

# SYKEHOUSE PARISH COUNCIL

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2021

**Present:** Councillor Mr Fox, Councillor Mr Duckitt, Councillor Mr Lee,  
Councillor Mrs Lifsey, Councillor Mr Jones & Clerk Ms Halsall  
1 Resident in attendance

**Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.**

A discussion took place with regards to upgrading/renewing the playground area. Also, with Picnic tables/Seating areas. Possible Lottery funding grants available.

### ***Chairman's opening remarks and Declarations of interest***

#### **1. Apologies of absence**

None

#### **2. Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

**RESOLVED** that the minutes were approved

#### **3. Matters arising from the minutes**

- The Branch on the Tree on Chapel Lane has been removed. The Tree will be removed at a later date.
- Speed Sign reports have been downloaded and circulated.
- Southend - Wormley Hill to fishlake Road needs chevrons and signs on the road. This has been completed
- Potholes on Kirk Lane are scheduled to be repaired.  
**RESOLVED** to contact DMBC and chase up
- A request to investigate a Telephone mast on the Village Hall Land. This is not feasible.
- The Sykehouse 2000 Stones and the planted beds around this area are to be raised.  
**RESOLVED** to go ahead with quote for works.
- Location signs in the Hamlets of Pincheon Green, Wormley Hill, Eskholme & Morsen Green, DMBC will not pay for these.
- Hedge Rows & Verges around the village have still not been cut back.  
**RESOLVED** to chase DMBC again

#### **4. Financial Matters**

000621 – £516 DMBC Playground Repairs

000622 – £11.27 Dollywood Books

000623 - £140 Website fees

000624 - £9.96 Dollywood Books

000625 - £18.50 Mr Fox Remembrance Wreath

**RESOLVED** that the accounts payable be approved and the cheques and bank statement signed.

#### **5. Playingfield/The Green**

Playground repairs have been completed.

Upgrading/Renewing the playground area was discussed.

**RESOLVED** to get some quotes.

Hedge on the Green – Has been cut back

**RESOLVED** to send letter of thanks Shaun

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## **6. Projects**

Platinum Jubilee June 2022 to celebrate. Ideas requested over the next few months.

A suggestion box was requested to be placed at the Village Hall, for residents to leave feed back and ideas to the Council.

**RESOLVED** 4-1 to purchase a box

A request for surveillance cameras to be placed at the entrance to the village due to a recent spate of burglaries in the area. Like ones that are currently in Fishlake Village.

Police patrol was also requested.

**RESOLVED** to investigate costings.

A request was received with regards to setting up 'womble patches' Regular litter picks.

**RESOLVED** to recruit wombles

A Youth Club was requested. This would have to be dealt with by The Village Hall Committee.

## **7. Planning**

**21/00027/REF** Mawson Green Cottage, Mr & Mrs Adam - Change of use.

No objection received for any of the above planning

## **8. Correspondence**

All Circulated and dealt with accordingly.

## **9. Website**

All up to date.

## **10. New Matter Arising**

A wall on Fishlake Crossroad Junction of Broad Lane/Kirk Lane has been knocked down.

Also, Mawson Green Junction with Marsh hills Lane.

**RESOLVED** to contact DMBC to rebuild the wall

Bate Lane Footpath sign needs a new post, next to Diamond House

**RESOLVED** to report to DMBC

Grove Nook Corner needs red posts of warning of a bend.

**RESOLVED** to contact DMBC

## **11. Date & Time of next meetings**

Dates for the next meeting at the Village Hall commencing at 7pm

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2022**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2022 AGM**

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.10pm

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