Minutes of the Meeting of Brinklow Parish Council
Held on
Thursday 11 February 2016; 19:15 Hours at Brinklow Community Hall

Present:	Cllr D Lowe (Chair)	Cllr J Boonham
	Cllr E Friswell	Cllr V McBay
	Cllr R Pearson	Cllr C Tew
	Cllr H Timms (RBC, WCC)	P Creek (Clerk)
	Twelve members of the public	

1. Open section of meeting in which members of the public can speak
1.1. The upgrading of the children's play area, and the grant funding aspiration, was raised and discussed.
1.2. The plethora of lorries and agricultural vehicles traversing the village was discussed.
1.3. A missing 30mph sign was reported.
Action: Clerk.
Post meeting note; reported.

2. Apologies received and noted. Cllr A Gillias.

3. Declarations of interest. None.

4. Parish Warden's Report. Read to the meeting.

5. News and views from Borough and County Cllrs.
5.1. The County wide housing developments were discussed.
5.2. The WCC budget had been set with a 4% uplift (2% for the elderly)
5.3. The Rate Support Grant ceases in 2020.

6. Minutes of the last meeting. Deemed accurate and signed by the Chair.

7. Matters arising from the minutes other than continuing minutes. None.

8. Planning applications.
8.1. The meeting deemed that there had been a blatant breach of the planning rules at Tallow Cottage. Cllr Timms to call the revised application into the Planning Committee.
Action: HT
8.2. Quarry licence extension.

9. Accounts.
9.1. Payments approved for payment. All sums are in £s Sterling

P Creek	Taxed salary February	Chq no: 1658	350.27
J Boonham	Printing	Chq no: 1659	35
SA&E Friswell	Christmas tree	Chq no: 1660	270
WCC	Lighting maintenance (estates)	Chq no: 1661	490.99
V Smith	Pump hire	Chq no: 1662	42

9.2. Business Reserve Account sheet no 196 had been e-mailed to Cllrs.

10. Reports of associated meetings.
10.1. Grant funding meeting; possible £1k for play area refurbishment.
10.2. Quarry Liaison Meeting. Licence extension.

11. Correspondence. Notice of Parish Council Election from RBC
Action: All Cllrs, Clerk.

12. Continuing Minutes.
12.1. Cemetery. A surfeit of moles was reported.
Action: EF.
12.2. Events Committee. Silent auction in April. It was resolved to light the beacon on the Castle mound to celebrate the Queen's birthday.
Action: All Cllrs, Clerk
Post meeting note: The Pageant Master for the celebration has requested that Brinklow's beacon should be lit at 19:30 on 21 April.
12.3. Footpaths. Map of network obtained from WCC and flow chart of works.
12.4. Playing field.
Quotations being sought for play area fencing.
The quarry management will be asked to clear the site.
Action: JB.
Football club fees for the use of the field have been increased for 2016
12.5. Communications with the Parish. Litter pick and elections in Round the Revel.
Action: JB.
12.6. Castle site. Severn Trent will not clear the drain under the footpath on The Crescent.

13. AOB.
13.1. MP Mr Pawsey reported to have written to the police about APNR cameras in Brinklow.
13.2. A response to RBC Planning regarding the Neighbourhood plan is required by 11 March.
Action: All Cllrs.

The meeting concluded at 20:40.
Next meeting: Thursday 10 March 2016, 19:15 in the Community Hall.

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