



# Arnside Parish Council

**Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting held on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2016 at 7.15pm in Arnside Cemetery Chapel**

**Present, Councillors**

**George Taylor (GT) - Chair**

**Peter Smillie (PS) – Vice-Chair**

**Jim Shaw (JS)**

**Pat Clifford (PC)**

**(GK) Geoff Kirkham**

**Also present: The Clerk; Anne-Marie Cade (AMC), R F O Jonathan Cartmel (JC), and 13 members of the public including District Cllr; Peter McSweeney (PMCS)**

16-17/192	<b>Apologies for Absence:- None</b>	
16-17/193	<b>Declaration of interests:- None</b>	
16-17/194	<b>Minutes of previous meeting:- RESOLVED</b> that the minutes of the ordinary meeting held on the 16 <sup>th</sup> November 2016 pages 16018-16020 be confirmed as a true record and signed by the Chair.	
16-17/195	<p><b>Public Participation – Matters raised by residents:- RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that the following points were raised by residents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20s plenty campaign - a group of residents spoke in support of a campaign to reduce the speed in the village to 20mph in the interests of road safety. They will forward results of speed data collected and a village opinion poll. Cllr McSweeney indicated that APC will be consulted by CCC later in the process. Two letters had also been received from the public on this topic. To be put on a future agenda</li> <li>• Speeding on Redhills Rd</li> <li>• Objection to the current application for development at Leeds Children’s Holiday Camp with concerns over the loss of a footpath and additional caravan traffic</li> <li>• Support for local housing and car parking to be located on Station Fields</li> <li>• Dog Fouling – clerk to resend an email from SLDC enforcement officers offering to support schools in a campaign against dog fouling.</li> </ul> <p>(9 members of the public left after this item)</p>	<b>AMC</b>
16-17/196	<b>Public Participation - Police Report:- RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that a written police report covering the last month was received and that there is a community warning about scam emails seemingly from GMP for penalty payments	
16-17/197	<p><b>Public Participation – County Councillor report - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that County Councillor Ian Stewart was unable to attend and that the following matters were raised with Cllr McSweeney</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Station Rd dangerous wall – Cllr Taylor to approach owner again, Cllr McSweeney to contact Cllr Stewart</li> </ul>	<b>GT</b>
16-17/198	<p><b>Public Participation – District Councillor report - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that Cllr McSweeney reported on the following matters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Police and Crime Commissioner would like to meet with local parishes, the Clerk to arrange dates with Cllr McSweeney</li> <li>• Likely precept increases from SLDC</li> <li>• CCC no longer contract parishes or the police about roadworks in the area it is recommended that APC writes a letter of complaint to Cllr Stewart. Clerk to write letter</li> <li>• Arnside School Light replacement to be funded by SLDC and from Cllr McSweeney’s discretionary grant. Ongoing costs yet to be decided</li> <li>• Tarmac/ Quarry funding – the company are willing to help out on local projects and may provide some funding</li> <li>• There may be some money available from Cllr McSweeney’s discretionary path to go toward footpath repairs</li> </ul>	<b>AMC</b> <b>AMC</b>
16-17/199	<b>Promenade Gardens – (item 11 on the agenda) - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that arrangements	

	are being made for Tim Farron to re-open the Promenade Gardens after refurbishment by APC and celebrate the 80 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary since they were first opened by planting a tree at 11 am on Saturday the 17 <sup>th</sup> December																	
<b>16-17/200</b>	<p><b>Applications for Development:- RESOLVED</b> that a response of “no objections” be made to the planning authority for the following applications.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Ap. No.</th> <th>Location</th> <th>Proposal</th> <th>response</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>SL/2016/1082</td> <td>83 Silverdale Road Arnside LA5 0DZ</td> <td>Garage and storage building</td> <td>No plans received – not considered</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SL/2016/1094</td> <td>3 Colesberg Court ARNSIDE LA5 0DH</td> <td>Internal and external alterations including changes to roof pitches.</td> <td>No objection</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SL/2016/1044</td> <td>Leeds Children’s Camp</td> <td>Demolition of camp buildings and siting of 25 static caravans pitches and manager’s dwelling and site reception</td> <td>Plans not valid – awaiting further information – to consider in January</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Ap. No.	Location	Proposal	response	SL/2016/1082	83 Silverdale Road Arnside LA5 0DZ	Garage and storage building	No plans received – not considered	SL/2016/1094	3 Colesberg Court ARNSIDE LA5 0DH	Internal and external alterations including changes to roof pitches.	No objection	SL/2016/1044	Leeds Children’s Camp	Demolition of camp buildings and siting of 25 static caravans pitches and manager’s dwelling and site reception	Plans not valid – awaiting further information – to consider in January	
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<b>16-17/201</b>	<b>Finance report:- RESOLVED</b> that the financial Summary for October be received, balance noted at £96,317.82 as at 30 <sup>th</sup> November and that payments listed in the schedule of payments be approved. Also that Cllr Kirkham liaises with the RFO and the Cricket club to check arrangements for paying sports club water bills	<b>JC/ GK</b>																
<b>16-17/202</b>	<b>Finance report:- Budget Report:- RESOLVED</b> that the draft budget for 2017 -18 be approved with an expected rise in precept level of around 2%. The Precept to be finalised in January following receipt of information from SLDC.	<b>JC</b>																
<b>16-17/203</b>	<p><b>Grant funding Application :- RESOLVED</b> that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the Clerk completes a draft application for capital toilet funding from SLDC for a courtesy screen around the urinals, signage to encourage payment, exterior decorating to be considered at the January meeting.</li> <li>a project to fit paddle gates or turnstiles to the toilets not be pursued due to high costs and potential problems with access.</li> <li>It be noted that LIPS applications for 2017-18 must be completed by 13<sup>th</sup> Feb including quotes and deadlines and that it is unlikely that the information to complete the pier railings project will be completed by this date. The Clerk to compile other sources of funding and contact local organisations to identify a package of improvements to the foreshore to be considered in 2018-19</li> </ul>	<b>AMC</b>  <b>AMC</b>																
<b>16-17/204</b>	<b>Risk Assessment - RESOLVED</b> that it be that risk assessments for the pier and foreshore and chapel be accepted and actions listed undertaken. Further amendments to be made to the playground assessment by the next meeting.	<b>GT</b>																
<b>16-17/205</b>	<b>Cemetery Report - RESOLVED</b> that the report on Cemetery business be received and that quotes for the cutting back of laurel bushes by the quarry including removal from site and to plant a donated yew tree be accepted from J. Lawrence																	
<b>16-17/206</b>	<b>Arnside Public Map - RESOLVED</b> that maps be situated by the fountain, promenade gardens, and playing field as well as at the station. The Clerk to find different options for framing.	<b>AMC</b>																
<b>16-17/207</b>	<b>Trees - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that tree works have been carried out by the County Council on Silverdale Road and that Cllr Clifford is still seeking to contact the writer of the Cemetery Tree report , GT and PC to provide questions	<b>GT/ PC</b>																
<b>16-17/208</b>	<b>Memorial benches:- RESOLVED</b> that there are 2 enquiries for new benches and that the policy is reviewed to allow for composite benches to be used. Also that it be noted that there is a request	<b>GT/ AMC</b>																

