

**INFORMATION ONLY: TO BE APPROVED AT NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ON 13 MAY 2014**

**FITTLETON PARISH COUNCIL**

MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN  
PHOENIX HALL, NETHERAVON ON TUESDAY, 11 MARCH 2014 AT 7.00 PM

**PRESENT:**

Cllr P Cranch (PC)	Chairman
Cllr C Gowman (CG)	Parish Councillor
Cllr P Hayward (PH)	Vice Chairman
Cllr K Hills (KH)	Parish Councillor
Cllr M Wilshire (MW)	Parish Councillor
Mrs D Georgeson (DG)	Parish Clerk

**IN ATTENDANCE:**

Sergeant Martin Phipps  
Mrs V Jago

**POLICE REPORT**

Tim Bunt is the new area officer. There have been three incidents involving cars. There have been fuel thefts from non-domestic vehicles and oil tanks. Tools are also being taken. A handbag was taken from a car. A catalytic converter has been taken. . A reminder not to leave items on display in vehicles.

Shed alarms are available for £6. Contact police if interested via email

[tidworthnpt@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:tidworthnpt@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk) Salisbury police station will be closing and some of the resources will be moving to Amesbury

**PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

No questions were asked

**14/13 ACCEPTANCE OF APOLOGIES**

None received

**14/14 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Nil

**14/15 MINUTES**

It was resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on 7 January 2014 be approved and signed.

Proposed: CG. Seconded: MW

**14/16 REPORTS AND UPDATES****a. Planning - PC**

In future all plans to go to DG in the first instance. She will forward them to KH and CG

**b. Footpaths and Rights of Way - PC**

Nothing to report

**c. Allotments – PC**

PH to take over responsibility for allotments. PC has been in contact with the MOD Land Agents as the lease expires on March 27<sup>th</sup>, it appears this will be renewed, length of tenure to be confirmed.

An application for an allotment received from a Netheravon resident was agreed.

**d. Phoenix Hall – MW**

The Phoenix Hall committee has applied for a grant for a new kitchen.

**e. Highways – PC**

The Community Team will be coming to Fittleton and Haxton on Wednesday 12 March to clean up.

**14/17 PARISH MATTERS****a. The Jubilee Cup**

This year is our opportunity to award the Jubilee Cup. The cup can be awarded to anyone under 21 yrs who has performed some act of public service or has helped the community in a special project, achieved a good result in sport or art or performed some act of personal courage or achieved a high objective at work or school. Nominations can be made by any member of the parish and should be forwarded to the Parish Clerk, the winner is selected by the Parish Council.

**b. Flooding Update**

The recent flooding in Fittleton was cleared after a drain in Haxton was unblocked. Work remains ongoing as to the clearing of drains particularly by The School House Fittleton.

**c. 20mph Speed Limit**

An application has been registered for a 20mph speed limit through Fittleton and Haxton.

**d. Parking at Haxton Pound**

Parking on the Pound appears to have eased, the relevant authorities are aware of the concerns raised and will continue to monitor the situation.

**14/18 APPLICATIONS FOR PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCY**

Mrs Victoria Jago has shown interest in the vacancy and could be co-opted at the next meeting if she is interested in filling the vacancy.

**14/19 REGULAR NEWSLETTERS/UPDATES**

Weekly information of planning applications and decisions have been received. None are applicable to Fittleton or Haxton.

Updates of Army activity on Salisbury Plain have been posted on both notice boards

**14/20 ACCOUNTS****a. Balances**

Bank account balances at the date of last statements 14 February 2014

Current Account **£1416.41**

30 Day Account **£1204.59**

**b. Authorisation of cheques**

2 cheques have been written totalling **£276.66** in the past 8 weeks.

**14/21 CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**

- a. The Neighbourhood Tasking Group is a three monthly meeting between Police and interested parties to set the policing priorities for the next quarter. In order to increase participation, it has been decided to invite all Parish Councils to send a representative to these meetings. The next meeting is due to be held at 10.30am on Wednesday 26th March at the Tidworth Community Centre. A copy of the minutes of the last meeting can be supplied on request, and copies will be available at the meeting. Please pass this invitation to your Parish Council, and let me know if you wish to nominate anyone to attend. Michael Bayliss
- b. Wiltshire's policy on 20 mph speed limits. Details can be forwarded to anyone who wishes to have a copy.
- c. Army rebasing information received. Currently exhibitions are taking place at Durrington and Amesbury libraries giving full information of proposals.
- d. Best Kept Village Competition entries are being sought.
- e. Wiltshire Council has launched a new interactive website that will act as a one stop shop for sport, physical activity and health across the county.
- f.

**14/22 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

Nil

**14/23 ITEMS FOR THE NEXT MEETING**

None at present

**14/24 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

AGM Tuesday, 13 May 2014 at All Saints Church, Fittleton 7:30pm, directly after the Annual Assembly which commences at 7:00pm

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman

The meeting closed at 19:50