

TRIMLEY ST MARY PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE MEETING
WEDNESDAY 1ST JULY 2009
AT THE WELCOME HALL

Public Open Forum:

1. Verbal report given by Inspector Gallant (SNT). Reports of anti-social behaviour in the village. It was suggested that a detached youth worker be used to help eliminate the problem. J Goodwin to pursue.
2. Verbal report given by County Councillor John Goodwin.
3. Verbal report given by District Councillor Richard Kerry.

Meeting commenced at 2010 hrs.

PRESENT:

Mrs M Dixon (acting chairman), G Harding, Mrs C Jacobs, C Jacobs, R Kerry, N Mayes, C Storer, Mrs J Wright.

APOLOGIES:

B Frost, D Southgate.

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

Trustees issues – All.

Citizens Advice Bureau (CAB) – Mrs M Dixon.

2. MINUTES:

The Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Wednesday 6th May 2009 were approved as a correct record.

The Minutes of the Parish Council meeting (finance) held on Wednesday 3rd June 2009 were approved as a correct record.

3. COUNCILLORS FEEDBACK ON CLERKS REPORT & COUNCILLORS REPORTS:

3.1 Councillors Feedback on Clerks Report:

None.

3.2 Councillors Reports:

3.2.1 G Harding gave a report on the CAB AGM.

3.2.2 Mrs M Dixon gave a report on the Stour & Orwell Estuaries Forum.

4. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION:

4.1 Correspondence & Circulation Documents Requiring a Reply:

None.

4.2 Members Agenda Items:

4.2.1 Mrs C Jacobs reported on the current state of Tylers Green play area. It was agreed that work be undertaken to repair the swings – Mrs Jacobs to arrange. C Jacobs to make enquiries to obtain a bench and spring-base play equipment.

4.2.2 Anti-social behaviour in the village. This item was discussed during the Public Open Forum.

4.2.3 C Storer gave an update on the current position regarding the Local Development Framework. There is to be no re-consultation but there will be a public enquiry. The Entec consultation has now been dropped.

4.2.4 Leaflets concerning the station building have now been distributed to residents. Councillors were advised that the building has not been given listed status.

4.2.5 It was agreed that David Slater be co-opted to the Parish Council. Clerk to liaise with Mr Slater to complete the official forms.

5. FINANCE:

5.1 Monthly Financial Statement:

Clerk presented statement as at 25.6.09.

Balance of £32,744.06.

5.2 For Approval:

P C King	Bus shelters to 27/6/09 (4 weeks)	30.00
A Barton	Bus shelters to 27/6/09 (4 weeks)	60.00
J Blaza	Litter picking – June 09	80.00
Clerk	Salary to 6/7/09 (including salary enhancement)	661.68
HMRC	PAYE & NI to 5/7/09	357.50
Virgin Media	Final broadband payment (now SKY)	8.13
D Barton	Grass cutting & hedge trimming	455.00
Trimley Electrical	Work at Welcome Hall	1156.90

It was agreed that the invoice for Trimley Electrical should not be paid. The Welcome Hall Management Committee will advise what action is required after the next committee meeting on 15/7/09.

5.3 Donations:

It was agreed that the Clerk would research the possibility of some donations being made from Trust account rather than Parish Council funds.

6. PLANNING:

6.1 Applications Received:

C/09/0622 – Second Ave, 12 – Erection of extension – Support.

C/09/0646 – Faulkeners Way, 126 – Erection of fence – Concerns over quality of fencing to be used.

C/09/0778 – High Rd, 172 – Erection of single-storey dwelling – Support, TPO noted.

C/09/0834 – Chatsworth Crescent, 9 – Erection of extension – Concerns over impact on street scene.

6.2 Decisions:

C/09/0461 – Brierfield, High Rd, 58 – Erection of extension – Granted.

C/09/0356 – Burwood Place, 6 – Erection of extension – Granted.

C/09/0622 – Second Ave, 12 – Erection of extension – Granted.

7. HIGHWAYS & FOOTPATHS:

7.1 It was agreed that a replacement doggie bin be purchased for Thomas Ave. Mrs C Jacobs to arrange.

7.2 It was agreed that a replacement doggie bin be purchased for Elm Gardens. Mrs C Jacobs to arrange.

7.3 C Jacobs to contact J Goodwin concerning ‘no cycling’ signs in Dawson Drive.

7.4 It was agreed that the footpath walks should take place on 13th, 20th and 27th of July. Clerk to advertise on noticeboards.

7.5 It was agreed that a small new doggie bin be purchased for Chatsworth Crescent. Mrs C Jacobs to arrange.

7.6 Councillors were asked to advise Clerk of any overgrown hedges in the village. Clerk will write to householder concerned.

8. EMERGENCY ISSUES:

None.

Meeting closed at 2125 hrs.

----- **Chairman** ----- **Date**