

TRYSULL & SEISDON PARISH COUNCIL

**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD AT THE VILLAGE HALL, TRYSULL
ON WEDNESDAY 13th APRIL 2005**

PRESENT	:	Mr. N.D. Compson	Chairman
		Mr. M.L. Kelly	
		Mr. M.F. Skelton	
		Mr. D. Southall	
		Mr. J.A. Tonkinson	
		Mr. A.L. Unwin	
		APOLOGIES :	
		Mrs. C. Lowe	Vice Chair
		Mrs. W. Bagley	
		Mr. A. Smith	
		Cllr. R. McCardle	District Councillor
		Cllr. B. Edwards	County Councillor

MINUTES OF MEETING

The Minutes of Meeting and Minutes of Annual Parish Meeting dated 9th March 2005 were agreed and signed as a true record. The Minutes of the Planning meeting dated 4th April 2005 were agreed and signed as a true record.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

04/00840 Repositioning of access at The Croft, School Road, amended plans. Object as before: visibility on busy narrow road and blind corner. Vehicles overtaking parked cars outside Church during services etc. make it extremely dangerous. Loss of any part of the wall will spoil the street scene. Existing access should be widened as this has clear view of School Road both to right and left. Proposed access is now directly opposite a widened access at Ketley House, which does not have planning approval.

It was agreed the Clerk will list all planning applications until we are informed of a decision.

ANY NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Skelton reported that Mrs. Ann Smallman has resigned from the Trysull & Seisdon Charity and as Mrs. Smallman is nominated by the Parish Council another nomination will have to be made. It was agreed this matter will be discussed at the next meeting.

Mr. Southall reported that the pet cemetery is for sale and Mrs. Pam Smith has spoken to Charlotte Ward at the Planning Office.

Mr. Unwin reported that he has been informed that motorbikes are being ridden over the playing field at Seisdon. A vehicle was present and it was suggested the number plate be taken and given to the Police. The Clerk was asked to write to Inspector Pat Shannaghan requesting more frequent visits during school holidays.

Mr. Unwin reported that three large dormer windows have appeared at the rear of the Slate House, Fox Road. Clerk to inform Planning Office.

Mr. Tonkinson stated that the Green at Trysull has moss and weeds in it and Mr. Medlicott has agreed to treat these problems. Horses have been ridden across the Green and Mr. Medlicott is arranging for two temporary signs to be erected stating this is an offence.

The Chairman stated that the original Plough sign has been removed and the replacement is completely unsatisfactory in a Conservation Area. Clerk to write to Wolverhampton and Dudley Breweries and Mr. Burton-Pye objecting to the new sign.

The Chairman reported that vehicles are being parked on the grass verges along Feiashill Road, Trysull. Clerk to draft notice to residents.

The Clerk reported that the school bus will be travelling over the Bratch for a temporary period while there are roadworks on the Bridgnorth Road.

CORRESPONDENCE

Letter received from the S.P.C.A. regarding subscription. It was agreed we would not join.
District/Liaison meeting on Monday 25th April to discuss the new Development Planning System. Mr. Southall attending and Mr. Tonkinson stated he would also attend. Clerk to inform David Coghill.
Notice of County Council Election passed to the Chairman and Mr. Unwin for noticeboards.

ACCOUNTS

It was agreed the following accounts be paid:

Trysull Tigers (Insp.Pl.Fld. Seisdon)	£10.00
CPRE (Donation)	10.00
Community Council of Staffordshire (Sub)	20.00
N.V. Walton (Reimbursements)	50.46
Shaw & Sons (2 large shields)	140.18
Kossmic (Donation Section 137)	50.00
G. Clinton (Insp.Pl.Fld. Trysull)	60.00
M. Butcher (noticeboard) Taken by Mr. Tonkinson	45.00
ARC Futures Ltd. (Pavilion showers) Taken by Mr. Tonkinson	5,000.00

Insurance renewal received. Copy to be forwarded to Mr. Tonkinson. Payment to be made at the next meeting.

It was agreed the Clerk's salary would be increased in accordance with the salary scales of NALC.
SCP 21 at £3,777.28 per annum, £944.32 per quarter.

MATTERS ARISING

Playing Field

Playing Field inspection sheets to be altered slightly to include details of any reported problems. Clerk to let Mr. Tonkinson have a blank sheet.

Pavilion – Showers

Mr. Tonkinson reported that the official opening will be held on Saturday 11th June 2005. Clerk to write to Chris Fisher, Onyx, regarding the press article, and to Margaret Cobbold, Onyx, inviting her to the opening.

