

# Prestbury Parish Council

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## MINUTES OF FULL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY AT 7.15 PM IN THE LIBRARY

**Present Cllrs** J Payne (Chair)**JP**, R Fuller **RF**, M Stennett **MS**, A Silcock **AS**, M Osborne **MO**, C Simpson **CS**, P Weir **PW**, C Hunt **CH**, K Bishop **KB**, L Langrish **LL**, I Bassett-Smith **IB-S**, P Kennard **PK**, R Stark **RS**.

Mrs J Payne, Minute Secretary

Seven members of the public in attendance.

Item		Action
1) 18/031 Apologies	R Jones	
2) 18/032 Declarations of Interest	None declared.	
3) 18/033 Questions from the Public	<b>JP</b> agreed to answer questions posed through the Chair, at any time during the meeting.	
4) 18/034 Minutes of Last Meeting and Matters Arising	<b>RS</b> requested that item 18/020 be changed from Bloor to Bovis. <b>LL</b> requested that item 18/020 second paragraph had the addition of Shaw Green Lane and Spring Lane. With these alterations the Minutes were declared a true record. Proposed by <b>AS</b> . Seconded by <b>RS</b> .	
6) 18/035 Officers Reports	<b>RF</b> thanked <b>PW</b> for all his hard work with the Prestbury Village Fayre. He felt that the day had been very successful and enjoyed by all. <b>CS</b> had attended the C5 meeting with Stagecoach Southwest. All their journeys are driven by profit, but they did try to link up with British Rail and NHS. They went on to say that journeys on the periphery were not generally successful. <b>CS</b> had also attended a meeting about emergency planning. CBC were very keen to have such a plan and were pleased with our template, which they felt could be shared with others. <b>RS</b> reported on a meeting with Bovis, CBC and himself concerning the wildlife on the Starvehall Farm site. See attached report.	

