

Minutes of the Ivychurch Parish Council

15th April 2010

Present: Kim Bartlett, Andy Daburn, Tina Knight, Caroline Solly, Doug Suckling (Chair)

Public: 2 members of the public

1.	Apologies - None	
2.	Declarations of Interest – None.	
3.	Minutes of 17th February 2010 3.1 The Minutes were approved and signed by the Chairman as correct.	
4.	Actions from Previous Meetings 4.1 EDF overcharging – Latest bill has arrived and also appears to be incorrect. Andy will call EDF to sort out issue. 4.2 Village Fete meeting update – meeting was not well attended, further meeting has been arranged. A newsletter will be distributed around Ivychurch to update people on local issues and to request volunteers to assist with the fete or to join the IAA committee. Caroline to draft newsletter. All to distribute as widely as possible. 4.3 Village hall redecoration – specification for the work was agreed at the meeting to be sent out for quotes to be obtained.	AD All CS/ All DS
5.	Treasurers Report 5.1 Bank account balance on February statement was £8317.	
6.	Village Hall and Green 6.1 Tiles on roof and guttering have again been damaged by ball games being played in the car park. Quote to be obtained to repair. 6.2 New goalposts have arrived which are heavy duty. It was agreed that Woodland Owen's quote would be accepted to erect these on the village green as soon as possible to encourage use of the green for ball games to avoid further damage to the village hall. 6.3	DS DS
7.	Planning Applications 7.1 No new applications to discuss.	
8.	Correspondence 8.1 National Association of Local Councils and Kent Association of Local Councils will cost >£100 each to renew subscription. As these do not provide sufficient benefit to the parish council currently for the expense required, it was agreed not to renew these.	
9.	Any Other Business Pub users are allowed to use the village hall car park, however some have been parking actually on the village green and gates left open after use. This needs to be addressed and Doug will talk to the pub landlord to ensure only the hardstanding official parking area is used.	DS
9.	Date of Next Meetings 20 th May 2010 at 1930 Meeting closed at 2110	