

**BREADSALL PARISH COUNCIL  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD IN THE MEMORIAL HALL, BREADSALL ON TUESDAY 11<sup>th</sup>  
JULY 2017 at 7.15pm.**

**Present;** Councillors Goodwin, (Chairman), R Ling, B Hodgkinson, C Binns, J Robertson & M Poplar  
PCSO Victoria Beardall

8 members of the public – see list attached.

The Chairman commenced the meeting by welcoming everyone and thanking them for coming.

**PART 1 – NON-CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS**

**01/07/2017 - Apologies –** Cllrs Moffat, Vincett & Morris. Cllrs Hart (DCC) Stevenson & Summerfield (EBC). PCSO's Aldred & Bowlzer

**02/07/2017 - Variation of Order of Business –** Move Police report to the beginning of the meeting to allow PCSO Beardall to leave as soon as possible.

**03/07/2017 – Declaration of Members Interests –** none

**04/07/2017 – Dispensations -**

To report on and consider any requests for dispensation in accordance with s31 of the Localism Act 2011. – **none**

**05/07/2017-**

**a) Public Speaking –**

- i) Mrs Milner reported that Cllr Goodwin had asked what had happened to the rose plants that the Parish Council provided for the Churchyard. Mrs Milner apologised it seemed an over enthusiastic member of the Payback team had cut back the roses and all the wildflowers that the children had planted.
- ii) Mrs Milner reported that a businessman resident had purchased a new projector for the church.
- iii) Further tree work is planned for the churchyard – neighbouring residents have requested the felling of 3 silver birch trees.
- iv) The report into work required on the church had been received and there was a need for work to the value of £28,300.00 on the tower/spire.
- v) Mr Brewster asked if there was any update on progress with the Primary School move – the Clerk and Chairman confirmed that there had been no further news from DCC.

**b) Reports from Outside Bodies –**

- i) PCSO Beardall reported crime figures for the area and confirmed that there had been a spike in crime when looking at statistics from last year but that percentages didn't give a very clear picture when there were so few crimes. Officers do patrol the area as much as is possible but unfortunately the team are spread very thin over a large area and can't be in as many places as they would like.  
March – June there were no reports of Crime – Mr Cottam confirmed that there had been some incidents in the woods but he had not reported them. Therefore, the incidents in June & July that had been reported resulted in a 200% increase!  
There has been an increase but it still is a very low number of actual crimes.  
2 shed breaks, cash taken from an insecure car, assault at the Priory, Arson in the wood, a vehicle was stopped and found to contain cannabis.  
More calls are logged but they aren't actually confirmed as crimes. All calls are given an incident number and you should be given this number if you ring in an incident.  
Anti-Social Behaviour is very difficult to deal with because a crime isn't actually committed but it still affects the quality of people's lives.  
Residents are asked to keep their eyes open and report any suspicious behaviour and also to persevere and continue to report acts of ASB. The Police need to build up a pattern of behaviours and can only do that if residents report the incidents. If a pattern of criminality and ASB starts to build the Inspector can organise more patrols and even overtime to try and deal with the problems. VB confirmed that photos of people help however do take care not to antagonise the situation – any CCTV footage is always useful too but should only be shared with the Police and not posted

on social media! As the images can be taken into schools and the culprits can often be identified. Mr Cottam confirmed that he intended to install CCTV in the wood. If culprits can be caught they can be made to pay for any damage or alternatively be made to fix the damage themselves.

Cllr Hodgkinson reported that at the last Neighbourhood Watch Meeting they couldn't run the meeting because the noise from outside was so loud. PCSO Beardall said that parks were public spaces designed for young people to let off steam and make a noise so there was little that could be done about this issue. Cllr H reported that it didn't seem that information reported to the Police HQ was passed onto the officers on the ground a number of residents had reported incidents and then had no follow up which is extremely disheartening. Crime numbers weren't always given out and what was the difference between a crime number and an incident number?" VB explained that all calls to 101 or 999 go through to County HQ the call handlers decide whether they are urgent and how to act if an incident is deemed urgent it will be passed straight to officers on the ground. However, if there is little chance of anyone being caught, no names, no evidence, no cctv etc. then it will be dealt with as and when and sometimes just over the phone.

Cllr Robertson queried the term call to service – VB confirmed the system detailed above meant that all calls were called call to service but not all were eventually classed as crime.

This evening there are 2 officers covering the Ilkeston rural beat – VB is one and the other officer is in the custody suite. 4 further officers are in the Long Eaton Police Station – the team is stretched to the limit.

