

Minutes of the Broadwoodwidge Parish Council meeting,

Wednesday 31st July 2019, 7pm

Those in attendance: Cllr James (Chairman), Cllrs Worden, Perkin, Hawken, Nobbs, Wonnacott, Crocombe & Stratton. Cllr Watson. PCSO James & PC Brown. Clerk.

Members of the public present: 0

5056. Apologies for absence:

Cllr Parsons

5057. Declaration of Interests

The chairman declared that interests be raised as they arise.

5058. Public Open Questions (Standing orders suspended during this session)

No Questions

5059. Police Report

PC Brown & PCSO James addressed the meeting with an update from Holsworthy Neighbourhood Policing team.

Holsworthy is not a 24hour station, and out of hours calls, the closest unit is sent, whether they are from Holsworthy, Launceston or further afield.

It is helpful if all crimes are reported, even if there is insufficient evidence to investigate, as it helps create a picture, and highlight any patterns, which in turn do give the officers more to work with.

CCTV – if a positive ID can be made, and the footage is accurately dated and timed, can be enough to convict.

The Holsworthy Neighbourhood team are happy to attend community events if they are available and will be at Holsworthy Show.

There is a new scheme, the HERBERT scheme, for carers or dementia sufferers, by means of which a form is completed with key information for those sufferers likely to go missing, which saves time in the event of an incident. Full details are in the press this week, and will be emailed over, so it can be linked on the BWW website.

5060. District Councillors Report

No news on Kivells – waiting on the judge to come back with a report.

Hospital beds aren't close – staffing is still the issue. Deer Park beds must be reviewed in September.

5061. County Councillors Report

No new report.

5062. Council Meeting Minutes

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Proposed Cllr Perkin. Seconded Cllr Worden. Carried nem.com.

5063. Matters Arising

Noticeboards – have all been completed.

5064. Planning

Both applications are awaiting revised plans and will come out for consultation once these have been received. Agreed to defer decisions until revised plans received.

5065. War Memorial

Wording

“ To honour the memory of all those who served in times of conflict from Broadwoodwidger”

To be situated where the Silent Soldier , a plinth to the road edge.

Once erected, to look at getting it dedicated.

Carried nem.com.

5067. Grant for Church Yard Maintenance

The church yard maintenance fund has sent through a request for a grant towards the maintenance of the Churchyard.

Last years grant was £600. The total costs for maintenance this year is expected to be £2000.

The council discussed the fact that if the church closed, the full maintenance would fall to the parish council, and that as funds are available to offer more support, an increase in the donation made is not unreasonable.

£1000 grant proposed by Cllr Worden. Seconded Cllr Stratton. Carried nem.com.

5068. Footpaths

Cllr Nobbs reported back on the parish footpaths.

Neathwood is missing a footpath sign by the gate.

Report to the footpath officer that the footpath running past Lower Kellacott there are concerns about access.

Small gate won't open by the Downicary Chapel Footpath.

5069. Accounts for Payment

31/7/19	R Dymond (Noticeboards)	£150
31/7/19	R Perry (Clerks Expenses)	£27.99
31/7/19	Churchyard Fund (Grant)	£1000

Accounts proposed by Cllr Nobbs, Seconded by Cllr Hawken. Carried nem.com

5070. To Receive Correspondence

The clerk mentioned an email from a concerned cyclist who had an accident in the village on a newly resurfaced area of road.

The email was forwarded to Cllr Parsons and Highways for their information. The council acknowledged the concerns raised and expressed their well wishes to the injured party.

5071. Chairman's Report

No report

5072. Clerks Report

The clerk showed the Cllr's the accounts statement from Baldwins.

5073. Exchange of Information

First Aid Course – October 25th at The Hub.

5074. The meeting closed at 20.29pm.

The next meeting is Wednesday 11th September 2019, 7pm at the Community Hub.