

Kirkby Malhamdale Parish Council

Minutes (282) for Monday 3rd July @ 7.30pm

Present – C. Wildman, T. Bullough, C. Newhouse, P. Dewhirst, J. Thacker, M. Throup, A. Bradley

Observing – L&M Parker, R. Ingham, D. Howlett, R. Ashford, Cllr G. Quinn, Cllr A Sutcliffe, A. Roe

1. **Public Questions** – A. Roe raised concerns about the external event held on the 17th June and the noise and disruption caused to some residents. C.W. responded that KMPC cannot give approval to events being organised. R.A. stated that YDNP issue a Code of Conduct to participants of any events that they organise and in addition seek a voluntary contribution of £1 per participant towards the Three Peaks Fund. RA agreed to send the Code of Conduct to JT who will issue this to any external bookings for the village hall. AB asked that this also go to all local businesses. M.T. raised concerns that the voluntary levy did not benefit local farmers/ landowners and RA agreed to take this back to YDNP.
2. **Apologies** – P. Wherity, N. Heseltine
3. **Minutes of the last meeting** – June minutes approved. T.B proposed, M. Throup seconded.
4. **Matters arising/ actions from minutes**
 - CW to source £2 contribution notices
 - CW to circulate brief for parking strategy to the PC **DONE**
 - PD to write in support of the Chapel alterations **DONE**
 - PD to write to Highways about grate on Finkle Street **DONE**
 - PW to ask AB to repair the notice board
 - CW to ask Nathan to fix the outside toilet lights **DONE but work to be completed**
 - JT to investigate phone box repair **DONE but awaiting BT to action**
 - TB to action dog poo bin on path to Cove. **Done and PD to remind CDC to empty**
 - YDNP to repair gate into plantation **Done**
5. **Council Matters**

None
6. **County Councillor's Report**

Cllr Quinn advised that Parish Clerks now have access to a Highways Portal. YDNP have put out a survey on aspects of the National Park and they have extended the deadline from the 3rd July. CW to re issue the link for the survey to committee members.
7. **District Councillor's Report**

Cllr Sutcliffe advised that the Craven local plan is now out for consultation. Final consultation will be in September. A traffic control van could be available for use in Malhamdale if the PC felt it would be useful.

8. YDNPA

RA circulated a BMC article about parking on Cove Road. Whilst the article is targeted at climbers, the meeting agreed parking on the road beyond the path to the Cove caused problems for farmers and general access. RA to liaise with PD to obtain a new 'Clearway' sign for Cove Road. AB also asked we consider a 'Clearway' sign for Malham Raikes. RA is developing a 5 year plan for the landscape trail for the Malham 'classic' and sought input from the PC. Questionnaires were distributed and CW asked that any suggestions should go to him for collating and sending to RA.

9. Parking Strategy for Malham

CW had circulated relevant documents to the committee

10. Planning

(a) Decisions by YDNPPA

Friars Garth cottage had been refused. Response had been received from Peter Eggleton regarding PC response to Malham Chapel.

(b) New Applications

Kirkby Beck Farm – the meeting agreed to support
Coronation Villas- Mr & Mrs Parker talked through the application and the meeting agreed to support

(c) Other planning business

None

11. Finance

Account 1 - £9,135 after paying grant to Malham Village Hall and Maude Construction for village green setts

Account 2 - £19,498.92

Other Business

12. Community

(a) LAFSC & Brochure

Would be good to tie in the colour coded walks in the brochure with the YDNPA 5 year plan. RA to note.

(b) Village Green

Mr Chandler requested a copy of the last minutes. CW sent the minutes from May. Solicitors in Leeds have asked what we want to do with the village green file.

(c) Traffic and Transport

M.T. reported a significant problem with the 2nd cattle grid up Cove Road. A.Roe reported two gullies blocked at corner of Riverside House and also opposite the Smithy. PD to action. The Listers have approached CW about maintaining the path at the post office clapper bridge. The meeting welcomed this.

(d) Superfast Broadband

Nothing to report

(e)Maintenance and repair issues

Nothing to report

13. Malhamdale Emergency Plan

No progress to report

14. Environment

A.Roe asked the PC to look at improving the village green area adjacent to the Smithy. The Chestnut tree needed to be crowned and the grass area underneath reseeded or flagged. The meeting agreed to support. TB to report back on work needed to the tree.

15. Correspondence

None

16. Any other business

None

Actions for this month

- **CW to source £2 parking contribution signs**
- **PW to ask AB to repair notice board**
- **RA to send JT the YDNP events code of conduct**
- **CW to send YDNP code of conduct to all brochure businesses**
- **Check outside toilet lights been repaired**
- **Check Malham call box repaired and cleaned**
- **PD to ask CDC to empty new dog poo bin on cove footpath**
- **CW to reissue link to YDNP survey**
- **PD to contact CDC about Clearway sign for Cove Road**
- **CW to send RA responses received for 5 year plan for Malham 'classic' walk**
- **PD to action repair to cattle grid and two blocked gullies**
- **TB to check work needed on Horse Chestnut tree at Smithy**
- **PC to look at remedial work on village green area next to Smithy**

Date of next meeting: 7th August 2017 (apologies noted PD and AB)

Date of subsequent meetings: 4TH September 2107, 2nd October 2017, 6th November 2017, 4th December 2017