

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF BLIDWORTH PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD AT 7.30PM ON THURSDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2014 AT BLIDWORTH  
COMMUNITY LEISURE CENTRE .**

**PRESENT**

P Brooks – Chair

Mrs L Chadwick

A Fell

M Gammon

T Hurst

G Merry

P Merry

G Stocks - Clerk

Also in Attendance – Mrs E Hurst

**Chair welcomed everyone , then asked if all mobile phones be switched to silent .  
He then reminded Members about Standards & Code of Conduct & to state if they have  
any conflicts of interest in any Council business on the Agenda .**

**1. Apologies for Absence – Cllrs B Evans (Hol.), Mrs C Dabbs (Ill), Ms H Warren (Ill) &  
Mrs S Harvey (Hol.).**

**2. Declarations of Interest Re any Items on the Agenda - NONE**

Following discussion of the previous Minutes , it was agreed to Minute that the Clerk made a verbal apology at the Meeting of 16 October 2014 . This was followed by a written apology , both for omitting to inform Cllrs G & P Merry of the early start Re the Bloom presentation , & also for the language used in the following discussion .

**3.. Minutes & Statutory Business**

**3.1. To agree Minutes of Meeting held 16 October 2014 – Chair advised that in Item 7.2 -  
“ Cllr G Merry advised that the gypsies have now gone “ , be deleted , as he had already  
texted both District Cllrs Re this news – Cllr M Gammon Proposed & Cllr Mrs L  
Chadwick Seconded that Minutes be approved – For 3 & 2 Abstentions.**

**3.2. Parish Clerks update on actions taken :-**

**Item 7.2 Re Cross Lane proposed 40 mph limit – spoke with NCC Highways – “ sometime  
in near future “.**

**Item 8.1 Blidworth Play Areas – Clerk reported that on 17 November Chair , Vice Chair ,  
Clerk , Phil Beard & Karen Tarburton , met for a preliminary Meeting to enable us to  
plan for the way forward . At this Meeting it was agreed that other reps . should be Nick  
Rhodes , Shaun Walker & Jodi Marsh , with first meeting to be held in January 2014 .**

**Item 8.4 – now Agreed see agenda 8.4**

**Item 8.6 – all faults reported .**

**Item 8.10 – see Agenda Item 10.11**

**Item 9.1 – Re NCC App. Form re Supporting Local Communities sent to “ Sams  
Workplace “, Rainworth.**

**4.1. Approval of Schedule of Accounts Re October 2014 Net Total £5,696.69 – Cllr Mrs L Chadwick Proposed & Chair Seconded that Minutes be approved – All Agreed Ex Cllr G Merry Abstained .**

**4.2. Approval of Bank Reconciliation Statement as at 31<sup>st</sup> October 2014 - Noted**

**5. Public Participation Period** – Mrs E Hurst advised that she has recently had a phone call from Cllr Mrs Y Woodhead advising she has just left a Meeting @ County Hall & will try to get to this Meeting if possible .

## **6. Planning**

**6.1 Planning Application :** Application Number : 14/01828/FUL : Location : Burma House , Burma Road : Proposal : Change of use of One Sub-Divided Area within the current building outlines with minor initial alterations to form Gymnastics Centre – **Agreed Unanimously.**

**6.2 Notice of Decision :** Application Number :14/01660/FUL : Location : 4 Top Road : Proposal : Replacement Dwelling – **NOTED**

**6.3 Notice of Decision :** Application Number : 14/01563/FUL : Location : Brooklands , Rickett Lane : Proposal : erection of 2 storey extension & alterations – **NOTED**

**6.4 Letter from NSDC Enforcement Officer Re Burma Road Unit used for vehicle sales - Agreed Clerk write re several complaints Re parking near this site inc. blocking pavements Re public access.**

**6.5 Planning Application :** Application Number : 14/01954/OUT : Location : Jolly Friar : Proposal : Erect 6 No Houses (new layout ) – **All Members Objected (Ex Cllr G Merry)**

**6.6 Planning Application :** Application Number : 14/01962/FUL : Location : 3 Hilton Park : Proposal : single storey side extension to form kitchen extension with utility room – **All Agreed (ex Cllr G Merry) , as long as there is no impact on neighbouring properties or over-intensification of site .**

