

Minutes for Rhodesia Parish Council
4th Novemb2015

Attending

Councillors Audrey Samuel, Gordon Hall, Tony Belton, Chairlady Margaret Leadbetter, Peter Ratcliffe, Sybil Fielding and David Pressley

John Foster re Quarry

History of the quarry dating back to 1980 when it was used for fishing, since 2000 it hasn't been used. It was used by sub aqua club in the 1970. Plans back to 1885. it was called Spring Quarry.

Council can use there staff for general work. Wildlife officer has been down to look he recommends improve vegetation, bird boxes, floating islands, coir rolls along the side. Notts County council recreation team can draw up plans. The cost would be £550 approx.

Not a lot can be done with the pond only what wildlife trust have suggested. The area at the north west area next to allotments this does not come under district council this is owned by Parish Council.. Probably a garden could be made with a viewing area. The county council will do a match fund for improvements.

The quarry is designated local wildlife site, approval has to be obtained before any work is carried out.

We need a plan The cost will be met via Sybil Fielding and David Pressley.

When the new housing development is built the parish council will get 15% of the SIL.

Public Forum

a statement 2.;30 am 14.9.15 two motorists were riding dangerously along Mary Street towards Tylden Road. Saturday again riding dangerously along Mary Street. Cabinet member looks after neighbourhoods/housing Julie Leigh BDC invite her to a closed meeting. David Pressley will email her.

Foul language from outside school while football match was taking place.

By pass is causing a lot of noise

officer of the Police

None in attendance

1.Apologies for absence

none

2.Declaration of Interest

none

3.To approve minutes of last meeting

Approved Gordon Hall second Audrey Samuel

4.Matters arising from minutes

Speed bump progress, highways have been out Sybil Fielding will chase it up

Speed camera nothing has happened

Firework display in Shireoaks had very good reports.

Drain has been fitted outside gates of village hall and the park entrance

5.County and district matters

Rhodesia is the only village to have a Childrens Centre in Bassetlaw

New housing on Tylden Road met with Fisher German can they build any affordable bungalows, they think it is a good idea. They will be for Rhodesia Residents Depends on the developer. Send letter to Fisher German and the drainage sorted out. Access onto playing field so a tractor can get through school will need to be extended it is nearly full now.Can we get money for the quarry or play area or playing field.

15% of SIL money will come to the council from Developer.

Invite Highways Officer (Ian Parker) to ask why we cannot have speed cameras etc Sybil will invite him to the meeting.

Housing office BDC are going to repair it. We haven't had any rent for years.

Lottery funding David Pressley is having a meeting to see if we can apply for funding.

Shireoaks are having a flood elevation kit. Ask Ian Davies Engineer for drainage at BDC if Rhodesia is eligible. Drain on the service lane behind Royds Crescent between 2 and 3. blocked.

6. Planning applications

none

7. Communications received

8. Recreation Ground

9. The Dyke

10 Play area mary street

12 Financial report

Proposed Gordon Hall second Audrey Samuel

13 Accounts payable

14 Any other business

Youth Club funding is stopping Sybil will find out where the money may come from

Coffee morning for Mcmillan made £738.42

Mower Paul doesn't want to garage it any more. Someone at the top end of village is prepared to keep mower in his garden covered with tarpaulin he will do the cutting. We will pay £8 per hour

By pass is causing a lot of noise it has been reported Highways department need a letter

Date and time of next meeting 6th January 2016 meeting closed at 9.30 pm