

WENTWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of a meeting of the Parish Council
Held at the Mechanic's Institute, Wentworth
on Monday 18th June 2018 commenced at 6.30PM**

Present 5080.	<p>Councillor Mr D. Hunton (Chairman) Councillor Mr E. Bradley (Deputy Chairman) (Until 7.10pm) Councillor Mrs C. Shaw, Mrs V. Sykes, Mr W. Crawford, Mr B. McNamara Councillors Mrs M.R. Dickerson, Mr G. Cook SY Police Mr P Gray (Until 6.50pm)</p>	
Apologies For Absence 5081.	<p>Councillor Mrs L. Stevenson</p>	
Minutes 5082.	<p>The minutes of the meeting held on 21st May 2018 are accepted as a true record and authorised to be signed by the Chairman.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Bradley Seconded Councillor Shaw</p>	
Matters Arising 5083.	<p>Regarding minute 5075, the parish council meeting at the mission rooms is to be moved from September to December to facilitate the recruitment of a clerk.</p> <p>5084. A proposal to include wild flowers in the banking on the field behind the Rockingham Arms was discussed</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Bradley Seconded Councillor McNamara</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote, the banking is to be made into a wild flower meadow area.</p> <p>5085. The request to RMBC to spray the pavements has been noted, all areas are on a schedule and will be sprayed accordingly. RMBC will not enter into discussions regarding individual areas.</p> <p>5086. The matter of obstructive parking on Kirby Lane was raised with PCSO Gray, the police will look into the matter and take appropriate action.</p> <p>5087. There have been issues with vehicles along Main Street, the parked vehicles are causing issues with the two way traffic flow. Members asked if give way to oncoming traffic signs could be installed.</p>	JH
Police Matters 5088.	<p>PCSO Gray reported that the police have been on bike patrols in the area and have been "meeting & greeting" residents. Six officers were on patrol during the recent music festival at which 3500 attended, there was no trouble or incidents at the festival.</p> <p>5089. It was reported to PCSO Gray that garden furniture has been stolen in Nether Haugh and that individuals have been seen hanging around and looking down driveways. PCSO Gray asked that any such activity be reported immediately.</p> <p>5090. It was noted that off road bikes have been heard in Kings Wood, PCSO Gray noted that SY Police has a no chase policy, but that specialist officers can be deployed in hotspots, but that they need to be booked in advance and are in great demand.</p> <p>5091. Councillor Shaw thanked PCSO Gray for attending the drop in session at the Harley mission rooms.</p> <p>PCSO Gray left the meeting at 6.50pm</p>	
Finance 5092.	<p>A donation request has been received from Harley In Bloom, it was proposed that a donation of £300 be made.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Hunton Seconded Councillor Dickerson</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote a donation of £300 be made to Harley in Bloom</p>	

