

SHEVIOCK PARISH COUNCIL

The minutes of the meeting held on Monday 11th January 2010 in the Chapel Schoolroom, Crafhole at 7.00pm.

PRESENT. Councillors CK Kennedy Chairman, JM Snowling Vice Chairman, Councillors Mrs. D Mathias, P Nicholas, C Wallin P Harrison, PC Pat Libby and the Clerk DMG Dunn. There were 3 members of the public present.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.

Mr. G Bracegirdle expressed his concern that only the Harbour Beach was going to have a Dog Ban and not the Finnygook Beach. He has been using the beaches for 43 years and felt that both beaches would be safer with no dogs on them during the summer.

At Seaton beach the place is full of dogs and he felt that it is unsafe for children.

He thought that the matter was to be discussed at this meeting tonight.

The Chairman informed Mr. Bracegirdle that a Dog Ban could not be enforced but a Dog Control Order is enforceable. It was decided at a Parish meeting on 23rd November 2009 that the Dog Control Order would be on the Finnygook Beach only. After distributing minutes to almost every household in the parish it was decided that due to additional information another Parish Meeting was held on 14th December 2009. At this meeting attended by 23 members of the public it was decided to have a Dog Control Order on the Harbour Beach only. Councillor Nicholas added that the Ban on both beaches was the only Bye Law left in the County.

Councillor Harrison also added that the Finnygook Beach has 4 owners and permission must be sought from all owners to have a Dog Control Order.

The Clerk was asked to reply to Mr. Bracegirdle officially.

CLERK

1. APOLOGIES.

Apologies were received from Councillor E Heapy and CC. G Trubody.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

There were no declarations of interest on agenda items or gifts over £25.

3. POLICE REPORT.

PC Libby gave his report that there had been no reported crimes committed in the parish during the last month.

The speed gun training will start very shortly as soon as the last person has been approved.

The Chairman thanked PC Libby and added that it is good to see a reasonable high profile of police attendance in the parish.

4. RESPONSE TO PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.

This had been covered during Public Participation.

5. MoD. TREGANTLE AND BLACKBALL BEACH.

The Chairman with Councillors Harrison and Nicholas attended a meeting at Exeter and it proved to be a useful discussion. It was demonstrated that there is a risk of 1 in 1M of bullets landing at Blackball Beach. The MoD had given the Parish Council a set of plans showing the ranges and the footprints of firing. The Chairman is due to meet the Deputy Range Warden on site on 26th January 2010 and will discuss signs to be erected warning the public of using Blackball Beach during live firing.

Councillor Harrison added that the area is shown on O/S maps and charts and there is a risk of ricochet.

Councillor Nicholas also added that the sign should be erected at the gate leading down to the beach.

Councillor Wallin asked for an article to be placed in the Parish Magazine explaining the situation. The

Chairman agreed to this.

CHAIRMAN

6. PLANNING.

KERKYRA. 09/01943/01977/FUL. Mr. And Mrs Wilkinson, the owners, were present and Mr. Wilkinson explained with plans the application details.

It was proposed by Councillor Mathias and seconded by Councillor Wallin to support the application. Carried.

The Clerk to return the appropriate form.

CLERK

12 Burns View. 09/01962/FUL. The Chairman declared a personal interest in that the proposed extension would overlook his property.

Councillor Mathias added that the extension would overlook the neighbouring property at 11 Burns View.

It was proposed by Councillor Mathias and seconded by Councillor Wallin not to support the application on the grounds of overlooking No 11 Burns View. Carried. The Clerk to return the appropriate form. **CLERK**

7. MINUTES OF MEETINGS HELD ON 14th December 2009.

The Chairman stated that Councillor Heapy wished for the minutes of the Parish Meeting to be changed as follows; Councillor Harrison expressed to Councillor Heapy expressed. After, from the parish. Add. **but does reflect their interests and therefore represents the parish views.**

Both of these changes were proposed by Councillor Harrison and seconded by Councillor Mathias. Voting was 5 for and 1 abstention.

Councillor Nicholas wished the minutes of the Parish Council meeting also to be changed in his comments on the Parish Magazine from, **contained racist views. To bordering on racism.**

After considerable discussion it was proposed by Councillor Nicholas to change the minutes accordingly. No one seconded the proposal.

The minutes of the Parish Council meeting were then proposed by Councillor Mathias and seconded by Councillor Snowling. The voting was 5 for and 1 abstention. The minutes were signed by the Chairman.

8. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES.

