

ZOOM MEETING OF SWIMBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL
TUESDAY 20th APRIL 2021 at 7.30 PM
MINUTES

Public Session

Guest Speakers

- 2021.31 **Apologies and attendance** : Apologies received from Cllrs Morrish, Lane and Edgell.
- 2021.32 **Declarations of Interest** - none
- 2021.33 **Minutes of previous meeting** - these were agreed and signed
- 2021.34 **Correspondence**
G Everett-Brown (circulated) Parking on Liverton Drive. Cllr Wadsworth reported that this subject had been discussed at the Glebe Field meeting, and a notice had been erected asking people to park on the main road and walk down. It was agreed that a temporary car park would be formed inside the gate with parking for 6 cars. This area would be banked so that vehicles could not access further onto the field. (see further discussion in Community Engagement)
D Netherway - Duke of Edinburgh Award. It was agreed that if Mr Netherway felt he required a DBS the Council would pay for it.
- 2021.35 **Committee Reports**
1. Planning
72992 – erection of agricultural machinery store – Bydown, Dennington Park
APPROVED
72892 – 8 Archipark – extension – APPROVED
73039 – Mill Cottage, Mill Court, Swimbridge – tree works – APPROVED

2. Finance
End of Financial Year accounts for approval.
The accounts were accepted and all agreed they should be passed to audit.
Account balances :
Current a/c £7790.05 (inc £5919.42 Air Ambulance grant)
Deposit a/c £2169.14 Glebe Field a/c £5190.07

3. Community Engagement. Cllr Wadsworth reported there had been an issue with the bolts on the zip wire and although the initial repair was not acceptable, this has now been rectified. The goal posts have been installed and look very substantial. Mat Smith has volunteered to help Cllrs Knill and Newnham organise football and walking football, and when the pitch is marked out ,some friendly matches. Cllrs Newnham and Dodd will meet to discuss marking out the pitch. Cllr Knill has contacted Hearson quarry to obtain a quote for gravel and has been given a very good price, and with the cost of hiring a digger and dumper truck, the temporary car park should cost around £3500. Cllr Wadsworth proposed this should go ahead with £1500 from the Glebe Field account and £2,000 from Parklands. Seconded and agreed.

2021.36 **Payments for approval :**

Clerks Salary	£160.72
DALC	£179.53
K Wadsworth (Zoom)	£14.39

2021.37 **Matters for further discussion**

Cllr Dodd has decided to resign from the Parish Council. Cllr Wadsworth will stand in as Chairman until the AGM next month.

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