

Minutes of the MEETING of STANTON ON THE WOLDS Parish Council
held on Wednesday July 13, 2016, at 7.30pm,
at the Parish Church, Browns Lane, Stanton on the Wolds

Couns. Mike Sheriston (Chairman)
Jim Goodman (part of the time) Hilary Whitby (A)
Alex McKee Teri Browett (A)
Richard Whitby Martin Danielson

In attendance: The clerk Mike Elliott and Rushcliffe Borough Council members Rob Inglis and three members of the public.

- 1] APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Cllr Hilary Whitby, Teri Browett,
- 2] DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST There were none
- 3] MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING HELD ON MAY 11, 2016 were accepted as circulated and signed by the chairman.
- 4] CLERK'S REPORT FROM PREVIOUS MEETING
Interactive speed sign - complaint from a resident in regard to the recently installed flashing speed sign on the main road at Stanton on the Wolds. The resident is concerned that the sign is partially hidden by the overhanging branches of the oak tree which stands in front of it. He maintains that 50% of the vehicles that pass his house are still travelling above the speed limit and that if the sign was in full view it would be more effective. Notts highways department have looked at the position and will come back to us.
Queen's 90th birthday medals – requests for 21 received by the clerk. It was agreed spare ones be sold at £3, and that the availability of them be made known on the website in the next newsletter.
Royal Mail want a photo of the red post box, and the chairman offered to provide this.
Litter signs. 200mm x 150mm. Don't drop rubbish, place litter in the bins provided. Self-adhesive ones £2.08 each. It was agreed to order ten.
- 5] CORRESPONDENCE
Frack Free Notts – meeting Friends Meeting House, Nottingham. Saturday July 17. Coun. Whitby said he would try to attend.
Notts Footpaths Preservation Society launch of Notts Wolds Way walk 26 miles Bunny to Cropwell Butler in 4 stages. Launch at Bunny village hall 10.30am August 23. Couns. Danielson and Whitby were interested in attending.
Sheilagh Parker, 40 Stanton Lane, wrote in regard to a neighbour's hedge being too high. She was at the meeting and the chairman asked her for comments. Coun. Inglis, Rushcliffe Borough Council, offered to take the matter up on behalf of the resident.
- 6] PLANNING MATTERS
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16/01231/ful. Brett Hands, 64a Stanton Lane. Two storey rear extension, pitched roofs to front dormer windows. No objection.
16/01315/agric. Frederick McKee, Thurlby Farm, Thurlby Lane. Erection of barn. No objection.
16/01573/ful. C Dean, Foxcote Farm, Brook Lane. Demolish existing greenhouse, erect garage ext. No objection.
16/01523/COU. Paul Keeling, Stanwolds Kennels, Stanton Lane. Change of use of land from Stanton Kennels to use by golf club, plough, rotovate and seed to grass. No decision taken.

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16/00406/ful. Mr Whalley, Laurel Farm, Browns Lane. Two storey side and rear ext, detached garage. Grant.

16/01231/ful. Brett Hands, 64a Stanton Lane. Two storey rear extension, pitched roofs to front dormer windows. Grant

16/01281/ful. Gillian Smellie, The Old Dairy, Browns Lane. Install 5 roof lights, alterations to existing window to create door. Grant.

7] VILLAGE AMENITIES

The matter of the medals for the 90th birthday of HM Queen Elizabeth was raised and it was agreed that any remaining after the hand out to applicants would be sold at £3 each and their availability being made known through the website and the newsletter.

8] FINANCIAL MATTERS

Cheques for Payment were approved as per the circulated list.

The chairman said he had been to the bank earlier in the day to sign the necessary papers to allow him to be a signature to the account. The clerk raised the question of the council having a credit card. He understood for this to be arranged would require the council to agree to having a single signature on cheques. The clerk was asked to investigate the position.

9] WEBSITE

Coun. Whitby said there were no problems to report and he would organise the display of items on it that the council were requesting.

10] NEWSLETTER

An issue was planned in September, with the deadline for copy being August 19.

11] ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

A report had been given to the council of a drilling rig that had been erected on Lamin Gap Lane. Its purpose was not known.

The number of rabbits to be seen in the parish was commented on. It was felt the increase was something affecting the whole area.

12] AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING. Nothing was put forward.

13] PUBLIC SESSION

Overgrown hedges and trees on Melton Road was a matter reported to the council as was a need for the direction sign to the parish church to be repainted. Coun. Goodman, who arrived as the agenda item was reached, said he would undertake the task.

A resident reminded the council of the Ride and Stride event on September 10 and said the parish church would welcome anyone supporting the event as a sponsored participant.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.29pm.