

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE SOUTH NEWTON AND STOFORD PARISH COUNCIL
Held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 4th July 2018 at 7.30 pm

Present: Cllr D. Blake (Chair), Cllr. H. Bryans, Cllr N. Blake, Cllr. R. Botten,
Cllr. K. Norman,

Also present: Mrs C. Webb (Clerk), Wiltshire Cllr. P. Church

Apologies: Cllr. C. Swanton, Cllr M. Pont, Cllr H. Swanton,

1.

a. Wiltshire Councillor's Report

Due to another meeting commitment Cllr. P. Church presented her report first.

- C283 – This has now been patched and resurfaced. D. Button, Area Highways Engineer, has confirmed that the C283 is a top priority road and the Council are looking into several issues including the the use of top layby by lorries. Also hiring the hedges, re-strengthening and resurfacing using S106 money, H.G.V. restriction. Will gather all points together and see what can be done.
- Stoford Bridge – This is now complete.

Councillor P. Church then left the meeting.

b. Apologies: -

Apologies were received from Cllr. C. Swanton, Cllr K. Norman and Cllr M. Pont and Cllr. H. Swanton who were unable to attend.

2. Minutes of Previous meeting:

Minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 6th June 2018 were approved and signed by the Chairman Cllr. D. Blake.

3. Any matters arising:

- a) Parking lines Oak Close and Jubilee Close, South Newton – Clerk has emailed S. Harris W.C.C. the request has been passed to Environmental Works.
- b) Parking of Caravans on Car Parks, South Newton – Clerk to email S. Harris for update.
- c) Football pitch and basketball net – Vale View Road Play area – Cllr. D. Blake confirmed that post and net has been received and will organize installation.
- d) Community Speed Indicator device – Cllr. R. Botten explained there was a delay with delivery of unit, now due end of July 2018. This is to be shared with five parishes.
- e) Drain at Stoford Bus Stop – No further action required.
- f) Signage on A 36 - Glenside Manor – Clerk confirmed Highways to pass to 3rd party schemes team. On a list for future consideration. Clerk to chase in September 2018.
- g) Beach Hedge St. Andrews Road South Newton – Cllr. N. Blake will check if any further action is needed.
- h) New Bins and gravel for pathway – Cllr. D. Blake confirmed he is to locate a new bin and will install at the entrance to Vale View Playground.
- i) Quotations for work Vale View Road Play area – Cllr. N. Blake confirmed in hand.

4. Wiltshire Councillor's Report – see 1.a.

5. Area Board – Wednesday 18 July 2018, at 6.30pm

6. Standing Agenda items.

- a. Accidents – None
- b. i) Declaration of interests - None
ii) Planning Matters. – 18/04452/FUL – approved no comment.
- c. Rights of way – The council has received concerns relating to path up to the Mill in South Newton. Thanks were passed to Cllr. C. Swanton for cutting pathway back. Cllr. D. Blake queried if responsibility of upkeep should be the riverkeeper.
- d. Environmental/amenities – Cllr. D. Blake confirmed that the bin at the entrance to Bonham's Bridge was now emptied.
- e. Website – Cllr. D. Blake read out report. June 2018 – 5,823 visitors. Any contributions to the website would be appreciated. Please email: web@southnewtonpc.org.uk.
- f. A36/C283. – Cllr. D. Blake read out an email from a local Parishioner relating to an incident with a lorry and farm vehicle passing on C283.
- g. Parish Steward – Clerk confirmed a delay with June list of jobs as Parish Steward was called away. These will now be completed in July.

7. Finance.

- a) Clerk's wages June 2018 approved.
- b) Donations to local benefactors were agreed as per 2017/18.
- c) Schedule of Payment was read out and agreed by Councillors.

8. Correspondence. –

- Wiltshire IAPT service, a free Cognitive Behavioural Therapy Service, leaflets will be placed in Parish Council Noticeboards and on Website.
- Co-option of New Councillor – The Council has a vacancy for a new Councillor. Notices will be placed in Council noticeboards and on the Website.

9. Village Hall - Cllr H. Bryans reported that:

- All regular events are still popular.
- Cllr. N. Blake stated that the recent Table Top Sale was poorly attended.
- The Village Hall are always looking for new 200 Club members.
- The Six a Side tournament was a success.
- A Summer BBQ will take place on 11th August with music from a local band.

All events are detailed on the website www.southnewtonpc.org.uk.

10. Councillor's Reports.

- Cllr. H. Bryans – reported an area on the corner of St. Andrews Court and Pembroke Cottage needed cutting back. Clerk to email Wilton Estate.

PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL NOT BE A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL IN AUGUST

Date of Next Meeting

Wednesday 5th September 2018 at 7.30pm, South Newton and Wishford Village Hall.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.45 p.m.

Chairman _____ Date _____

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