

WENTWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

*Minutes of a meeting of the Parish Council
Held at the Mechanic's Institute, Wentworth
on Monday 19th September 2016 commenced at 6.30PM*

Present 4611.	<p>Councillor Mr D. Hunton (Chairman) Councillor Mr E. Bradley (Deputy Chairman) Councillors Mr W. Crawford, Mr J. Daley, Mr B. McNamara, Ms L. Stevenson, Mrs C Shaw</p>	
Minutes 4612.	<p>The minutes of the meeting held on 18th July 2016 are accepted as a true record and authorised to be signed by the Chairman.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Crawford Seconded Councillor McNamara</p>	
Casual Vacancy 4613.	<p>Mrs Shaw was nominated to fill the casual vacancy in Harley, there have been no other applicants</p> <p>It is proposed the Mrs Shaw be co-opted to fill the Harley ordinary vacancy.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor McNamara Seconded Councillor Dickerson</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote Mrs Shaw be co-opted to the parish council (Harley ward)</p>	
Matters Raised By Parishioners 4614.	<p>Councillor Shaw reported that the Harley in bloom team are grateful for the parish council contribution to funding and photographs of the flowered and plants were circulated to the meeting. It is understood that the HVP is also to contribute to the initiative.</p> <p>4615. Overgrown hedges and verges around Harley have been reported to Streetpride, there is also more problems with blocked gullys on the A6135.</p> <p>4616. It was noted the funding for small projects is available from the Coalfields Community Investment Programme and that further funding is available from the police commissioner, it was thought it may be of interest to the various community groups.</p> <p>4617. The police commissioner has indicated a willingness to attend a parish council meeting, the matter to be discussed at the October meeting.</p> <p>4618. There has been a request to hold a wedding reception on the playing field, the Estate's views are to be sought and the matter added to the October agenda.</p> <p>4619. The WRA have asked for a few items to be considered and have advised that they are setting up a community speed watch system. A response is to be issued.</p>	<p>ALL</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>JH</p>
Matters Arising 4620.	<p>The parish council representative on the Wentworth Charities is up for re-nomination, it is proposed that Ms Clayton be nominated for a further term.</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Hunton Seconded Councillor Dickerson</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote, Ms Clayton be re-nominated as the representative for Wentworth Charities.</p> <p>4621. Wentworth Estate is to be asked to reschedule the next meeting of the Charities, the date has been moved by the Estate, but at least three members will not be able to attend the revised date.</p> <p>4622. The street lights in Friers Croft have been completed and the new lights have been found favourable by parishioners.</p> <p>4623. The yellow lines in Wentworth have now been completed, members requested a residents parking only sign near to the Bistro. There also appears to be lining missing from the area between Church Drive and the village shop, which was on the original plans. Matter to be clarified.</p> <p>4624. The old goal posts removed from Harley are now rusted through, it was decided to scrap them.</p>	<p>JH</p> <p>BM</p>



<p>Finance</p> <p>4525.</p>	<p>Authorisation of cheques and Direct Debit payments for September</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>HMRC</td> <td>1278</td> <td>£</td> <td>120.80</td> <td>PAYE August</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clerk</td> <td>1279</td> <td>£</td> <td>203.20</td> <td>Salary & Expenses August</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TK Lynskey</td> <td>1280</td> <td>£</td> <td>1,320.00</td> <td>Skips</td> </tr> <tr> <td>R Stevenson</td> <td>1282</td> <td>£</td> <td>75.00</td> <td>Expenses</td> </tr> <tr> <td>BDO</td> <td>1281</td> <td>£</td> <td>240.00</td> <td>Audit</td> </tr> </table> <p>Proposed Councillor Crawford Seconded Councillor McNamara</p> <p>4526. The risk register was reviewed and it was accepted as sufficient for the financial year.</p> <p>4527. Members asked that the Hood Hill sign be added to October's agenda</p>	HMRC	1278	£	120.80	PAYE August	Clerk	1279	£	203.20	Salary & Expenses August	TK Lynskey	1280	£	1,320.00	Skips	R Stevenson	1282	£	75.00	Expenses	BDO	1281	£	240.00	Audit	<p>ALL</p>
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<p>Proactive Counselling 4521</p>	<p>Preparations for the Remembrance Service are well underway and a sound system is to be purchased, this will then be available for the community groups to borrow. A donation of £50 was proposed to cover the travel expenses of the bugler</p> <p>Proposed Councillor Hunton Seconded Councillor Sykes</p> <p>Resolved By unanimous vote a sound system to be purchased and a donation of £50 to be made to the bugler</p>																										
<p>Open Forum</p>	<p>4529. The WVCA arranged IT training is underway, but there seems to have been confusion about some to the times of the sessions with Rotherfed.</p> <p>4530. It was noted Street Lane has still not been reclassified, an update is to be requested from the Estate.</p> <p>4531. An update is to be requested on the proposed repairs to the Carriageway round the junction of Mill Lane.</p> <p>4532. The presentation on fracking is to be scheduled for the November meeting</p> <p>4533. A parishioner has asked if there would be any interest in forming a community band, the matter to be added to the October agenda.</p> <p>4534. The NHCA thanked the parish council for it's support and advised that the planter on the community grassed area has been completed.</p> <p>4535. There have been a couple of near missed in the new school car park and as a result the middle gate has been locked and the bottom car park is now for staff only. There have also been reports of speeding vehicles and anti social behaviour in the car park at night. The Estate to be asked that the gate be locked at night as per the planning permission conditions.</p>	<p>JH</p> <p>JH</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>JH</p>																									
<p>Next Meeting 4536.</p>	<p>The next meeting is confirmed as the 17th October at 6.30pm at the Mechanic's Institute. Agenda to be distributed.</p>																										

The Meeting closed at 8.35pm

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