	<p><b>RS</b> also reported on the speeding traffic on New Barn Lane. See attached report.</p> <p><b>MS</b> and <b>JP</b> had attended a Members seminar on “2050” Which looked at what the area would look like in 30 years time. With 400 18year olds leaving the area each year and an aging population of 66% we should be encouraging younger people to contribute. Ideas included a cyberpark (adjacent to GCHQ) regional parks, a bridge over to Sharpness and a new town near Lydney. Cotswold Airport with a garden village being built on Staverton Airport. The consultation continues and Gloucester University will bring it all together.</p>	
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<p><b>7) 18/036 Emergency Plan</b></p>	<p>Following the meeting with CBC <b>CS</b> reported that the Parish Council were now working on finding emergency accommodation and the distribution of water.</p>																						
<p><b>8) 18/037 Defibrillator</b></p>	<p><b>CS</b> said that she was experiencing a difficult time at the moment as she was waiting for planning permission for the defibrillator to be placed on the wall of the village stores. It seems that the planners want even more detailed plans.</p>																						
<p><b>9) 18/038 General Development Issues</b></p>	<p><b>JP</b> reported that the buildings previously occupied by Premier Products in Bouncers Lane, were to be demolished. The demolition however, could impact on the badger sett within the grounds of the Crematorium. CBC have been informed and the Badger Trust have now become involved.</p>																						
<p><b>10) 18/039 Robson Field</b></p>	<p><b>CH</b> has undertaken a simple survey as to how people felt about gym equipment on the Robson field. See attached report.</p>																						
<p><b>11) 18/040 Finance and General Purposes</b></p>	<p>The Clerk issued the Bank Reconciliation and the Budget Forecast ahead of the meeting. The following payments are to be made in July 2018</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>2696 C Franklin</td> <td>£118.99</td> <td>Norton Virus protection &amp; Plants for War Memorial</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2697 C Franklin</td> <td>£135.86</td> <td>PVF Float &amp; paint</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2698 P Weir</td> <td>£179.15</td> <td>Grass line marker</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2700 Mudway</td> <td>£1020.00</td> <td>Marquee</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2701 CBC</td> <td>£83.20</td> <td>Bin Collection (Office)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2702 D Clarke</td> <td>£183.03</td> <td>Raffle tickets, ink Cartridges PVF</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2703 Travis Perkins</td> <td>£238.42</td> <td>Timber sleepers, plates For seats on playing fld.</td> </tr> </table>	2696 C Franklin	£118.99	Norton Virus protection & Plants for War Memorial	2697 C Franklin	£135.86	PVF Float & paint	2698 P Weir	£179.15	Grass line marker	2700 Mudway	£1020.00	Marquee	2701 CBC	£83.20	Bin Collection (Office)	2702 D Clarke	£183.03	Raffle tickets, ink Cartridges PVF	2703 Travis Perkins	£238.42	Timber sleepers, plates For seats on playing fld.	
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	2704 Trade UK      £48.28 Metal threaded rod 2705 CBC              £92.98 Bins for PVF  Total                      £2,171.05	
<b>12) 18/041 Planning</b>	<b>RF</b> reported that of the 239 planning requests during the past 12 months, only seven had been refused. He has suggested that there be no further planning meetings unless there was a major plan. The members of the planning committee would view the list of applications from CBC each Friday and respond to <b>RF</b> within seven days. Any objections should go to the full planning committee.	
<b>13) 18/042 Allotment Committee</b>	<b>MO</b> asked for rain!	
<b>14) 18/043 Assets and Playing Fields Committee.</b>	<b>AS</b> wondered what was happening as far as the stolen tiles were concerned. <b>JP</b> said that the Parish Council would not be putting in an Insurance claim because the excess is more than the cost of the tiles.	
<b>15) 18/044 Prestbury Village Fayre</b>	<b>PW</b> thanked all those who had helped make the Fayre such a success. He had done a simple questionnaire for the many stall holders to assess the success from their point of view. He thought the profit from the event should be about £2000. The recipients were to be The Memorial Trust, Riding for the Disabled and the Mayor's Charity Appeal. There would be about £450 available for the Christmas tree, and a donation to St. John's, St. Mary's and Pittville schools in recognition of their loan of equipment. A member of the public expressed his thanks for the help he'd received in setting up his stall. The event had been very beneficial to his organisation.	
<b>15)AOB</b>	<b>IB-S</b> expressed health concerns with regard to the LED street lighting . It had been said that they were being installed because they were the cheapest option. A report had suggested that LED's could cause problems with the retina. <b>JP</b> asked for a copy of the report so that he could take this to GCC. <b>PK</b> announced that the telephone box in the Burgage had been vandalised. <b>JP</b> suggested that she report this to BT. <b>PK</b> also complained about the noise emanating from the Racecourse. <b>JP</b> requested an e-mail in order to proceed. <b>JP</b> reported that with the temporary closure of Boots Corner, the Disabled parking in Pittville Street had been lost. Andrew McKinley had said that this was	

	<p>GCC' s problem. Scott Tomkins from GCC, had said that they were not prepared to allow Blue Badge holders access to the restricted area.</p> <p><b>KB</b> questioned the signing of the Declaration of Interest by Councillors. <b>JP</b> responded that there had been a recent change in the requirements. <b>RS</b> was under the impression that the Borough Solicitor did not publish such details on the website.</p> <p><b>CH</b> asked if House of Fraser were paying any rent. <b>JP</b> thought that this was confidential information.</p> <p><b>RS</b> requested that something be done about the appalling state of Seven Posts Alley. He also announced that the Travellers were back on the Park-and -Ride.</p> <p><b>MS</b> asked if the Parish Council were going to register for GDPR. <b>JP</b> replied that they were.</p> <p>A member of the public announced that as from the beginning of September the Prestbury Day Centre would be unoccupied and wondered what was going to happen to the building. <b>JP</b> said that there had been discussions over the past couple of years that the Offices in Deep Street may move in. <b>JP</b> will check this out.</p> <p><b>IB-S</b> asked about the King's Arms and Raymond Blanc's interest in it. There was no definite reply.</p> <p>There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.25pm.</p> <p><b>13<sup>th</sup> August at 7.15 pm in Prestbury Library.</b></p>	
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