

Minutes of the Ivychurch Parish Council

26th June 2003

Present : Edwin Lang, Caroline Solly, Pat Healey, Doug Suckling, Judy Suckling

Public: 6 Members of the public

1. Apologies None

2. Minutes of 29th May 2003

Approved

Action
By

3. Matters arising

Richard Harbold had informed Doug that there was a missing response for one of the Ensign Properties Applications. Doug will contact him and resend it. Doug

Eddy had attended the Crime and Disorder meeting. The Neighbourhood Watch system should be encouraged in our area. The community police meeting was disappointing. Minutes signed off by Doug.

4. Declaration of Acceptance of Office

Each Councilor read and signed his declaration of acceptance.

5. Election of Chairman and Vice Chairman

Chairman - Doug Suckling was proposed by Eddy Lang and seconded by Caroline Solly. Carried unanimously.

ViceChairman - Eddy was proposed by Doug and seconded by Caroline. Carried unanimously.

6. Treasurers Report.

Each councilor was given a copy of the bank movements. Treasurer reported that the election had cost the council of £518.00.

7. Village Hall and Green

The Line Dancing had stopped in the village hall as there were not enough people attending. This meant that there were no lettings taking place on a weekly basis. It was discussed that there should be more advertising of the hall and Caroline would contact Jenny Godden to see if this could be done. It was agreed that the green and hedge were looking very nice.

Caroline

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8. Planning Matters

Ensign properties application units 1-9 and 4&5 changes – Doug had sent a response but Richard Harbold had said he had not received it. We had a copy of the Accoustic Survey which Caroline and Eddy would assess. Doug to reply again. Traffic movements survey was given to Doug. Eddy took a copy to study. It was a selective survey and talked about light industrial usage but the present permissions were only for storage and distribution. Doug to start recording traffic movements. Application at Willow Tree Barn – Doug, Judy and Pat all declared an interest and therefore the committee were unable to vote. This would be decided under the delegated powers of SDC.

Eddy and
Caroline
Doug

Eddy

Doug

9. Correspondence

ROSPA to inspect the playground in July. Judy to arrange if any changes to the inspection.

Judy

Countryside Communities – Eddy took to look at.

Eddy

CASK – Pat to look at fundings available.

Pat

Proposed changes to tourism- planning guidance – Caroline took to look at.

Caroline

Early year development for childcare/daycare – Caroline took to complete survey.

Caroline

Cask transport survey – no use to this village

Garden Party at SDC on 19th July – no one wanted to attend.

Parish News – given to each councilor.

Community Transport – Eddy took to read.

Eddy

Post Office service to start in the village hall on Tuesday 15th July. Doug and Pat to meet Postmaster on 4th July. Eddy to look at price of making metal cabinet. Jenny Godden to be contacted by Caroline for publicity.

Doug,Pat

Eddy

Caroline

Royal Military Canal leaflet received was very interesting.

10. Questions from the public

None

11.Highways

The Ivychurch Road and Ashford Road signs had been installed.The Sign for The Gardens was on the houses to the left of the village hall and was obstructed from view by large bushes. This sign could be moved with permission from the owners of the properties.

No progress on the markings in Ivychurch Road.

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12 Dates for next meetings

Dates for next meeting as arranged previously.
24th July 2003 at 8.00

13. Meeting closed at 21.26

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