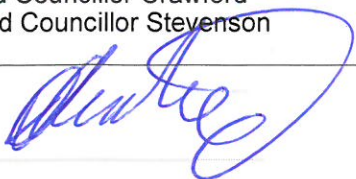


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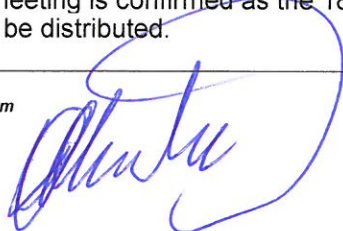
*Minutes of a meeting of the Parish Council
Held at the Mechanic's Institute, Wentworth
on Monday 17th July 2017 commenced at 6.30PM*

Present 4765.	<p>Councillor Mr D. Hunton (Chairman) Councillors Mrs C. Shaw, Mrs V. Sykes, Mr W. Crawford, Mrs M. R. Dickerson Mr B. McNamara. Ms L. Stevenson WRA Mr G. Cook (Until 7.55pm) Parishioner Mrs J Hellewell (Until 7.55pm)</p>																																			
Apologies for Absence 4766.	<p>Councillors Mr J. Daley, Mr E. Bradley</p>																																			
Minutes 4767.	<p>The minutes of the meeting held on 19th June 2017 are accepted as a true record and are authorised to be signed by the Chairman.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Shaw Seconded Councillor Crawford</p>																																			
Matters Raised By Parishioners 4768.	<p>Mr Cook asked for an update on the bus shelter, the HGV signs and the notice board. He was advised that the exterior of the bus shelter has been painted and the interior is due to be painted soon. RMBC has not responded to the requests for HGV signs and will be prompted, the notice board has been completed and is expected to be erected shortly.</p> <p>4769. Mrs Hellewell noted that there has been an incident of fly tipping at the Harley bends and asked if there had been any issues at the music festival. Members reported that there we no incidents and that a similar event will probably be planned for next year</p>																																			
Matters Arising 4770.	<p>Members commented on the recent meeting with the PCC, and noted a disappointing turnout, particularly from Harley, which has had a recent spate of crimes and is forming a Neighbourhood watch scheme. An incident of harassment was discussed at the meeting and the residents involved may decide to take the matter further.</p> <p>4771. BT have given permission for the defibrillator to be moved to the kiosk if it meets certain criteria, WRA has confirmed that it does. BT have not yet responded on the matter of the electricity supply. It was noted that Rotherfed will deal with the matter of the grade 2 listing requirements. Members delegated authority to councillors Hunton and Bradley to progress the matter of the kiosk until the September meeting, should any decisions need to be taken.</p> <p>4772. There has been a request from Mr Wigglesworth to site a memorial bench, the only site available is adjacent to the bench on the cricket field, the bench to be of a similar type, approved by members. To the one already there, the bench to be fixed by a contractor of the parish council choice, all expenses to be borne by Mr Wigglesworth and the licence to be signed by him.</p> <p>4773. The request from Mrs Hunt was agreed and the licence is to be issued.</p>																																			
Finance 4774.	<p>Authorisation of cheques and Direct Debit payments for July</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>FWAT</td> <td>1335</td> <td>£</td> <td>30.00</td> <td>Bus shelter</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wentworth Furniture</td> <td>1336</td> <td>£</td> <td>2,298.00</td> <td>Notice board</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HMRC</td> <td>1337</td> <td>£</td> <td>120.80</td> <td>PAYE June</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clerk</td> <td>1338</td> <td>£</td> <td>203.20</td> <td>Salary & Expenses June</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HMRC</td> <td>1339</td> <td>£</td> <td>120.80</td> <td>PAYE July</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clerk</td> <td>1340</td> <td>£</td> <td>203.20</td> <td>Salary & Expenses July</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wentworth Forge</td> <td>1341</td> <td>£</td> <td>708.00</td> <td>Bench</td> </tr> </table> <p>Proposed Councillor Crawford Seconded Councillor Stevenson</p>	FWAT	1335	£	30.00	Bus shelter	Wentworth Furniture	1336	£	2,298.00	Notice board	HMRC	1337	£	120.80	PAYE June	Clerk	1338	£	203.20	Salary & Expenses June	HMRC	1339	£	120.80	PAYE July	Clerk	1340	£	203.20	Salary & Expenses July	Wentworth Forge	1341	£	708.00	Bench
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4775.	Members asked that 6 type B wreaths be ordered for the Remembrance service	JH
Planning Matters 4776.	Planning applications have been submitted to prune Hawthorne trees on Back lane and to site a temporary access ramp at Wentworth Woodhouse. No objections or comments were raised for both applications	
Open Forum 4777. 4778. 4779. 4780. 4781. 4782. 4783. 4784. 4785. 4786. 4787.	<p>It was noted that there is an online consultation regarding the proposed electoral reforms.</p> <p>It was noted that the Harley Gala has again been successful and made the highest ever profit. However, it appears there were some traffic issues for residents. It was further noted that the field usually available for parking was set with crops and unavailable.</p> <p>It was noted that there is photographic evidence of a fly tipping incident and serial numbers on tipped items which may assist RMBC.</p> <p>The Harley church improvements, to turn it into a community facility, have begun. A document from 1887 has been found which gives the land to the people of Wentworth parish. Land registration will now be sought.</p> <p>The bollards on the A6135 are covered by vegetation which needs cutting back. BMBC to be contacted.</p> <p>The street sign for Coach Road has been replaced, but the road surface at the end of Lodge Drive needs repairing.</p> <p>It was noted that there is a proposed housing development at Thorpe Hesley for 144 properties. The situation to be monitored.</p> <p>Wath school completed a sponsored walk, unfortunately lots of litter was left behind. The school has been contacted.</p> <p>There has been fly tipping at the Harley bends and the road markings need refreshing.</p> <p>It was noted that Wath school has been placed in special measures.</p> <p>Mr Cook and Mrs Hellewell left the meeting at 7.55pm</p> <p>The matter of the Harley play equipment was discussed, a survey of the equipment is to be undertaken.</p>	JH JH MD/VS JH BM
Next Meeting 4788.	The next meeting is confirmed as the 18th September 2017 at 6.30pm at the Mechanic's Institute. Agenda to be distributed.	

The Meeting closed at 8.20pm



18 Sep 2017