

RICHARDS CASTLE PARISH COUNCIL (SHROPSHIRE)

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The Minutes of Richards Castle (Shropshire) Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 1st July 2014 at the Village Hall Richards Castle commencing at 7.30pm

14/12 Present:

Councillors:

Cllr H Salwey (Chairman) Cllr T Harral, Cllr B Anderson

Mr C E Williams (Clerk)

Members of the Public

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- a) Mr A Hall spoke about the Parish Councils decision at the previous meeting in relation to a Claim for a Public Right Of Way at Mitnell Lane Richards Castle and referred to a letter sent to him by the Rights Of Way Officer Shropshire Council concerning a proposed meeting with the Footpaths Officer and the Chairman of the Parish Council and the Clerk to discuss the matter. However the Clerk reported that since the last Parish Council Meeting the Claim for a Public Right of Way had been submitted by a private individual and therefore the Parish Council would await the outcome of the investigation by the Shropshire Councils Footpaths officer before making any further comment. The Clerk reported that he had supplied information that he held as Clerk in relation to Mitnell Lane to Mr A Hall following a Freedom of Information request.
- b) Mrs R Harral spoke about the Lunch Club which is supported by the WVS and held at Richards Castle Village Hall this gives elderly residents an opportunity to meet, discuss local issues and to obtain useful information. The Lunch Club was seeking funding of £120 per annum for the next three years from each of the Parish Councils. This item will be put on the agenda for the next Parish Council meeting to consider a grant application.

14/13 Apologies:

Cllr A Cowell, Cllr A Wright and Cllr J Whittall

14/14 Minutes:

The Minutes of the meeting held on the 13th May 2014 were approved and signed as a correct record by the Chairman.

14/15 Chairman's Report:

The Chairman reported that a new Contractor had been appointed to undertake the grass cutting at St Bartholomew's Church Yard to which the Parish Council make an annual contribution.

14/16 Highway Items/Amenity Items/Footpath items:

- a) Cllr A Cowell had sent an email to report that the drainage issue in Station Road Woofferton was still ongoing concerning an appropriate scheme.
- b) Cllr A Cowell had attended a meeting with representatives of Brimfield and Little Hereford Group Parish Council and Orleton to discuss the request for a roundabout on the A49 Salwey Junction Woofferton. The Clerk to Brimfield and Little Hereford Group Parish Council had written to the Highways agency requesting a site meeting. The Parish Council supported the action taken.

14/17 Planning:

Planning Application 14/02588/Ful – Erection of agricultural storage shed - proposed Anaerobic Digestion Plant Park Lane Woofferton – No Objection

14/18 Financial Items:

No accounts for payment

14/19 Next Meeting:

Tuesday 2nd September 2014 at 7.30pm

Chairman