## **7 . County / District Councillors**

**7.1.. County & District Councillor Mrs Y Woodhead – not present**

**7.2. District Councillor – Cllr G Merry – very little to report , not satisfied with a recent Planning decision .**

## **8 . General Parish Affairs**

### **8.1 . Highways / Road Safety / Footpaths**

Faulty Street Lights to report – **Opp Cllr Mrs Chadwick & o/s Methodist Church – 2 on Haywood Oaks Lane - approx. 100 yds on Rt. coming down hill after Andrew Dr. & 3<sup>rd</sup> on Rt . after Andrew Drive .**

NCC Letter Re School Entrance Markings – **Agreed Clerk respond with the following – “ we fully support the proposed , but would also recommend that the proposed double yellows**

**at bottom of Belle Vue Lane should be extended to Haywood Avenue to avoid regular double parking opposite shops , doctors ( + Emergency Vehicles ) & Bus Stop .**

**8.2 Update Re Bloom – Cllr C Dabbs not present .**

**8.3 NOT USED**

**8.4 . Update Re Xmas 2014 Lights – Clerk reported that A Ward will be starting probably tomorrow .**

**8.5 Remembrance Service 9 Nov. 2014 – Chair reported it was a fantastic event with a turnout of approx. 500 people .**

**8.6 Update Re Ex Jolly Friar site – Planning sanctions in pipeline & also latest Planning Application ( 6.5 above ) .**

**8.7 Update Re Tribute Planter – all monies raised for this planter has come from Mrs Cutts & Family ( Cllr T Hurst enquired who is responsible for its future maintenance ) .**

**8.8 NSDC Re Items to be considered @ Planning C'ttee. 7 Oct. 14.- None**

**8.9.Electoral Review of Nottinghamshire- 8.9a to NCC 8.9b to BPC - Noted**

**8.10 NALC- DRAFT Parish Councils Financial Regs . for consideration – Cllr Mrs L Chadwick will amend .**

**8.11 To Amend Standing Order 3L to read – A person may not orally report or comment about a meeting as it takes place if he is present at the meeting of a parish council or its committees but otherwise may :-**

**a) film , photograph or make an audio recording of a meeting**

**b) use any other means for enabling persons not present to see or hear proceedings at a meeting as it takes place or later .**

**c) report or comment on the proceedings in writing during or after a meeting or orally report or comment after the meeting – Cllr Mrs L Chadwick to amend .**

**9. CORRESPONDENCE**

**9.1 Sport Notts 2014 Newsletter - noted**

**9.2 Grass Roots – RHS Community Update - Noted**

**9.3 The Beat - Oct. 2014 - Noted**

**9.4 CPRE – Nottinghamshire Voice - Noted**

**9.5 Mr K Rice- Chair Girton & Meering Parish Council – Agreed Clerk to write , support in principle .**

**9.6 NCC Re Consultation ion Spending Proposals 2015/16 to 2017/18. - Noted**

**9.7 Photostatic – Annual Maint . Agreement Re Copier - Agreed**

**9.8 NALC Re Nominations for 3 positions on Smaller Council’s Committee - Noted**

**Late Item 9.9 Greenwood Community Tree Planting Grants 2014/15.- Copy to Cllr Mrs L.C.**

**Late Item 9.10 NCC Supporting Local Communities Fund 2015/16 -**

**10 . Emails ( For Noting Only )**

**10.1 PDP Compliance News 14.10.14**

**10.2 PDP Compliance News 21.10.14.**

**10.3 PDP Compliance News 28.10.14**

**10.4 PDP Compliance News 04.11.14.**

**10.5 PDP Compliance News 11.11.14.**

**10.6 4 Day DP Qualification Nov. 2014**

**10.7 F.O.I. News 22.10.14**

**10.8 F.O.I. News 05.11.14.**

**10.9 Rural Services Network Re Rural Opportunities Bulletin -Noted**

**10.10 Neighbourhood Planning – New Funding - Noted**

**10.11 A Carolan – response Re Meeting times - Noted.**

**10.12 Filmscene UK- Notts . Mobile Cinema £275 (for xmas ) - Noted**

**Meeting closed @ 8.40pm**