Asbestos in quarry. The Chairman and Councillor Heapy had met with Paul Cressey that morning and were informed that the field adjacent to the quarry will not be planted this year and the asbestos will be removed in sealed bins, but this will necessitate the temporary closure of the adjacent footpath when the work is being carried out. The Clerk was asked to write to Mr. Cressey to verify this. **CLERK**

Parish Plan. The Chairman informed the meeting that CC Trubody has been given copies of all the Parish Plans in his area and the Community Network wants to define what is still to be done on these plans. The Chairman has agreed that CC Trubody will pass copies to the Clerk to deliver to the Chairman and replies are to be returned before the end of January 2010. **CC TRUBODY/CLERK/CHAIRMAN**

Cluster meeting. The meeting is at Kingsand on 21st January 2010 at 7.00 p.m. where two members and one substitute will be selected to represent the Rame cluster at the Community Network meetings for the next year. All councillors invited to attend. **ALL**

Clerk's appointment. The 4 candidates have been selected for interview and the Clerk is to inform the Chairman and Councillors Snowling and Heapy of the dates and times of the interviews. **CLERK**

9. CORRESPONDENCE

The Ope. The Clerk was asked to e mail Sarah-Jane Page to find out what is happening over the fence and picnic tables. **CLERK**

Parking charges. Clerk to return the form stating that the 1st hour free parking should be reintroduced, this will support local businesses and we are in a low wage area. **CLERK**

Dog Ban. Councillor Mathias to reply to the email from Mr. Graham Bracegirdle and copy to the Clerk. **COUNCILLOR MATHIAS**

Parish Magazine. The Chairman read out a letter from Mr. Russ Smith, the Editor of the Parish Magazine, referring to the comments made by Councillor Nicholas at the meeting on 14th December 2009.

The Chairman added that Councillor Nicholas is a valued member of the Parish Council and he has made very useful contributions and input through his knowledge of the parish.

There has been a complaint to the Parish Council over Councillor Nicholas's comments and these comments are to be justified or an apology must be made.

There was considerable discussion over this matter and it was decided that the Clerk is to reply to Mr. Smith to the effect that the comments made were not the views of the Parish Council and that we understand Councillor Nicholas will be communicating with a separate e mail. **CLERK**

Footpath cutting grant. The grant payable by CC is £15.70 more than claimed and the Clerk is to write and state that we will keep as a credit against next year. **CLERK**

10. FINANCE.

The Clerk stated that the donation for the use of the Sunday school room is due. Last year it was increased from £125 to £130.

Councillor Snowling declared an interest in this item.

It was proposed by Councillor Mathias and seconded by Councillor Wallin to increase it to £135. Carried

The following cheques were proposed by Councillor Wallin and seconded by Councillor Nicholas. Carried.
Cheque No 100834 £474.30 DMG Dunn Clerks salary for December 2009.
Cheque No 100835 £17.88 DMG Dunn Clerks expenses for December 2009.
Cheque No 100836 £60.00 Sheviock Memorial Hall rent for Clerks office for January 2010.
Cheque No 100837 £76.20 P Harrison mileage allowance for attending meeting at Exeter.
Cheque No 100838 £135.00 Crafhole Methodist Church, use of room for meetings 2009.

11. CLERKS APPOINTMENT.

Item dealt with under matters arising.

12. OPEN SPACES.

The Chairman reported on his meeting with Paul Cressey that it is hoped the Hotel will take over a piece of land near the Sewage Pumping Station to extend the golf course by the 25th March 2010. The Chairman said that he will speak with Mr. Kevin Andrew about levelling some of the land and advise the Parish Council of the cost. The lease between the Parish Council and Antony Estate for the open space must be agreed and the Parish Council will pay towards this.

13. A374.

Councillor Harrison asked the Clerk to write and express concern over a lack of response to the letter to Highways in November 2009 and ask for a site meeting.

CLERK

Waste paper bin at bus shelter, Sheviock. Councillor Harrison asked the clerk to contact Cornwall Council and ask for the bin to be emptied regularly.

CLERK

Encroaching vegetation on pavement at Sheviock. Councillor Harrison asked the Clerk to find out who is responsible for keeping the vegetation back because the pavement between Horsepool Lane and Sheviock Lane is getting overgrown.

CLERK

14. TEMPORARY BUILD OUT IN CRAFTHOLE.

Councillor Mathias is concerned over the proposed site of the build out and asked if it could be positioned nearer the mini roundabout.

The Clerk to contact Albert Clements to arrange a site meeting.

CLERK

15. ITEMS FOR INCLUSION IN FUTURE MEETINGS.

Planning presentation. Councillor Nicholas.

16. ITEMS OF CONFIDENTIALITY TO BE DISCUSSED WHEN MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE EXCLUDED.

It was proposed by Councillor Wallin and seconded by Councillor Mathias, that a resolution be passed under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 section 1, extended by Local Government Act 1972 Section 100 that the following item is confidential.

Councillor Nicholas updated the meeting on the ownership of a parcel of land within the parish and the Clerk was asked to communicate with Cornwall Council.

CLERK

17. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.

The meeting was fixed for 8th February 2010.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 9.21 p.m.

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