

**Minutes of Outseats Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 21 June 2010 in the Hathersage Memorial Hall Sampson Room at 7.30pm**

Present: Councillor Jane Marsden – Chairman  
Councillor Jean Hodgkinson  
Councillor Pauline Whitney  
Councillor Bill Gordon  
Councillor Anne Claxton

In attendance  
Councillor Rosie Olle (Hathersage PC)  
PCSO Anthony Boswell  
Clerk: David Palmer

No members of the public were present.

70/10 Apologies

There were apologies for absence from Councillor Simon Taylor (family emergency).

71/10 Variations in Order of Business

There were no variations in the Order of Business.

72/10 Declaration of Members' Interests

No Councillors declared an interest.

73/10 Public Speaking

1. PCSO Anthony Boswell reported that there had been 3 thefts of scrap metal around the village recently – on the third occasion an arrest had been made. There had also been damage to a house on Crossland Road and a burglary on Coggers Lane. A number of residents had thanked the police for the new vehicle activated sign at the top of the hill and the police were now receiving requests for a similar sign to be placed at the bottom of the hill.
2. There were no representatives of the County or District Councils present.

74/10 Minutes of Parish Council Meeting

It was resolved to confirm as a correct record minutes of the meeting held on 24 May 2010.

75/10 Highways

1. It was resolved that the Council's representatives on the Joint Transport Committee (JTC) would ask the JTC to recommend that the road markings on the A6187 near Riverside Garden Centre and the entrance to Thorpe Farm be changed. It was thought that, if they were changed to be similar to those near the Hillfoot turning on the same road, then road safety might be improved.
2. A mobile food van had been seen in the lay-by between the village and Hillfoot. It was resolved that, should this become a regular occurrence, then the JTC should be asked to review this.

76/10 Finance

1. It was resolved to note the Statement of Accounts for May 2010.
2. It was resolved to authorise the following accounts for payment (total sum £294.10):

Clerk	salary, office allowance and expenses for June	£282.10
Hath Methodist Church	room hire	£12.00

77/10 Staff Matters

It was resolved to approve the Clerk's Annual Appraisal as presented to the Council.

78/10 Casual Vacancy

It was resolved that the Clerk should highlight the vacancy for a Councillor in the next report to the Parish Magazine and also that he should put an advert on the Parish Noticeboard.

79/10 Visit to Hathersage by Peak District National Park Authority (PDNPA) in March

The Council reviewed various points on the letter received from PDNPA following their visit in March. Progress by PDNPA was noted in a number of areas. It was resolved that:

1. The Clerk should ask a representative of the Village Centre Group to attend a meeting in the near future, to update the Council on progress.
2. PDNPA had said they would ask the Marquis of Granby developers to provide an update on the plans for this development; this had not been received so the Clerk was asked to chase for this.

80/10 Complaints Procedure

It was resolved to approve the changes to the Complaints Procedure recommended at the previous month's meeting.

81/10 Correspondence for Decision

1. Councillor Gordon would represent the Council at the Planning Training Day given by Friends of the Peak District on 14 July.
2. It was noted that the Council was represented by the Hope Valley Parishes Representative, Councillor Chris Furness, at the High Peak & Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership AGM in Buxton on 29 June.
3. No one was available to attend the DDDC Area Community Forum in Bakewell on 20 July.
4. A reply had been received from DCC Highways regarding Sat Nav issues in the Parish. It was resolved that the Clerk should write to the local MP, asking when a proposed new national "GPS is wrong" traffic sign was planned to be introduced and noting that this was an important issue for the Council.
5. The Council resolved that it was unable to support the charity Vitalise.

82/10 Items for Information

It was resolved that the following items for information should be received:

Derbyshire Association of Local Councils      Circulars 28/10 – 32/10  
Hathersage Parish Council      Agenda 8/6/10  
Recreation Committee      Minutes 11/5/10, 1/6/10  
Village Centre Group      Minutes 1/6/10  
Allotments Group      Minutes 25/5/10  
Derbys County Council      Letter from Carol Hart dated 24/5/10 re Parish & Town Council Liaison Forum  
Derbys Dales DC      Letter re Derbyshire Dales Sports Awards 2010  
PDNPA      Press Releases: Grants boost green projects  
Derbyshire Police      Selected Ringmaster mailings; Newsletter Spring/Summer 2010  
Forum for Ancient Byways      Minutes of Inter-Parish Working Group 25/5/10, Minutes 2/6/10, Agreed Questions for Operation Blackbrook Meeting  
Peak Park Parishes Forum      Newsletter Spring 2010  
Hope Valley CRP      Correspondence between Stephen Briscoe and Chris Furness  
Hope Valley College      Newsletter May 2010  
NALC      LCR Summer 2010

83/10 Committee Reports

1. Hathersage Parish Council (HPC) – The Clerk read a report of the last HPC meeting from Councillor Taylor. It was resolved that Councillor Claxton would attend the July meeting of HPC and Councillor Hodgkinson the August meeting.
2. Recreation Committee – Councillor Whitney reported that interim arrangements to cover for the previous pool manager were now in place. The first formal meeting of Friends of the Pool was planned for 13 July in the Scotsman's Pack.
3. Churchyard – Councillor Marsden reported Little John's Grave was being tidied up.
4. Inter-Parish Forum on Ancient Byways – Councillor Gordon reported that a number of meetings had now been held and that progress was being made. A number of parish representatives would be at the Operation Blackbrook meeting on 22 June to highlight the rapid loss of archaeology and asking for temporary Traffic Restriction Orders to be put in place before tracks are completely destroyed forever. An issue was that budgets for dealing with 4x4s would probably be cut.

Date of Next Meeting

The date of the next meeting is 26 July 2010 at 7.30pm in Sampson Room, Hathersage Memorial Hall.

The meeting closed at 8.50pm.