

CURBAR PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES

For the virtual meeting held on 7th January 2021 at 7.30pm via Zoom

Councillors Caralyn Denver
Martyn Games
Charlotte Cooper
Ann Ironmonger
Mark Carroll
Antony Crook

Apologies:

Others: Clerk Sarah Nicholas
2 members of the public

739 There were no apologies for absence received.

740 Declaration of Acceptance of Office – Due to the current circumstances the DOA had already been signed by Cllr Crook and Cllr Games

741 Variation of Order of Business – None

742 There were no declarations of Members' Interests.

743 There were no items of the Agenda to be taken with the public excluded.

744 Public Speaking

Wendy from the Derbyshire Association of Local Councils attended the meeting and suggested we look at purchasing a Zoom licence. **Resolved** to purchase a Zoom licence.

Derek Ballard, Chairman of Calver Parish Council – The petition for the speed limit review closes in February, a full report will then go to the Cabinet.

745 Approval of the minutes

The minutes of 12th November 2020 were deemed to be true and correct records. Cllr Games will sign the minutes.

746 Planning

NP/09200844	White Edge, The Bent, Curbar		Granted Conditionally
NP/0919/0987	Broughton Caravan Park, grassland to caravan park. Baslow Road, Calver, Curbar	Change of use from	Refused
NP/0420/0387	Well House The Green Curbar	Single storey front & rear extension & new detached garage. Re-roofing & Rendering of existing facades	Pending
NP/0520/0408	Rowan Tree Bar Road Curbar	Re-roof & convert existing garage to form habitable space. New open carport for 3 cars	Granted
NP/1220/1183	Barncroft Pinfold Hill Curbar	New Garage with home office above	Pending

747 Playing Field Maintenance and Management
An additional grass cut was discussed with William Brindley however, he deemed it too wet to carry this out and suggested we have an additional early cut in the spring instead. Agreed.

Cllr Games circulated a document proposing additional equipment for the play area in addition to the fitness equipment. It was agreed that new equipment for younger children is needed. All councillors to feedback on suggestions for new equipment. Cllr Cooper will liaise with the school as she is a school governor.

Cllr Games suggested we hold off at the present time with the new fitness equipment.

748 Fruit Trees
A pear and plum tree have been ordered, we are expecting delivery by the end of January, there were no apple trees available.

749 Parking Congestion at Curbar Gap
Steve Alcock at Highways, DCC had been in discussion with PDNPA regarding the parking problems at Curbar Gap. It has been proposed that they draw up a scheme of yellow lines to tackle this. The council approves although not all Councillors were in favour. Cllr Games to highlight on a map where we would like the yellow lines to run and forward to the Clerk to send to Highways.

750 Snow/Gritting Arrangements
Harry White has been gritting the roads during the wintery weather. Clerk to contact Harry White to discuss the current contract.

Minute Amendment to Playfield Maintenance & Management
Resolved A start date of May will be communicated by Councillor Ironmonger to Caloo for the installation of the fitness equipment in the playing field.

751 Finance
(a) Councillors **resolved** to pay the liabilities of the Parish Council.

Cheque No	Payable to	Items	Amount
001202	William Brindley	Grass Cut	£105.00
001203	Martyn Games	Xmas Tree	£200.00
001204	HMRC	Clerks Tax	£81.00

- Bank balances, High Interest Account £13,145.74 and Transfer Account £500.00 on the **15th December 2020**.
- Internet Banking Main Curbar Bank Account – **Resolved** to move to online banking
- Burial Committee Bank Account – to enable us to open a new account for the burial committee we need to remove the signatories who are no longer Councillors. **Resolved** to remove Viv Poole and David Nicholson as signatories from the Bank Account.
- Data Protection Fee – **Resolved** to pay this annual fee by Direct Debit

752 Polling Station
Cllr Games met with the disabilities officer on 3/12/20 await their report

753 Curbar, Calver & Froggatt Joint Burial Ground Committee
We await the set up of the new bank account for the Burial Ground.

754 Wellington Monument
Resolved not appropriate to contact the landowner to cut back the overgrown woodland.

755 Policies
(a) Risk Management Policy – Agreed with slight amendment
(b) Lone/Home Working Policy – Agreed
(c) Recruitment Policy – Agreed with minor amendment

756 Clerks Appraisal

Clerks appraisal was carried out on 7/12/20

DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS: All future meetings are held at 7.30pm online via Zoom. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

4th March 2021
September 2021

6th May 2021
4th November 2021

20th May 2021

1st July 2021 2nd

Chairs Signature: *MB* - Date: 31/3/21.....