

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT THE BAKERY ON
Sept. 25th 1961

Present

Dr. R. Sturton in the chair.
Miss Knight, Mrs. Dothie, Messrs. F.C. Cooke,
J.H. Pennock, N. Hodgson, G.W. Smith and the
Clerk.

The Minutes of the July meeting were read and
confirmed.

Matters arising from the Minutes.

Church Hall

1.1.

This matter was held over again as the Parish
Council understood the Surrey County Council were
giving this matter consideration, but a letter
was to be written to the S.C.C. putting forward
our own interest in the future of the Hall.

Greenways

1.2.

The Clerk was instructed to write to the R.D.C.
asking if the derelict car could be removed and
that the parking of 5 or 6 lorries overnight
constituted evidence of industry.

Pond

1.3.

As the pond had been recently cleaned out by
the Tatsfield Horticultural Society the Clerk
was instructed to ask the R.D.C. to remove the
rocks and clear out the pond twice a year.

Westmore Green

1.4.

The Clerk was instructed to write to the R.D.C.
drawing attention to the fact that nothing had
been done in regard to the pile of building
material.

Goatsfield Road,
Polkerris

1.5.

As another hut and more furniture had been
delivered to this site the Clerk was instructed
to write to the R.D.C. to enquire whether
permission for use as a dwelling house had been
obtained.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

Footpaths - repairs
to stiles.

1.6.

Mrs. Dothie is reporting on the matter.

Planning Committee
Playing field

1.7.

The question of the playing field was raised
and the Clerk was instructed to write to the
R.D.C. asking what was causing the delay and
suggesting that the matter be given high
priority.

Communications from other Authorities.

Civil Defence.

1.8.

A letter from Mr. Hillyard was read asking if he could come to the Parish Council Meeting. The Clerk was instructed to invite him to the next meeting on Oct. 16th 1961. In the meantime the Tatsfield Residents Society to be asked for the names of the volunteers and whether they had received any communication in regard to training.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. W. Hassall retiring Clerk.

Dr. Sturton proposed and Miss Knight seconded that a letter of appreciation be sent to Mr. Hassall.

Police.

1.9.

The Clerk was instructed to write to the Chief Superintendent at Caterham to suggest that a speedier means of transport was given to the village constable to enable him to spend less time on the road and more time in the village.

The constable was to be asked to do what he could about the parking of cars and motor cycles on the green and the roads leading to it.

Ricketts Hill Wood.

1.10.

Miss Knight reported that the Old Lane end of the path from Ricketts Hill to Old Lane was becoming a dumping ground for old iron and garden refuse. The Council to be asked to clear the site.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Tatsfield Parish Council was arranged for Oct. 16th 1961.

signed.

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Chairman.

MINUTES OF THE TATSFIELD PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT THE
BAKERY ON Oct. 16th 1961 at 8p.m.

Present

Miss P. Knight in the chair.
Messrs. F.C.Cooke, J. Pennock, G.W.Smith,
N. Hodgson and the Clerk.

Apologies for
absence

were received from Dr. Sturton and Mrs. Dothie.

The Minutes of the September meeting were
read and confirmed.

Matters arising from the Minutes

Greenways p.2.)
Pond p.3.) The Clerk was instructed to write to the
Westmore Green p.4) R.D.C. pointing out that we were still
awaiting a reply to our letter of 27.9.61.

Goatsfield Road
Polkerris p.5.

As only an acknowledgement of our letter of
the 3.10.61 had been received the Clerk was
instructed to write for a reply.

Civil Defence
p.8.

The Parish Council welcomed Mr. Hillyard to
the meeting. He gave a report on the year's
work and asked whether it was considered
possible to appoint a liasion officer to work
with him. It was decided that this matter
should be left over until the next meeting.
The Clerk was instructed to write to Mr. Hill-
yard informing him that the matter was in
abeyance until information was received from
the Tatsfield Residents Association. The
Clerk was also instructed to write to the
Secretary of the T.R.A. asking for a reply
to our letter of the 3.10.61.

Police
p.9.

