

WENTWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of a meeting of the Parish Council
Held at the Mechanic's Institute, Wentworth
on Monday 15th July 2019 commenced at 6.30PM**

Present 5415.	Councillor Councillor Councillors RMBC Councillor Harley JFC	Mr E. Bradley (Chairman) Mr B. McNamara (Deputy Chairman) Mrs C. Shaw, Mr G. Cook, Mrs M.R. Dickerson Mr D. Roche Mr N. Jones (From 6.50pm until 7.10pm)	
Apologies For Absence 5416.	Councillors	Mr D. Hunton, Ms L. Stevenson, Mrs V. Sykes. Mr W. Crawford	
Minutes 5417.	The minutes of the meeting held on 24th June 2019 are accepted as a true record and are authorised to be signed by the Chairman Proposed Councillor Cook Seconded Councillor Shaw		
Matters Raised By Parishioners 5418. 5419. 5420.	Councillor Cook noted that the road junction mirror at the school has been damaged, and that residents are complaining that the traffic flow along main Street is too fast to allow vehicles to exit the junction Residents have asked if a 20MPH zone can be introduced. Councillor Roche to raise with RMBC Councillor Dickerson asked if the reflective bollards at Barley Hole could be replaced as necessary. Several have been removed over the years. Councillor Roche to raise with RMBC Councillor Dickerson noted that there are frequent vehicle accidents at the junction of the A6135 and Harley Road and that this is the only junction in the area along the A6135 without the red warning surface.		DR DR
Matters Arising 5421. 5422. 5423. 5424.	Councillor Roche reported that the gullies along Coaley Lane have been inspected and do not require cleansing. The pot holes have also been inspected and are not serious enough to need repair. Councillor Roche reported that the VAS for Barrowfield Lane has been ordered, but Councillor Cook asked for clarification as RMBC are not aware that it has been ordered. The issue of partial removal of the double yellow lines along Main Street, in an attempt to reduce traffic speeds is to be added to the September agenda. Mr N Jones joined the meeting at 6.50pm The memorial tree in Harley has died and the plaque has been retrieved. The family have not responded to the consideration of a replacement memorial.		DR ALL
Harley JFC 5425.	Mr Jones discussed the use of the football pitch and sports pavilion at Harley for a new JFC team. The terms and conditions were discussed and an agreement is to be signed confirming. The fees for the use of the pitch and pavilion are to be waived for the first season. Mr Jones left the meeting at 7.10pm		
Finance	Councillor Shaw declared a prejudicial interest in the following item and left the meeting at 7.10pm		

	<p>5426. The Harley Mission Room Trust wishes to install an air conditioning system in the Mission Rooms, but is unable to fully fund the plan. The matter was discussed and it was agreed that the parish council would purchase the system and then seek donations from other village organisations, funding any shortfall</p> <p>5427. It was proposed that the contractor should be given formal notice to start the contract, which has a lead time of 6 weeks, so the system should be fully commissioned in September and that other organisations be approached for funding.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor McNamara Seconded Councillor Bradley</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote the system is to be purchased and donations sought.</p> <p>Councillor Shaw re-joined the meeting at 7.30pm</p> <p>5428. Members have been invited to a roof top tour of the restoration of Wentworth Woodhouse, it was proposed that a donation of £50 be made to the Make Your Mark appeal to help fund the renewal of the roof.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Cook Seconded Councillor Shaw</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote a donation of £50 be made to the Make your Mark appeal</p> <p>5429. Authorisation of cheques and Direct Debit payments for July</p> <table border="0" data-bbox="193 846 821 987"> <tr> <td>Cllr Stevenson</td> <td>1477</td> <td>£</td> <td>9.00</td> <td>Expenses</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HMRC</td> <td>1478</td> <td>£</td> <td>120.86</td> <td>PAYE July</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clerk</td> <td>1479</td> <td>£</td> <td>236.88</td> <td>Salary & Expenses July</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Envious Group</td> <td>1480</td> <td>£</td> <td>1,126.90</td> <td>Grounds Maintenance</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wentworth Woodhouse PT</td> <td>1484</td> <td>£</td> <td>50.00</td> <td>Donation</td> </tr> </table> <p>Proposed Councillor Bradley Seconded Councillor McNamara</p> <p>5430. Harley CC have contacted the parish council regarding emergency cleansing of the sports pavilion drains during the Harley Gala and the paying of the costs involved. Members agreed that the matter was the responsibility of the CC as the service was necessary due to use rather than a structural failure of the drains. It was agreed that as a gesture of goodwill, because so many parishioners were in attendance at the gala, the parish council would pay the invoice this time, it would not however, pay for similar issues going forward.</p> <p>5431. The latest play equipment inspection as highlighted a couple of issues that need to be rectified.</p>	Cllr Stevenson	1477	£	9.00	Expenses	HMRC	1478	£	120.86	PAYE July	Clerk	1479	£	236.88	Salary & Expenses July	Envious Group	1480	£	1,126.90	Grounds Maintenance	Wentworth Woodhouse PT	1484	£	50.00	Donation	
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<p>Planning Matters 5432.</p>	<p>Planning applications have been lodged for a property in Hooper and for changes to the banks of Mill Pond to improve flood resiliency. No objections or comments were raised.</p>																										
<p>Open Forum 5433.</p>	<p>It was noted that several events are to be held at the Mission Rooms, a fashion show in October, film shows on a monthly basis until the end of the year and the Christmas Fair on the 30th November.</p> <p>5434. RMBC are to write to the occupant of the overgrown hedges along Coach Road</p> <p>5435. The traffic signs at Dike Hill are obscured by overgrown hedges and similarly the no pavement signs along Kirby Lane are obscured.</p> <p>5436. A letter of thanks has been received from WVCA for the parish council support during village day.</p> <p>5437. A litter pick was requested for Nether Haugh, Councillor Roche noted that there are good litter picking groups in Brampton.</p>	<p>DR</p>																									
<p>Next Meeting 5438.</p>	<p>The next meeting is confirmed as the 16th September 2019 at 6.30pm at the Mechanic's Institute. Agenda to be distributed.</p>																										

The Meeting closed at 8.05pm