

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE ALDWARK AREA PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON 14 JULY 2011**

Present: Roland Crooke (Chairman) Flawith Parish Councillor
Colin Stroud Aldwark Parish Councillor
Alan Boddy Aldwark Parish Councillor
Henry Dean (from item 2) Youlton Parish Councillor
Alison Pollock (from item 2) Aldwark Parish Councillor
Sue Southall Clerk

In Attendance: Cllr Nigel Knapton

1 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 19 May 2011 as circulated, were agreed and signed by the Chairman. There were no matters arising.

2 ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR IN ALDWARK

RC had spoken to Broadacres Housing Association regarding the recent anti social incident in Aldwark and Councillors agreed they were happy for the matter to be dealt with by Broadacres and the Police, who had attended the incident. RC to monitor and report back to a future meeting. RC

3 PARISH PLAN

Leisure: (a) Play Area - RC had placed an order with Image for the provision of matting under the monkey bars. He was also trying to obtain a copy of the installation certificate from Playdale, requested by HDC. RC

(b) As a result of a recent planning approval in Flawith HDC would be making a payment of £2,000 under section 106. HD was asked to confer with the Village Group and RC within Flawith village to come up with a project on which to spend this money. RC to respond in the meantime. HD/RC

Environmental: (c) There did not appear to be any environmental issues at present.

Roads & grass verges: (d) RC to speak further with Janette Pascal re cutting grass on the village green in Flawith. RC

(e) AB to press Highways re the pot holes on the road between Youlton and Aldwark Bridge, together with any other pot holes in the parish. AB

(f) AB to arrange grass cutting down Hag Lane, Youlton. AB

4 PARISH WEBSITE

(a) The website was up and running in a preliminary format and CS asked councillors to come forward with ideas and information for inclusion – Ure Walk, Church Golf Day, etc.. CS was currently investigating the possibility of linking together the Aldwark, Alne and Tollerton sites or at least sharing information between the 3 sites. It was agreed not to charge for initial advertising and review in 12 months' time. CS

(b) It was agreed that CS should sign up for the 23 day trial of the 'Parish on Line' mapping website and if it is felt worth having the Council would sign up for the first year at a cost of £36. CS

5 APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS

The minutes of the extraordinary meeting, held on 30 June to approve the accounts, were unanimously approved.

6 CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Clerk & Councils Direct newsletter.

(b) Yorkshire Local Councils Association – joint meeting on 23 July.

Meeting held 14.7.11

Signed:
(Chairman)

Date:

- (c) NYCC County Council Highways & Transportation Services update.
- (d) HDC Public Open Space, Sport & recreation action plans.
- (e) Hambleton Community Safety Partnership – speeding concern in Flawith – RC to chase up.
- (f) Hambleton & Richmondshire Physical & sensory impairment reference group. RC
- (g) NYCC Civil parking enforcement strategy – agreed to treat on an individual level.

7 FINANCIAL REPORT

AP had submitted last year's accounts to the auditor by the deadline. Further information had been provided, as requested – AP to speak to Nigel Knapton to clarify the outstanding information required. AP

Balance as at 21 June 2011 £6,530.71.

It was agreed that a project to spend some money within the parish should be identified by Christmas. ALL

8 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

- (a) **11/01061/FUL**, construction of agricultural building to be used as an isolation unit for livestock, **The Haddocks, Myton** – recommended.
- (b) **11/01000/FUL**, revised application for construction of 2-storey farmhouse with attached single storey farm office, **The Headlands, Flawith** – recommended and subsequently approved by HDC.
- (c) **11/01006/FUL**, construction of double garage with attached store, **The Headlands, Flawith** – recommended.
- (d) **11/01307/CAT**, Proposed works to trees, **The Granary, Aldwark** – recommended. AP

Planning Approvals:

11/00678/FUL, change of use of land from agricultural to equestrian & construction of a stable block, **Beech House, Aldwark**.

9 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) NK reported that the HDC planning portal had been upgraded and it was now possible to receive email alerts re planning applications and approvals.
- (b) HD to chase up the grit bin for Youlton. HD
- (c) HD to order the dog waste bin for Youlton. HD

10 NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 20 September 2011, at the Aldwark Arms.