An acknowledgement of our letter of the
3.10.61 had been received thanking us for our
suggestion, and stating that consideration
was being given to the matter already.

Reports from Committees

Footpaths - repairs to
Stiles.

1.6

Mrs. Dothie had reported to the Clerk that
two stiles needed attention and letters had
been sent to Messrs. Streets and Robinson.

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REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES contd.Planning Committee

Playing field 2.7.

Mr. Hodgson reported that he would be attending a meeting of the Playing Fields, Common and Rights of Way Committee on the 17th Oct and he would report at the next meeting.

OTHER BUSINESS

R.D.C. of Godstone
Reception 18.10.61

Invitations were received for the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Clerk, but as neither the Chairman or Vice-Chairman could accept their places were taken by Messrs. Pennock and Cooke, who went with the Clerk.

Dangerous parts of
roads in the area.

Tatsfield Lane between Grenau and Park Farm
&
Ricketts Hill corner of Hillside Road.

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2.11.

As two accidents had been reported the Clerk was instructed to write to the R.D.C. asking if they would inspect the portions of the roads indicated and give the Parish Council a report.

Goatsfield Road and
Greenways

A letter had been received by Mrs. Dothie pointing out the inadequacy of the rain water drains in Goatsfield Road and at the corner of the road leading to the Whitewood Cottages. The Clerk was instructed to write to the R.D.C. to see what action could be taken.

Rain water drains
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2.12.

The Clerk was instructed to write to Mr. Gough asking him to give attention to the rain water pipe outside the post office.

Rain water pipe
outside Post Office.
2 2.13.

Accounts to be paid

Municipal Mutual Insurance	14.10.0
R. Watson hire of room	
April to July	£ 1.10. 0.
Salary of retiring Clerk	
W. Hassall June to Aug.	12.10. 0.
Shaw & Sons Ltd. Stationery	4.19. 5.

Proposed by Mr. Cooke and seconded by Mr. Smith that these accounts should be paid.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council was arranged for November 20th 1961.

..... R. L. Simon Chairman.

MINUTES OF THE TATSFIELD PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD
at the Bakery on November 20th 1961.

Present

Dr. R. Sturton in the chair.
Messrs. F.C. Cooke, G.W. Smith, N. Hodgson and
Miss Knight with the Clerk.

Apologies for
absence

were received from Mrs. Dothie and Mr. J. Pennock.

The Minutes of the October meeting were read and
confirmed.

Matters arising from the Minutes

Greenways

1.2.

The Clerk reported that she had been in touch by
telephone with a member of the Clerk of the
Council's dept. and was told that the nuisance
caused by the parking of vehicles was a matter
between the local residents and the police.
However, the Clerk was instructed to write again
to the Clerk of the R.D. Council to enquire whether
the parking of three or four lorries loaded with
timber and scrap iron constitutes evidence that a
business is being carried on at these premises.

Pond 1.3.

The R.D. Council of Godstone have given attention
to this matter.

Westmore Green

1.4.

The Clerk reported that she had been in touch with
the Clerk to the R.D. Council and had been informed
that as soon as the building work on the Green was
finished the bricks and sand would be cleared away.

Polkerris
Goatsfield Road

1.5.

The R.D.C. Reported in a letter of the 24th Oct.
that Enforcement notices were being served.

Civil Defence

1.8.

The Clerk was instructed to write to Mr. Hillyard
(R.D.C. Civil Defence Officer) telling him that
Miss P. Knight was going through the book left
with the Parish Council at the last meeting and that
she would inform him of any changes.

A letter had been received from the Tatsfield
Residents Association stating that the Atomic
Warfare film was to be shown at the Church Hall on
Jan. 31st 1962 and suggesting that the invitations
to all persons on the Electoral roll should be sent
out in the Names of the Parish Council and the
Tatsfield Residents Association. The Clerk was
instructed to ~~the~~ write to the Secretary of the
Tatsfield Residents Association informing her that
the Parish Council agreed to the suggestion.

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Matters arising (contd.)

Dangerous parts of roads
in the area. 2.11.

