

Minutes of the Full Council held on 25th July 2013 at 7.00pm at the Parish Hall, Newdigate Street,
Kimberley.

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| Attendance Councillors: | J. McDonald (Chairman) |
| | D. Nunn (Vice Chair) |
| | S. Cooper |
| | A. Cooper |
| | M. McGuckin |
| | T. Hallard |
| | K. Tennant |
| | C. Brown |
| | I. Wilson |
| | J. Dickman |
| | K. Boettge |
| County Councillor | Ken Rigby |
| Police & Crime Commissioner | Paddy Tipping |
| Public | 3 Members |
| RFO | S. Ball |
| Clerk | A. Frost |

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

The following councillors gave their apologies: D. Kirwan, K. John and J. Pearce.
No apologies were received from Cllr Shaw.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

3. PRESENTATION FROM PADDY TIPPING

Paddy Tipping, the police and Crime commissioner for Nottinghamshire, outlined his strategy and answered questions.

4. ALLOTMENT PRESENTATION

The Chairman informed the Council of the winners of the 'best kept allotment competition' are Mr & Mrs Knight of Millfield Allotments and Mr Neilson of Knowle Hill Allotments. The overall winner was Mr & Mrs Knight. Certificates and the trophy were presented.

5. REPORTS FROM COUNTY & BOROUGH COUNCILLORS

Ken Rigby informed the Council that Hardy Street will be resurfaced in the new financial year.

The LIS Scheme contributed more money than was expected towards the regeneration of the Stag Play. Cllr Rigby was asked if this surplus could be used for improvements trenching and footpaths within this project. Cllr Rigby informed he would ask. The Opencast meeting has been delayed until the end of September.

Andy Cooper informed the Council that Broxtowe Borough Council is looking at the Core Strategy in late July.

6. MINUTES

Minutes of the Full Council held on 30th May 2013 were accepted as a true record.

7. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

Sarah Ball presented to Council a petition collected by the Smith family following the death of their son in a road accident involving a collision with a foreign lorry driver.

Kimberley Town Council agreed to support this. Cllr Rigby agreed to take this to Nottinghamshire County Council.

8. CEMETERY CHAPEL

It was agreed for this to be discussed at the next Amenities and Estates Committee in September.

9. FAMILY FUN DAY

The Chairman thanked everyone for their help at this event. Comments were made regarding the weather being too hot. It was also resolved to advertise it better next year if the Event goes ahead.

10. NEWSLETTER

Thanks were given to the members that helped with the newsletter. A small committee was formed to produce the next issue.

11. PRAM RACE

Cllr McGuckin informed the Council that Derek from the Golden Guinea was still in hospital, she was also looking at getting a disco to fill in the gaps between artists. The Event Plan is almost complete and security has also been booked for the day.

12. OUTREACH TO THE COMMUNITY

The Council are looking to meet individuals on a one to one basis then in a group.

Mike Harrison from Youth for Christ introduced himself to the council and described his work in the community. Council agreed to try and help Mike by funding supervised football sessions.

13. COLOURFUL KIMBERLEY

The Council complimented Sarnia & Stuart for their work done on flower beds in Kimberley. The donation Ken Rigby made towards Colourful Kimberley has bought a new planter which is situated at Nine Corners. This has been planted by Wilkinson's who have kindly donated the compost, flowers and planted it. It was agreed to write to other businesses to ask if they would like to sponsor a garden.

14. CLERK'S REPORT

The Clerk's Report was received and noted.

Council accepted quotations of £820 to clean the Parish Hall floors and £395 to paint the toilets during the August recess.

Cllr Kirwan and Wilson informed the council that extra work was needed on the cemetery gates at the cost of £220.

15. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENTS/SIGNATURES

The RFO read through the quarterly review and also the accounts for payments. These were agreed and accepted by the council.

16. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

No comments were made

17. CORRESPONDENCE

The Correspondence was received and noted by all councillors.

18. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC & PRESS

The Council is asked to RESOLVE that, under Section 100A of the Local Government Act, 1972, the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1 and 9 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

19. STAG ACCESS

The Council were informed that we are waiting for correspondence on this matter.

20. HUMAN RESOURCES

The Council were informed when interviews will be taking place for the Caretaker and Relief Caretaker Role.

21. PRESS

A discussion took place about the relationship the Council have with the press.

22. KTFC

A settlement was made between the Town Council and the previous occupants.

There being no further business the meeting ended at 10.00pm