	<p>5093. Members proposed a donation to the Air Ambulance when it again visits Wentworth for the village day. After discussion, at which some members thought that Wentworth Estate should contribute this year, or that the parish council should make up the Estate contribution to £500 or match the Estate funding, it was proposed that a donation of £500 be made regardless of any Estate donation.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor McNamara Seconded Councillor Sykes</p> <p>Resolved By Majority vote a donation of £500 be made to the Air Ambulance (CS abstained)</p> <p>5094. Authorisation of cheques and Direct Debit payments for June</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Came & Co</td> <td>1399</td> <td>£</td> <td>1,797.19</td> <td>Insurance renewal</td> </tr> <tr> <td>D Hunton</td> <td>1400</td> <td>£</td> <td>550.00</td> <td>Allowance</td> </tr> <tr> <td>R Stevenson</td> <td>1401</td> <td>£</td> <td>5.00</td> <td>Expenses</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HMRC</td> <td>1402</td> <td>£</td> <td>120.80</td> <td>PAYE May</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clerk</td> <td>1403</td> <td>£</td> <td>203.20</td> <td>Salary & Expenses May</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Envious Group</td> <td>1404</td> <td>£</td> <td>885.34</td> <td>Grounds maintenance</td> </tr> <tr> <td>WRA</td> <td>1405</td> <td>£</td> <td>166.80</td> <td>Donation to defibrillator expenses</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Air Ambulance</td> <td>1406</td> <td>£</td> <td>500.00</td> <td>Donation</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Harley in Bloom</td> <td>1407</td> <td>£</td> <td>300.00</td> <td>Donation</td> </tr> <tr> <td>V Sykes</td> <td>1408</td> <td>£</td> <td>3.60</td> <td>Expenses</td> </tr> </table> <p>Proposed Councillor Bradley Seconded Councillor Crawford</p> <p>5095. The clerks vacancy has been circulated to other clerks in the RMBC area, some interested has been shown, the vacancy is now to be advertised on the notice boards. Interviews are expected to be held in August.</p> <p>Councillor Bradley left the meeting at 7.10pm</p>	Came & Co	1399	£	1,797.19	Insurance renewal	D Hunton	1400	£	550.00	Allowance	R Stevenson	1401	£	5.00	Expenses	HMRC	1402	£	120.80	PAYE May	Clerk	1403	£	203.20	Salary & Expenses May	Envious Group	1404	£	885.34	Grounds maintenance	WRA	1405	£	166.80	Donation to defibrillator expenses	Air Ambulance	1406	£	500.00	Donation	Harley in Bloom	1407	£	300.00	Donation	V Sykes	1408	£	3.60	Expenses	
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<p>Planning Matters</p>	<p>5096. No objections or comments were raised to the applications for Clayfields Lane or Occupation Road. Members asked that further details be obtained for the application at Nether Haugh.</p>	<p>JH</p>																																																		
<p>Open Forum</p>	<p>5097. The Harley Mission Rooms have thanked the parish council for the funding to hold the benefit advice sessions which have been arranged for July, August and September. It was noted that the recent jazz concert at the mission rooms had been successful and well attended and that the WW1 concert preparations are progressing and that so far volunteers have made 1600 poppies for the poppy waterfall.</p> <p>5098. two drain covers are missing from outside the Harley pavilion, the matter is to be rectified.</p> <p>5099. A grant from the Worshipful Company of Weavers has been made to the Harley Mission Rooms, it was noted that Councillor Shaw has raised 95% of all donations received for the project.</p> <p>5100. Councillor Shaw asked if the parish council had any objections to a pebble path being made from the back entrance of the mission rooms to the playing field, no objections were made.</p> <p>5101. Harley Activity Group have enquired if any contribution is required from them for the Harley play area. The matter will be reviewed once the outstanding repairs have been made. It was further noted that HAG would like to replace the missing MUGA net.</p> <p>5102. Harley cricket club have confirmed that various health & safety checks have not been carried out at the pavilion, they are to discuss the matter at their next meeting.</p> <p>5103. It was noted the road sign at the Harley bends has been damaged, presumably be a vehicle, and 2 signs on Broadcarr Road have been damaged. Matter to be reported to Highways.</p> <p>5104. A hole has appeared in the banking behind the post box on Kirby Lane. Matter to be reported to RMBC.</p> <p>5105. Councillor McNamara reported that WVCA are keen to enter Wentworth into the Britain in Bloom contest next year. It was noted that this would involve much work and expense and was not simply a matter of adding baskets and tubs to the village. Councillor Cook noted that the problems of dog fouling and litter bins amongst others would need to be resolved.</p>	<p>BM</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>JH</p> <p>JH</p>																																																		

<p>5106.</p> <p>5107.</p> <p>5108.</p> <p>5109.</p> <p>5110.</p>	<p>Councillor Sykes has obtained an updated map showing the parish boundary, copies were circulated to all members.</p> <p>It was noted that Wentworth Woodhouse had been invited to attend the meeting to discuss traffic issues</p> <p>The notice board still has the handles outstanding and needs preserving as water is already starting to cause damage. A contractor is to be asked to look at it. A notice is to be added stating that the notice board is for parish and community use.</p> <p>Councillor Cook noted that the bus shelter at Barrowfield needs painting, contractor to be asked to attend to it. It was also noted that the bushes at the bus shelter need cutting back as does the Hawthorne bush on the bend and the ivy coming out of the farmers field. Matters to be reported to the Estate.</p> <p>The footpath from the Barrow to the school is overgrown by both the hedge and the field. Matter to be reported to RMBC.</p>	<p>JH</p> <p>JH</p> <p>JH</p>
<p>Next Meeting</p> <p>5111.</p>	<p>The next meeting is confirmed as the 16th July 2018 at 6.30pm at the Mechanic's Institute. Agenda to be distributed.</p>	

The Meeting closed at 7.45pm