

**MINUTES OF BRIGHSTONE PARISH COUNCIL'S MEETING HELD IN
BRIGHSTONEMETHODIST CHURCH ON WEDNESDAY 8th JUNE 2016 AT 7.30PM.**

PRESENT: Cllr. John Cirrone (Chairman), Cllr S Chorley, Cllr S Roberts, Cllr R Haviland, Cllr C Bridges and Cllr. M East.

Mrs Susannah Jennings (clerk)

No members of the Public were present

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

Cllr J Morgan, Cllr D Tolfree and Cllr B Seely

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

To be declared as appropriate at agenda items.

3. MINUTES.

The Minutes of the Full Council Meeting of 11th May, having been prior circulated and read, were confirmed as a correct record, and signed by the Chairman.

The Minutes of the Planning Meeting of 25th May, having been prior circulated and read, were confirmed as a correct record, and signed by the Chairman.

4. MATTERS ARISING.

- i. Local Planning Enforcement issues – The Local Planning Enforcement Officer had visited the site in Limerstone but had inspected the wrong building. They have agreed to revisit the property.
- ii Pavement access on Main Road, Brighstone – The matter is still ongoing as Island Roads have stated that they are currently investigating the matter further as the option to remove the tree is highly unlikely as the IOW Tree Officer has confirmed that the tree is a very high amenity pine tree.
- iii. Pavilion Sustainability Fund – At the last meeting it was asked if the Recreation Ground 2015/16 accounts included the Pavilion Sustainability Fund. The clerk confirmed that the fund was included in the 2015/16 Recreation Ground accounts.

5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, ON GENERAL MATTERS, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CHAIRMAN.

There were no public questions/comments.

6. PLANNING APPLICATIONS.

Cllr Cirrone and Cllr Bridges declared a personal interest and signed the Declaration of Interests book.

TCP/10711/H, P/00628/16. Weirside Cottage, Main Road, Brighstone. Proposed garden summerhouse
Brighstone Parish Council have no objection. All councillors agreed

7. TO RECEIVE PLANNING DECISIONS.

The following planning applications had been granted permission by the Isle of Wight Council:

TCP/10322/T, P/00361/16. Seven B and B Bistro and Coffee House Main Road Brighstone. Conversion of cafe and holiday accommodation to residential use.

8. TO NOTE DATE OF POSSIBLE MID-MONTH PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING:

The midmonth meeting will be on 22nd June at 7.45pm

9. TO DISCUSS THE PARISH CEMETERY BIN STORE.

Cllr Cirrone had contacted the supplier of the bricks who has collected them and they have agreed to reimburse the contractor.

Quotes are now being sought to have the bin store built by another contractor.

FYT Bus – Cllr East reported that the FYT bus passenger numbers seem to be increasing and hopefully this will continue.

AMEY – Cllr East reported that people are finding it difficult to contact AMEY and a number of residents have not yet received their new bins.

Web Group – Cllr Chorley reported that a web group meeting is scheduled to take place in the near future when everyone is back from holidays etc.

Brighstone and District Newsletter – Cllr Haviland reported that the AGM of the Newsletter committee took place on Monday. A new committee was elected which mainly consists of new officers. The financial situation has improved with increased advertising and contributions from Brighstone Parish Council this year, and Shorwell Parish Council pledge to contribute next year.

25. CORRESPONDENCE:

- i. There is a public meeting on Saturday 18th June at the Riverside Centre on the Financial Future of the Isle of Wight.
- ii. An invitation has been received for the Best Kept Village Awards on Thursday 15th September at 7.30pm.
- iii. A letter from Age UK has been received requesting a financial contribution – This to be put on the next agenda.
- iv. The annual report from the chairman of the Recreation Ground Administrative Committee was read by the clerk.
- v. An email from a concerned resident was read by the clerk. The email highlighted the dangers on the Military Road with ducks crossing with young chicks – This will be put on the next agenda.
- vi. An invitation has been received for the Service of Celebration and Thanksgiving to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday on Sunday 12th June at 4pm.
- vii. The Parish Council's tree maintenance contractor has highlighted a number of issues. The first concerns the holm oaks on The Pound which need stem cleaning – Councillors agreed the trees need maintaining and will be put on the next agenda.

The second issue raised was the memorial tree opposite the old library which would benefit from a minor crown lift – As the Parish Council do not own the tree the clerk will reply to the contractor giving details of the owner.

26. OTHER MATTERS MEMBERS WISH TO RAISE, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CHAIRMAN.

Parking on North Street – There are cars parking on North Street which is causing problems with the increased seasonal traffic. There is restricting parking at this time of year but the sign has been covered by the hedge.

Defibrillator, Scout Centre – The Scouting Group have installed a defibrillator outside the Scout building. There are associated costs including the continuous electrical supply needed and the cost of replacing pads when the defibrillator is used

Brrok Green – One of the chains on the Brook Green fencing has broken – To be placed on the next agenda.

27. DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

Main Parish Council meeting on Wednesday 13th July at 7.30pm at Brighstone Methodist Church.

Mid month planning meeting on Wednesday 22nd June at 7.45pm.

There being no further business, the Chairman thanked everyone for attending, and closed the Meeting at 8.58pm.