

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SPOFFORTH-WITH-STOCKELD PARISH
COUNCIL HELD IN THE LONG MEMORIAL HALL, SPOFFORTH ON
TUESDAY 21st FEBRUARY 2017 AT 7:30PM**

- 81555184 **APOLOGIES** Cllr Moore.
- 81555185 **PRESENT** Cllr Fawcett, Cllr Geddes, Cllr Roberts, Cllr Heslop, Cllr Parker
 Beavers, Cllr Marston.
- ALSO PRESENT** Cllr Trotter, PC Scott, 10 Parishioners, 2 Representatives from ID
 Planning and Opus North.
- 81555186 **DECLARATION OF INTERESTS**
- None to Report
- 81555187 **THE MINUTES**
- The minutes of the January 2017 meeting were approved as a true record and The
 Chairman signed them.
- 81555188 **ACTION POINTS**
- The action points were discussed and updated, as attached.
- 81555189 **PARISHIONERS QUESTIONS**
- Representatives from ID Planning and Opus North attended the meeting with their
 proposal for potential planning development on the field between Village Farm and the
 Crimple River.
- They gave an overview of the potential proposal of up to 60 houses and are working
 towards submitting a pre planning application.
- Representative from the Village Shop attended the meeting along with the Police to
 stress concerns relating to parking outside the shop for long periods at a time causing
 traffic congestion around the area and particularly the roundabout. Potential to put 20
 minute parking restrictions outside the shop.
- Cllr Trotter to visit site.
- A parishioner raised concerns over construction traffic from the Spofforth Hill site using
 the Village even though there is a 7.5 tonne weight limit.
- Clerk to raise concerns with Bellway Homes.
- A parishioner attended the meeting to give an update on the Community Speed Watch
 Scheme, volunteers names have been collected meeting to be arranged to discuss
 training requirements.
- 81555190 **TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON ITEMS PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED BY THE
PARISH COUNCIL**
- English Heritage:** Awaiting receipt of contract
- Position of Castle Caretaker:** 3 applications have been received, interviews to be
 arranged.

81555191 TO RECEIVE THE CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

The Chairman attended the following events,
 -Rural Action Yorkshire
 -Harrogate Branch YLCA
 -Yorkshire in Bloom

81555192 TO RECEIVE THE CLERK'S REPORT.

The Clerk reported on behalf of the booking clerk along with the regular bookings there were 3 parties.
 Crime figures for the month were high due to numerous burglaries from Farms outbuildings and garages, investigations continue.

81555192i TO RECEIVE THE HANDYMAN'S REPORT.

Cllr Roberts reported on behalf of the Handyman all in order no issues to report.
 Lights in the main hall to be checked.

81555193 TO RECEIVE THE FINANCIAL REPORT AND APPROVE THE ACCOUNTS DUE FOR PAYMENT.

The Assistant Responsible Financial Officer reported the month's accounts and giving an update on other financial issues.

To be paid in February 17		Expenses	Rem	Total
2520	J Steggles Remuneration	£ 130.00		£ 130.00
2521	R Marston Remuneration (net)	£ 225.60		£ 225.60
2522	Glen Cousins	£ 190.50		£ 190.50
2523	F Hammett - Hall Cleaning	£ 248.50		£ 248.50
2524	J Geddes	£ 165.00		£ 165.00
2525	F Hammett -Expenses	£ 41.96		£ 41.96
2526	Yorkshire Water	£ 74.71		£ 74.71
2527	S Fawcett Expenses	£ 34.00		£ 34.00
				£ -
		£ 1,110.27	£	£ 1,110.27
To be received in February 17		Amount	Cash	Total
	Received from:			
	Snooker Club	£ 150.00		£ 150.00
	Hall Bookings	£ 436.00		£ 436.00
				£ 586.00

81555194 **TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM THE COUNCIL'S COMMITTEES.**

None to Report.

81555195 **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

NEW

6.122.66.O.FUL 17/00072/FUL
Mr Stephen Kilby
Castra
Park Road
Spofforth
Harrogate
HG3 1BS

Demolition of stables and erection of a new store, extension of drive and landscaping

GRANTED

6.122.344.FUL 16/05261/FUL
Mr D Gledhill
6 Grange Avenue
Spofforth
Harrogate
HG3 1AH

Erection of wrap around single storey extension and removal of garage.

6.122.43.B.FUL
Mr & Mrs E Richman
Alma House
18 – 20 Castle Street
Spofforth
Harrogate
HG3 1AP

Part demolition, repairs and reroofing of existing garage.

REFUSED

6.122.175.PRB
Dr R Barrett
The Hay Barn
Haggs Farm
Haggs Road
Spofforth

Notification for prior approval for change of use of agricultural building to 1 No. dwelling

81555196 **CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**

-None to Report

81555197 **CIRCULATED CORRESPONDENCE**

- Countryside Access Service
- Planning Seminar
- Rural Opportunities Bulletin
- White Rose Update

81555198 **TO RECEIVE INFORMATION ABOUT CONCERNS AND ISSUES
RAISED BY PARISH COUNCILLORS**

Cllr Roberts asked if a location for the requested bench had been agreed, the council agreed the bottom of the field would be most suitable.
The school have suggested they will reduce maintenance on the field by reducing the number of cuts.

Cllr Fawcett requested an update on the damaged Follifoot road bridge, Cllr Trotter to investigate.

Cllr Fawcett requested that a letter be sent to the Highways department thanking them for the work done to the road on School Lane.

81555199 **OPPORTUNITY FOR COUNCILLORS TO ALERT THE COUNCIL TO
LOCAL ISSUES.**

None to report

81555200 **TO NOTE THE DATE, TIME AND VENUE OF THE NEXT
MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL.**

The Chairman closed the meeting at 9.15pm.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 21st March 2017 at 7.30pm in the Long Memorial Hall.