

Minutes of the Kimpton Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 25th April 2016 in the Kimpton Village Hall at 7.30pm.

Present: Cllr Mr R Hart - Chairman
Cllr Mr S Payne
Cllr Mr P Clements
Richard Waterman – Parish Clerk
Borough Councillor Mrs P Mutton

Apologies: Cllr Mr K Tamke, Cllr Mr G Verity and County Councillor Mrs Z Brooks.

SITE MEETING

The Parish Councillors briefly left the meeting to take a look at the issue that had been raised with the Footpath from the Pub to the Village Hall.

WELCOME.

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST.

There were no declarations of interest recorded.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.

The Chairman signed the minutes of the previous meeting as a true record. Matters arising from those minutes:

NOTICE BOARD – The Clerk reported that the new notice board has been delivered and should be installed soon. The old notice board has been moved to the Village Green, the rotten notice board has not yet been removed.

PLAY AREA – The Clerk had no further news to report on the funding applications.

FOOTPATH – After visiting the site the Parish Council have decided to take the following course of action to ensure that there are no accidents as a result of the slippery tree roots and the mud.

The kissing gate has not been used for some time and a path has been worn between the gate and the fence line. The kissing gate will be refurbished and the fence reinstated between the gate and the fence line. Mr Brian Pearce will be asked to carry out the work.

PLANNING

16/00754/FULLN – Erection of two bay car port and attached workshop –
Woodside, Down Road, Kimpton – NO OBJECTION

Cllr Mrs P Mutton reported that there was no news to report on the application to construct a new dwelling in residential garden – Old Bakery, Kimpton.

EMERGENCY PLAN AND C.E.R.T.

Cllr Mr P Clements reported that work had been undertaken to produce an information sheet and two questionnaires that will go to every house in the parish.

One questionnaire is to establish the vulnerable in the parish and the other is to ascertain what equipment, skills would be available in the parish.

Once Cllr Mr K Tamke returns from holiday the publication will be signed off and sent out.

BOROUGH COUNCILLOR MRS P MUTTON

Borough Councillor Mrs P Mutton had nothing to report but briefly spoke about Parish Plans.

PARISH COUNCILLORS REPORTS

CLLR MR S PAYNE – Spoke about the newly formed Kimpton Cycling Club and their lack of funds. This was discussed, the Parish Council stated that they would consider an application for a grant to help with running costs for this Village organisation. Cllr Mr S Payne will pass this on to the Kimpton Cycling Club Committee.

FINANCE.

BANK ACCOUNT BALANCE - 25th April 2016

After movements below - Lloyds TSB Current Account = £7,371.03

Payments made in April 2016

R.N. Waterman	Wages - April	£170.00
R.N. Waterman	Expenses	£40.15
TVBC	Green Waste Bags	£80.50
TVBC	Dog Bin Emptying	£171.91
HCC	Street Lighting	£207.71
Mr R Welch	Grass Cutting	£33.00
		<u>£703.27</u>

Income

TVBC ½ Precept £4,000.00

PARISH COUNCIL VACANCY

The Clerk reported that TVBC have informed the Parish Council that they can co-opt to fill the vacancy. Several parishioners have expressed an interest and they will be approached.

CLOSE OF THE MEETING

The Chairman thanked everyone for coming and closed the meeting.

DATES FOR THE 2016 MEETINGS.

23rd May – AGM

27th June

25th July

26th September

31st October

28th November