

CHIPPING PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held 16.4.24

Village Hall 7.30pm

Attendance Bk. signed

All Councillors present.

R.V.B.C. Simon Hore present.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved by Councillors.

The minute book was signed.

Declarations of Interest

There were none.

Open Forum

There were non speakers

Closed Open Forum

B4RN

Fibre cables have been blown to two more properties.

Community Heating Project

Group need to form Community Benefit Society to progress to next level of investigation and planning.

Playground/ Muga/ Playing field

Two quotes have been received to replace wooden fence around playground with Bowtop metal fence. £12,910.22 Pearless, £12,215 Turnstall. Awaiting a third quote.

Councillor Hore advised to show an expression of Interest for funding to the Rural England Fund, although applications have closed for the moment.

A memorandum is being discussed between the Parish council ,the Village Hall committee and the Football club regarding the management of the M.U.G.A. The M.U.G.A. remains a Parish Council asset.

The Parish Council gave permission for a change of name for the football pitch.

MILL POND

The level of water is slightly higher. A Heron has been spotted on the bank of the pond. A good sign.

WAR MEMORIAL

Plants have been ordered cost £400.00 .Cost to be shared between Thornley £130.00, Bowland +Leagram £130.00 and Chipping £140.00.

Children from the two village schools to be involved in planting.

The chains around the War Memorial area need some maintenance and painting. Some of the masonry too needs repairs.

Clerk to contact Steven Taylor regarding stone work.

PLANNING

All relevant plans were inspected and discussed by Councillors.

There were No Objections.

FINANCE

Paid invoices

R.V.B.C. grass cutting 23/24	1381.19
S,Hardacre bus shelter clean	20.00
Little Green Bus	100.0
Clerks salary J/F/M.	698.00
L.B.K.V.C. paid by B.Green	25.00
Refund to Probus	231.00

TO PAY

Chipping in Bloom £200.00

S Marsden

Web upkeep 200.00

L.A.L.C. 243.00

R.V.B.C. 510.60

Precept 2024/2025
Received £12,500.

A.O.B.

The car Rally through the Village in March was supported by lots of visitors. Well organised .

L.C.C have approved the application from Brabins School to reroute the public footpath away from the school grounds.

No request for council election received by R.V.B.C. Notice placed on notice board and on the website inviting anyone who would wish to volunteer to be co-opted on to the Parish Council to apply in writing to the Clerk.

Clerk and Councillors met representatives from Onward Homes to inspect their properties and to be informed of their future plans.

A grant towards a village project may be available from Onward Homes.

A Beacon for D-Day notice received. Councillor will study it.

Councillors agreed to buy food to supply a free B.B.Q. following a Village Litter Pick 8th June

DATES FOR MEETINGS 2024

20.5.24 A.G.M.

29.7.24

9.9.24

21.10.24

2.12.24

Next meeting 20.5.24 A.G.M.

7.00pm,

Meeting closed at 9.30pm.

Barbara Grant