Cllr Poplar queried the term telephone resolution – VB confirmed that calls where there is no chance to actually arrest anyone because of a lack of evidence, witnesses, cctv etc. were often filed undetected – this is called a telephone resolution. The information is kept and then sits on the system – and if another similar crime is committed or if evidence comes to light they can be revisited and reopened and investigated once more.

Mr Brewster reported that he and his neighbours were often subjected to loud music, cars headlights and engines revving late at night. He had called on a number of occasions but no one had ever come out. Clearly people playing football with loud music pumping late at night on the memorial Hall car park would not take precedence over someone being robbed in the city centre. Mr Brewster was left feeling dissatisfied as there was no resolution and he thought he would gain a label as that moaning bloke from Brookside Road and why am I bothering to call?

VB understood how frustrating it is for residents who have to deal with situations such as this but reiterated that residents should continue to call in incidents as it would pay off eventually, Mrs Mellor asked why a patrol car couldn't come out to one of these lesser incidents because it may only take one visit from the Police to put off the youths and stop them congregating on Breadsall Playing Fields.

**06/07/2017 - Minutes** – it was RESOLVED to confirm the minutes of the meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

**07/07/2017 – To determine which items if any from Part 1 of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded. If the Council decides to exclude the public, it will be necessary to pass a resolution in the following terms: - “In view of the confidential nature of item**

**... to consider a resolution to exclude the press and public from the meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s1, in order to discuss the item.” -**

none

**08/07/2017 - Chairman's Announcements. –**

- a) The Chair thanked everyone who had taken part, helped out or been involved in the Summer Band Concert and Fair it was really successful despite not that many people attending the Refreshments and Stalls run by Councillors had made £263.60 in total.
- b) The Chair asked Councillors to please respond to emails from the clerk in a timely manner. Cllr Binns said he would prefer not to agree issues over emails – the Clerk reported that she

only needed answers to whether Councillors were able to attend a training session which was quite legal. The Chair confirmed that sometimes a decision was resolved at a meeting with the proviso that the Clerk gather further information and then a decision would be confirmed by email.

#### **09/07/2017 - Report of the Parish Clerk.**

- a) **CCTV Policy** – it was RESOLVED to note that the MHPFA had accepted the Policy and that it was now published on the website.
- b) **Neighbourhood Plan** – it was RESOLVED to note that the Group continue to gather information for the production of the 1<sup>st</sup> draft plan. Good progress is being made and they expect to print the document in late August early September with a further public meeting to be held in November.
- c) **Lay-by Croft Lane** – it was RESOLVED to note that a response was still awaited from DCC despite chasing from the Clerk and Cllr Hart.
- d) **Tree Felling Greenway/Planning Seminar** – it was RESOLVED to note that a planning seminar was planned for the 23<sup>rd</sup> of August at Long Eaton Town Hall.
- e) **Himalayan Balsam** – it was RESOLVED to note that PCSO Aldred had forwarded the Clerk's email to the wildlife officer on the 15.06.17 – still no response Clerk to chase again.
- f) **Traffic Reports from DCC** – it was RESOLVED to note that K Percival from DCC Trading Standards had still not responded regarding the information given to him by the Clerk. Clerk to continue to chase.
- g) **World War I Centenary Commemoration** – it was RESOLVED to note that the Chairman had organised a bench for £295 from a supplier called Hibbsy. Cllrs discussed the provision of a brass plaque for the bench. The Clerk confirmed that Lindum the contractors building the new properties on the OAP bungalow site had been extremely generous and were removing the old bench and preparing the groundworks to install the bench they would also install the bench and secure it to the new base. The clerk reported that the company had also had a new enclosed noticeboard constructed and would donate it to the Parish Council once the development had been completed.
- h) **Ditch Clearance Rectory Lane** – it was RESOLVED to note that the Clerk had requested a site meeting with an officer from DCC but unfortunately a response was still awaited.
- i) **Pall Mall** – it was RESOLVED to note that the enquiry regarding the ownership of the land at Pall Mall/Station Road had not been answered by officers at DCC. Clerk to continue to chase.
- j) **Footpath Moorway** – it was RESOLVED to note that Smiths of Stapleford had sent a quotation for the works to the path for £690 with a further quote of £990 for the extra work discussed at the site meeting. The Clerk awaits information from DCC regarding the Minor Maintenance Agreement. The ROW team assured the Clerk that the information would be sent out shortly on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July.
- k) **Zebra Crossing** – it was RESOLVED to note that Parish Councillors had met with Richard Handbury of DCC regarding the traffic issues faced by residents in the village. Whilst Richard could not make any promises he approached the problems in a positive manner and has since sent a comprehensive report on the topics discussed. Proposals for possible "fixes" at the junction of Church Lane/Brookside Road and Station Road are to be investigated further and Richard is also looking into the planning application for the Special school site.
- l) **Christmas Lights** – it was RESOLVED to accept the quotation from Leisure Lites and also that the funds raised by Councillors at the Summer Fair would be set on one side to help cover the costs.
- m) **Community Right to Bid** – it was RESOLVED to note that the application for right for bid for the village shop had been approved but the application for the primary school had been refused.

10/07/2017 - Correspondence and Items raised by Councillors

None

11/07/2017 Finance

Payee	Description	£
H Foster	Neighbourhood Plan Printing	51.60
Hydrologic	Flood Warning System Maintenance	395.70
Mrs N O'Leary	Clerk's Salary June	368.52
HMRC	Clerk's Income Tax June	92.20
Breadsall Memorial Hall	Room Hire PC/NPAG	84.00
Grasstrack Grounds Maintenance	Grounds Maintenance June	335.48
P Dickinson	Litter Picking June	120.00
Mrs N O'Leary	Clerk's Expenses June	81.35
Go Digital Print	Summer Newsletter	300.00
Chris Goodwin	Reimbursement Comm Bench	295.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>2123.85</b>
<b>Income</b>		
<b>Mr R Goodwin</b>	<b>Summer Fair Income</b>	<b>263.60</b>
<b>Nat West</b>	<b>Interest</b>	<b>0.15</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>263.75</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>1860.10</b>

b) **Bank Balances** – it was RESOLVED to note the information as circulated by the Clerk.

Current Account	£22,515.35
Business Reserve Account	£17,704.73

12/07/2017 Planning –

none

Planning Approvals/Refusals –

none

13/07/2017 DALC Circulars 08/2017 as circulated- it was RESOLVED to note the information.

14/07/2017 Items for information only:

- a) **A38** – it was RESOLVED to note that there has been no further news or progress from Highways England.
- b) **Lime Lane 2** – it was RESOLVED to note that no application has been submitted as yet.
- c) **Lime Lane 1** – it was RESOLVED to note that the objection letters were sent and that correspondence has since been sent to the planners regarding the prolific growth of Ragwort on the site. Clerk to inform DEFRA about the issue.
- d) **Flooding – Weir in Woods, Brookside Road** – it was RESOLVED to note that a meeting of the Flood group had been held and the Clerk and Chairman gave a brief resume of the content of the meeting very little progress has been made and that the lead officer at DCC is leaving at the end of August. Mr Cottam who owns the wood is investigating the possibility of countryside stewardship funding for natural flood prevention measures that can be created in Bluebell wood. A further meeting is to be organised by DCC Flood Alleviation team prior to Mrs Coombes departure.

**PART II – CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

15/07/2017

**Correspondence** – it was RESOLVED to note the correspondence issued since the last Parish Meeting:

a)	Mr Gainey	Overhanging vegetation letter 10 Church Lane	06.06.17
b)	Mr & Mrs Green	Overhanging vegetation letter Ivy Cottage	09.06.17

c)	Mrs Roe	Overhanging vegetation response letter	09.06.17
d)	Derby City	Lime Lane Consultation Objection letter	20.06.17
e)	Your Bus	Number 59 Route letter chasing reminder	21.06.17
f)	Derby City	Durose Consultation Objection letter	22.06.17 ***
g)	EBC	Layby litter bin email	26.06.17
h)	EBC	Planning Seminar emails	15.06.17 – 29.06.17
i)	PC Aldred	Himalayan Balsam email	15.06.17
j)	DCC	Traffic Report email Kim Percival	15.06.17
k)	Lindum Const	WW1 Commemoration email	15.06.17
l)	DCC	Ditch Clearance email	15.06.17
m)	DCC	Pall Mall email	15.06.17

\*\*\* Mr Cawson enquired who to contact to ask for a bus shelter on the A608 – Clerk to contact the team at EBC to request a shelter.

**16/07/2017**

**To move the following resolution - “That in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted it is advisable in the public interest, that the press and public be temporarily excluded and they are instructed to withdraw.”**

**17/07/2017**

Date of Next Meeting – 12<sup>th</sup> of September 2017

Meeting closed at 8:30pm.

Signed as a true record.....Date.....