The County Divisional Surveyor of the R.D.C. had asked for more details of the accidents. The Clerk was instructed to get details from the Police and pass on the information.

Junction of Goatsfield
Road and Greenways

Rain water drains 2.12.

The R.D.C. reported that as the road was a private street the responsibility rests on the owners of the land fronting on the road. The Clerk was instructed to write in reply, that as the drains had been put in by the Council to drain the surface water from the road leading to the Whitewood Cottages, surely the matter was their responsibility.

Rain water drain
outside the Post Office

2.13.

Mr. Gough had replied to the letter from the Parish Council stating that he had told the Agent and he had promised to give attention to the matter. The Clerk was instructed to write to the Agents Messrs. Payne & Co. Oxford

Reports from Committees

Footpaths 1.6.

Mrs. Dohie was asked to report at the next meeting.

Planning Committee

Playing field
Planning reports

1.7.

Mr. Hodgson reported that things were moving and that the Chairman of the Planning Committee and Mr. Swaine had visited the Playing field site. Both these matters were to be left in Mr. Hodgson's hands.

Other Business

Tatsfield Green Fund

3.15.

The Westminster Bank had written to say that this account had not been used since 1956. The Clerk was instructed to write to the Bank to tell them that the account must remain dormant.

Street Lighting

3.14.

A letter had been received from the Tatsfield Residents Association asking if additional street lamps could be put along 1. Paynesfield Road and 2. Westmore Road. The matter is reported in the minutes of the Lighting Committee.

Accounts to be paid

Strutt & Parker, Lofts and Warner
Titsey Estate rent for allotments
for ½ year ending 29.9.61

£.2.0.0.

Proposed by Miss Knight and
seconded by Mr. Smith that this

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Accounts to be paid (contd).

account should be paid.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Tatsfield
Parish Council was arranged for
December 18th 1961.

signed.....*R. G. Shannon*.....

Chairman.

MINUTES OF THE TATSFIELD PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD
AT THE BAKERY December 18th 1961.

Present Dr. R. Sturton in the chair.
Mesdames Knight and Dothie, Messrs. Smith, Pennock,
Cooke and Hodgson with the Clerk.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Greenways 1.2. Mr. Cooke was handed the correspondence and he
promised to look further into this matter.

Dangerous parts of the roads Details of the accidents had been received from the
Police and these had been sent to the R.D.C. The
Clerk was instructed to write a further letter to
2.11. the R.D.C. suggesting that a sign be erected by
Park Farm warning drivers of the narrowness of this
road.

Junction of Goatsfield Road and Greenways Surface water drains A letter had been received
from the Highways Dept. of the S.C.C. stating that
the maintenance of the drains was the liability of
the frontagers. The Clerk was instructed to send
2.12. a copy of this letter to the Clerk of the R.D.C.
suggesting that it was their responsibility

R.W. Pipe outside Post Office 2.13. The Clerk was instructed to write to Messrs. Payne
& Co. (Agents for this property) again pointing
out the desirability of expediting this work.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

Footpaths 1.6. Mrs. Dothie to report.

Planning reports Mr. Hodgson read the reports.

Playing field The work in connection with the preparation of a
1.7. football pitch should cost approximately £360.
Tenders for the work were being obtained.

OTHER BUSINESS

Library 4.16. The Library in the Church Hall was to be superseded
by a mobile library in June 1962.

Bus Shelter Mrs. Dothie reported that this had been damaged.
4.17. The Clerk was instructed to ask the R.D.C. to give
this matter attention.

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Road Name Plates

4.18.

The word "UPPER" in connection with Paynesfield Road was causing some confusion and the Clerk was instructed to write to the R.D.C. asking if "UPPER" could not be covered until the new casting was ready for fixing.

Accounts for
Payment

Clerk's salary (Sept. Oct. & Nov.) £12.10.0.
Proposed by Miss Knight and
seconded by Mr. Smith that this
should be paid.

Next Meeting

The next meeting was arranged for January 15th 1962.

R. V. Sturman

..... Chairman.