

LECONFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting held on 5th October 2015

Present:-Parish Councillors Healy (in the Chair), Danby, Huzzard (acting clerk), , Scruton, Vidal and Welbourn.

5 members of the public.

Apologies for absence – Cllr Metcalfe-Thompson and Clerk J.Wardale

Declarations of interest - none

59/15	<p><u>Minutes of the meeting</u> held on 7th September 2015 were agreed and signed as a complete record.</p>
60/15	<p><u>Matters arising</u></p> <p>Matters Arising: Parish Councillor vacancy Two members of the public have shown an interest. Resolved – to get more details and co-opt at the next meeting if they are still interested.</p> <p>ID badges It was resolved to take photos at the November meeting so that any new councillors can be included.</p> <p>Notice Boards A suitable part lockable model was thought to be appropriate and the the priority should be for Arram and Scarborough, due to the poor condition of the existing ones. Resolved – to check the sizes before the next meeting.</p> <p>Miles Lane Bend (near entrance to Gun Club) ERYC reported that an assessment has been made and felt that due to the low number of reported accidents no further action would be taken. It was agreed to monitor the situation over winter and look at it in 6 months.</p> <p>Website It was agreed to set a deadline by Christmas that the Home Page and Parish Council pages be set up. Any clubs need to be contacted who may want to participate and more photographs are needed. Resolved - Cllr Huzzard to complete the Leconfield photos, then Arram and Scarborough.</p>
61/15	<p><u>Planning Applications</u> <u>Notice of decision</u> Erection of 10 one bedroom dwellings on land to rear 22 and 26 Old Road – refused planning permission. The member of the public who spoke at the planning meeting of ERYC was surprised to hear that the planning dept. were not concerned about the width of the access road (currently 3.5 metres).</p> <p>A letter was received from Mr Lount, Woodhouse Farm, whose application</p>

	<p>for a re-sited wind turbine was turned down. He expressed his displeasure and stated that this partly due to the Parish Council objecting to the visual impact of the turbine. There was a discussion about the fact that the Parish Council's comments were advisory and the ERYC make the final decision. Resolved - Cllr Healy agreed to draft a response acknowledging the letter and to circulate prior to sending to Mr Lount.</p> <p>A letter had been received from Mr Houltybly thanking the PC for supporting the application to develop the old farm buildings at Castle Farm, Main Street, and he confirmed that the access would be via Main Street.</p>
62/15	<p><u>East Riding of Yorkshire Council Matters</u></p> <p><u>Proposed adjustment at the junction of Old Road/A164 (mid-way between Leconfield and Scarborough-outside of the village).</u> The traffic will need to approach the junction from Old Road more at a right angle, rather than assuming a 'slip road' attitude.</p> <p><u>Invitation</u> to a transport meeting to discuss needs of local transport, at different venues and invited one representative of PC.</p>
63/15	<p><u>Correspondence Received</u></p> <p><u>Community payback scheme</u> The team were looking for a specific task for an offender. Resolved - no action taken.</p> <p><u>Crime statistics</u> A number of reported crimes from local villages, and from Leconfield the public bench was reported as stolen but was in fact removed by agreement of the PC for restoration, and subsequently repaired.</p> <p><u>Fish and Chip van</u> Renewed trading permit up to November 2016 had been received..</p> <p><u>Invitation to service at Beverley Minster to commemorate the Battle of Agincourt 600</u> Resolved – to send the invitation to former Councillor Mike Wray.</p> <p>Coastal Path Natural England is currently looking at East Coast part of the national coastal path.</p>

64/15	<p><u>Accounts for Payment</u></p> <p>The following payments were agreed:-</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>(a) Clerk Salary and expenses September</td> <td style="text-align: right;">£161.88</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(b) PKF Littlejohn – annual audit fees</td> <td style="text-align: right;">£120.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(c) Ashley Briggs for work in village</td> <td style="text-align: right;">£186.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(d) Cllr Huzzard –Painting supplies</td> <td style="text-align: right;">£ 26.90</td> </tr> </table>	(a) Clerk Salary and expenses September	£161.88	(b) PKF Littlejohn – annual audit fees	£120.00	(c) Ashley Briggs for work in village	£186.25	(d) Cllr Huzzard –Painting supplies	£ 26.90
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65/15	<p><u>Any Other Business</u></p> <p>Cllr Scruton reported that pot holes had been repaired in Scarborough.</p> <p>Cllr Danby reported that whilst thankful that footpath 13 has been cut, it requires further cutting, and the rabbit holes need to be addressed. Concern was addressed that the dykes both feeding and exiting the new alleviation scheme are not being cleared, it was agreed that this be looked at in the November meeting, and a possible site walk by PC if necessary in November. (We still need clarification of the riparian responsibility of the section of dyke behind ‘Black Barn’ from the pipe exit to the main culvert).</p> <p>Cllr Webourn reported that the ‘Minster Way’ gate at ‘Corner View’ Arram needs repair, and footpath sign in the field is fallen over.</p> <p>Leconfield-‘Public footpath’ sign at ‘The Hollies’ Main Street has still not been replaced (reported previously).</p> <p>Pot hole in road at village side of railway crossing at Arram. Also in Leconfield pot hole outside the bungalow on the bend of Arram Road (near to exit of ‘Little Lane’ near the church).</p> <p>Cllr Vidal – in June 2016 that Recreation club to organise an event to commemorate 90th birthday of HM Queen Elizabeth 2, and may require support from PC.</p> <p>Fire Door exit at Village hall needs urgent repair – Cllr’s Vidal and Welbourn to organise.</p>								
	<p>Date of next meeting – Monday 2nd November 2015</p>								