Play Equipment

Mr. Tonkinson reported he has received a copy of the inspection and stated that funds will be needed in the next 2 to 3 years to replace equipment. Mr. Southall agreed to assist Mr. Tonkinson in investigating grants. Chains for the swings need replacing at a cost of £700.00. It was agreed these will be purchased. Clerk will prepare accounts.

1350 Footpaths

Bridlepath 5 Appeal turned down. Path remains a footpath.

Footpath 17 Letter received from S.C.C. stating they will commence legal proceedings to reinstate the footpath if an application to divert is not received by end of March. Clerk to inform footpaths officer that landowner at home.

Bridlepath 15 In hand.

Footpadders - In hand.

1477 Village Hall

Nothing to report.

1795 Neighbourhood Watch

Mr. Southall reported he has raised the matter of more frequent visits to the Parish by the Police and the matter of fireworks being let off, at the Consultative Meeting he attended. The Clerk reported she had received a complaint about unsocial behaviour by youths in Seisdon and had phoned PC Lee Hardy and asked for police presence in Seisdon.

2166 Street Light, Bell Road – 2003/4

Councillor Edwards stated he has spoken to Mr. Poyser.

- 2185 Traffic Calming – Feiashill Road, Trysull
Awaiting reply from Mr. Sandham regarding the start of the second build-out in Feiashill Road.
- 2205 Seisdon quarry
Mr. Tonkinson will arrange a site visit for 14th June at 11.30 a.m.
- 2242 Wolverhampton Business Airport
Mr. Skelton forwarded a letter from Matthew Green M.P. to the Clerk and Councillors. The Clerk of Bobbington Parish Council has informed the Clerk that the planning application 00748 for a new runway and engine testing facility and removal of condition to enable jet aircraft to use the airport is still with the District Council. A decision has not been made and there have been no further applications since.
- 2249 Interactive Warning sign
Mr. Tonkinson reported he has spoken with Mr. Nick Miller who has agreed to carry out speed checks on Seisdon Road and the Clerk is to write requesting this action at the Trysull end of Seisdon Road.
- 2304 Pound, Trysull
Clerk to ask Mr. Clinton to tidy up the Pound.
Bench
ARC Futures Ltd. to secure bench at a cost of £250.00.
- 2328 Foxlands, Fox Road
Planning application for retention of existing conversion into dwelling refused.
- 2340 Chesterton, Post Office Road, Seisdon
Clerk has spoken with Charlotte Ward who has informed her that the report is with Mr. Bill Meredith.
- 2345 Web Site for Parish Council
Mr. Southall dealing with transfer of domain.
- 2346 School Governor
Mr. Tonkinson stated he was meeting the Head Teacher and would enquire about the light.
Mr. Kelly reported there would be draft proposals in September from the L.E.A. and the consultation period will commence.
- 2352 Minute Book
Mr. Smith to take a look at the typed Minutes.
- 2354 The Barn, Fox Road
Planning application for siting of a portacabin refused. This has now been removed from the site.
- 2370 Shields
Two large shields received. One is to be erected above the Chairman's board in the Village Hall.
- 2376 Extension at Mill House, Seisdon
Clerk has spoken with Charlotte Ward who has stated that enforcement action is being started. Mr. Burton-Pye to be involved. Clerk to inform Planning that the owner is now residing at the property.
- 2377 Tarmac, Ebstree Road bridge
Steve Mellings, Area Highways, to contact Structures again to determine what action can be taken.
Mr. Unwin very concerned about the state of the tarmac and concrete and is to speak with Martin Cox.

2382 Best Kept Village Competition

Nothing to report.

2385 Trysull & Seisdon Charity

Awaiting Appeal decision.

Mr. Tonkinson, on behalf of the Parish Council, extended a vote of thanks to the Chairman for conducting the meetings throughout the past year extremely well. He stated that a lot of work has been carried out and the Council has enjoyed having Mr. Compson as Chairman.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Annual General Meeting to be held on Wednesday 4th May 2005 at 7.00 p.m. at the Village Hall, Trysull

Meeting ended 9.12 p.m.

SIGNED.....DATED.....

TRYSULL & SEISDON PARISH COUNCIL

Sir/Madam,

I HEREBY GIVE YOU NOTICE that the Annual General Meeting of the
above Parish will be held at.....**Village Hall, Trysull**.....
on Wednesday the ...**4th**.....day of.....**May**.....**2005**
at.....**7.00 p.m.**..... in the evening.

Signed.....CLERK

Dated.....**20th**.....**April**.....**2005**

BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED

To elect a Chairman

To elect a Vice Chairman

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