	for a bench to be replaced on the corner of Silverdale and Orchard Rd – GT to view, and Ashleigh Court – refused as this is on a retirement property not public land	
<b>16-17/209</b>	<b>Playing Field - RESOLVED</b> that <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• it be noted that Cllr Kirkham will meet with the tennis club and private company to discuss their request to have flood light and a mobile phone mast erected.</li> <li>• that the drains on the bridleway have been reported as needing to be cleared, Cllr Kirkham to view</li> <li>• Dog signs for the playing field and playground be purchased</li> <li>• Options for picnic benches be presented to the next meeting.</li> </ul>	<b>GK</b> <b>GK</b> <b>AMC</b> <b>AMC</b>
<b>16-17/210</b>	<b>Footpaths - Lengthsman works – RESOLVED</b> that quotes be approved for Cleaning the footpath between the Methodist chapel and Orchard Rd, works cutting back vegetation on Redhills Road and by the old toilets for a total of up to £120, that quotes be sought for tarmac repairs to the footpath from orchard road and that the stone gate posts on the path through station fields be kept in place.	<b>GT</b>
<b>16-17/211</b>	<b>Footpaths and Highways - Street Lighting:– RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that Cllrs Smillie and Shaw attended a meeting at the school concerning replacement of the light there and that Cllr Shaw will attend a further meeting although SLDC/ Cllr McSweeney will be responsible for funding the light.	
<b>16-17/212</b>	<b>Footpaths and Highways – Static Caravans - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that a local business has contacted APC following problems with a delivery of a static van when roadworks were in place the Council to write to CCC and the Police to ask that information is shared that might prevent such problems (16-17/198)	
<b>16-17/213</b>	<b>Footpaths and Highways – Gullies Map:- RESOLVED</b> that Cllr Smillie reviews the gullies map	<b>PS</b>
<b>16-17/214</b>	<b>Footpaths and Highways – Car Parking Questionnaire:- RESOLVED</b> that the Clerk finalise the draft questionnaire on car parking in Arnside and send out for testing following guidance from SLDC and contacts local groups who may be able to help with distribution	<b>AMC</b>
<b>16-17/215</b>	<b>Integrated Care - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that Cllr Clifford has received a response of support from Tim Farron following her complaint that the integrated care area in which Arnside has been placed with Beetham and Sedbergh is not appropriate	<b>PC</b>
<b>16-17/216</b>	<b>Consultations – RESOLVED</b> that a draft response to the development plan for the AONB area be approved	
<b>16-17/217</b>	<b>Meetings – RESOLVED</b> that a report from Cllr Shaw from the Calc District meeting be received and noted	
<b>16-17/218</b>	<b>Councillor matters - RESOLVED</b> that it be noted that Cllr Clifford has agreed arrangements with the Allotment Association for the seasonal control of water and that quotes are sought to fix one of the taps over winter.	<b>GK</b>
<b>16-17/219</b>	<b>Date of next meeting RESOLVED</b> that the date of the next ordinary meeting of Arnside Parish Council be confirmed as 7.15pm on the 9 <sup>th</sup> January 2017 at Arnside Cemetery Chapel. Items for the agenda should reach the Clerk by the 2 <sup>nd</sup> January/ finance items to the RFO by this date.	
	<b>The meeting closed at 9.45pm</b>	

Chair:

Date: