarsh Parish Hall on Tuesday 23rd October 2018 at 7.30pm.

Present: Cllrs P Thomas (Vice Chairman, who chaired the meeting), M Williams, A Davies, A Cadwallader, D Garrett.
Shropshire Cllr R Tindall
Clerk: Mrs F Morris
PCSO Sue Eden
Parishioner: 1

0. Parishioner's time:

A resident spoke once again of the speeding and more importantly the overtaking along the Bull's Head straight.

Cllr Tindall did speak out and say that this is happening in many parishes who do not have a speed limit at all.

The white lines have been re-painted and basically it is the drivers themselves who need to educate themselves regarding their driving.

PCSO Eden confirmed;

- that she had been out with the speed gun, but drivers see them and keep within the limit and she queried the Community Speed Watch Scheme. It was confirmed that although residents were interested, they did not feel they could do this in the parish they live. An offer had been made that 2 retired PC's would help and this should be reconsidered as the Police do not have the resources to be on regular duty with a speed gun.
- Crime in Chelmarsh was fine but lots of cars had been broken into on drives in Cleobury Mortimer so asked people to make sure vehicles are locked and valuables removed.
- Advised people to make sure sheds were locked and perhaps leave a light on in the property if going out at night.

Chairman thanked PCSO Eden for attending.

It was **RESOLVED** to bring Cllr Tindall's report forward on the agenda.

8a) Unitary Cllr Tindall:

Cllr Tindall confirmed:

- that he had talked to the Planning Officer regarding The Astbury but the pre-application advice is confidential and therefore cannot be discussed until the full application has been submitted which is likely to be before the end of the year. Will try to get this application to go to Committee – PC should attend and speak.
- SC have started filling grit bins and requested a list where this was needed and any locations for new bins and he will do his best to get this dealt with. Cllrs will send in details to Clerk who will pass this on to Cllr Tindall.
- CIL payment - this was explained and also that this money was still in a SC Bank account and had not been allocated to parishes.

Chairman thanked Cllr Tindall for attending. Cllr Tindall also gave his apologies for the next meeting.

1. Apologies for absence:

Cllrs Woods and Bebb (both away). It was **RESOLVED to accept these apologies.**

2. Declaration of interests:

The Localism Act 2011, Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012.

Members are reminded that they are required to leave the room during the discussion and voting on matters in which they have a disclosable pecuniary interest, whether or not the interest is entered in the register of member's interests maintained by the Monitoring Officer.

None declared.

3. Minutes of last meeting held on 18th September 2018:

These had been circulated with the agenda and it was **RESOLVED to accept these as a true record and Chairman signed these accordingly.**

4. Matters arising from minutes:

a) Clerk's update:

R Knight (ROW) -School Lane sign - There is no problem with signs saying "Slow - Children Playing" or "Slow – Children Crossing", but they cannot put a speed restriction such as 20mph on the route without going through the process for a speed restriction, which is costly.

Reply from Andy Oliver, Shropshire Council:

- The main road will be inspected later this week during my routine monthly inspections and any safety defects passed to Kier for repair.
- I will inspect covert lane to assess any further work which may need carrying out. It may be that if there are areas which are just 'rough', the areas might not be suitable for repairs as not deep enough for any tarmac fill to be effective. These areas have been put forward for capital funding in order to resurface the lane. This work is carried out centrally by the Capital works team.
- An order has been issued to replace to damaged post near School Lane

Summer playscheme:

Reply from Vicky Turner re: Dr Price's email:

I have copied Debbie in as not sure what was agreed with the booking or if it was made clear to them by the hall committee how to leave the hall etc

Also, at the moment there is no budget for funding next year – this may change but nothing is guaranteed so it's a bit early to be talking about dates, booking procedures with the hall etc

Broadband:

Cllr Cadwallader explained that they had been approached to have a mast on their land, but it is not quite as clear and easy as people think.

Airband have offered to come and talk to the PC again but it was felt that this would be of no use as they have been once.

Cllr Thomas has talked to Chris Taylor, Programme Manager who pointed out that if Hampton Loade could generate more interest then he could create a business plan. Cllr Thomas will speak to residents again.

5. Planning applications/permissions/refusals:

a) Any plans received after issue of agenda:

None received

6. Financial matters:

a) Accounts to be paid:

Clerk's fees (paid standing order)- £xx

Clerk's expenses – leave until next month.

HMRC PAYE- £65.20

SC – street lighting account. - £40.88

Any others received after issue of agenda – none.

b) Bank statement/Bank reconciliation – agreed.

7. Parish problems:

- Covert Lane in a bad state
- Main road just coming out of Highley slipping
- Sign on man road – still not replaced
- New sign fitted at Bakehouse Lane – it appears that they have replaced the one that wasn't broken!
- Kings Arms bend – road marked?
- Notice board – Clerk reported that the notice board in Bakehouse Lane is falling apart. After discussions it was agreed to obtain at least 3 quotes with perhaps siding doors on it.
- Stiles between The Chestnuts and Forresters Farm are rotten – Clerk will report this to ROW.

8. Reports (if available):

a) Unitary Cllr Tindall – dealt with earlier

b) Police – dealt with earlier

c) Parish Hall Committee – Letter read from parish Hall Chairman regarding the summer activities the PC paid for. Clerk confirmed that she had forwarded the email to Vicky Turner who had passed this to Halo. The PC did pay for the hall to be cleaned.

It was **RESOLVED** that the PC will agree to the requests in the letter.

9. Correspondence: includes emails forwarded to Cllrs: all taken as noted unless comments made.

- Information Bulletins
- Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL)
- Chelmarsh Parish Hall cheque Thank you and receipt
- Press Release: 'Local GP Practices to offer evening and weekend appointments from 1st October'

- Letter from Chelmarsh Parish Hall Chairman re: Summer Play scheme in Chelmarsh – dealt with earlier
- Street Lighting Enquiry – Clerk reported this to Eon and it has been fixed.
- SALC - Consultant letter from Shrewsbury and Telford NHS Trust
- Western Power - Storm Callum updates
- Healthwatch, Shropshire - Shropshire Child Mental Health Services in Crisis?
- SALC AGM/Conference 2018 – 9th November – no interest in attending shown.
- Any other correspondence received after issue of agenda

10. Date next meeting:

27th November 2018

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.50pm.

Signed: Chairman

Date:

Payments:

Clerk's fees -standing order £xx

HMRC PAYE - £65.20

SC Street lighting - £40.88

Approved 27th November 2018