

Brantingham Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting

held in the Village Hall

Monday 17 October 2022

At 7.30 pm

Those Present

Richard Powell - Chairman

Louise Brotherton - Vice Chairman

Glenda Greendale

Richard Shillaker

Nik Wilson

Sally Carey

Councillor Richard Meredith

Linda Soulsby – Clerk

Apologies Hugh Wood, Anna Caffery, David Williamson, and Councillor Pat Smith

Item 1 Minutes of the last meeting

These were accepted as a true record and signed by the chairman.

Item 2 Matters arising and outstanding.

Pond - Richard Shillaker reported that a small working party got together and have been working to remove some of the reeds from the pond. Derek has taken the reeds back to the wooden boards and has commented that these are not in a particularly good condition.

At present there is little water in the pond, and this would be an ideal opportunity to remove some of the silt from the bottom of the pond. We would require a digger to do this and previously Liz Levison has offered the use of a digger and we could ask if she would be happy for us to use this again. If not, Richard Powell is happy to make arrangements to hire one if necessary.

The feeding signs about feeding the duck appear to be working as there has not been any sign of bread being left around the pond.

Cave Road – Graham Robinson the servicer manager from ERYC and George Foster have been working along Cave Road cutting the grass and verges.

If we have any further problems down Cave Road residents can contact Graham direct by email at graham.robinson@eastriding.gov.uk

Brantingham is now on a three-week cycle for grass cutting and it is hoped the grass verges will be reseeded in the spring.

Benches – The benches have now been installed around the village including the memorial bench requested by Nicola Armstrong. Nicola has sent a thank you card thanking the PC. Brough Golf Club have the bench they requested but this has not been installed yet. The PC did agree to have a bin installed near the Golf Club bench and we think Councillor Pat Smith is dealing with this. If not, Richard Powell will contact ERYC

The memorial bench for Johnny Whitely has also been installed.

We note that the John Redhead bench by the pond is showing signs of rot and may need repairing/replacing within the next few years.

Road Safety at T junction opposite the Triton – Richard Powell has spoken with Angela Boswick. There will be no problem with painting the markings opposite the Triton. Regarding putting in an island she said this is a different department and will get someone to contact us. It is unlikely that anything can be done about changing the priority at the Spout Hill junction.

Sally commented that it would be nice to have a village sign on the approach to the village. If this is something we would want to consider the PC will need to fund it.

Village Annual Event – Richard Powell has spoken to a few people from the village and are in favour of an event. Before we take this any further, we will wait to see what is announced to celebrate the Kings Coronation.

Footpath clearance – A working party got together to clear the footpaths from the Outgang down towards Ionians. This was successful and has made a significant improvement by increasing the width the footpath. We have another weekend planned to finish off the job and are looking for volunteers as it is always the same people that get involved. This could be advertised on the website and Facebook page.

Resurfacing roads – ERYC will be conducting some resurfacing work around the village shortly. While they are working along Burrill Lane this will be a good opportunity to remind them about the grip.

Triton lighting –During the recent October Fest event held at the Triton, Richard Shillaker received a complaint saying that when driving down Main Street a floodlight from the event distracted the driver when approaching the junction by the Triton. We also note that the Triton has submitted amended plans to ERYC planning for the proposed building works and understand these have not been validated yet, we should receive notification once they are.

Trees – The big tree on Wandells View has some dead branches. It was agreed to have this looked at when we conduct other planned tree work in the village. We note that the two trees on the Dale near the chicane still look unsafe. We will keep an eye on these to see if any action is required.

Defibrillator – Louise arranged for the defibrillator to be sent off for servicing and replacement batteries fitted and the unit has now been returned.

Item 3 Finance

We have received the second instalment from ERYC for this year's precept.

Nicola Armstrong has sent her payment as agreed for the memorial bench.

Item 4 Planning applications and policy consideration

No items received for consideration

We have no further development with Rupert's application. We understand that Rupert needs to put in further planning applications to ERYC. Rupert is happy to attend one of our meetings to discuss his plans further.

Item 5 Planning Permission

Item 6 Correspondence

Items received have been forwarded via email.

Item 7 Account for payment

Item 8 any other business

Glenda commented that the street light near the telephone box is being obstructed by a tree making the area very dark.

Nik announced that next May he intends to stand down from the PC but is happy to help with any planning matters.

Richard Powell has painted the railing on Thorpe Drive. Whilst doing so, one of the residents complained to Richard saying the railing do not belong to the PC. The parish notice board is attached to the railing and in the past, the PC has maintained both.

Date of next meeting Monday 5th December 2022

Notes for 2023 meetings:

Emergency Plan to be reviewed at the AGM

Local Elections due to be held May 2023 – Each member will need to complete forms.