

SYKEHOUSE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 5TH APRIL 2022

Present: Councillor Mr Lee, Councillor Mr Fox, Councillor Mr Duckitt,
Councillor Mrs Lifsey, Councillor Mr Jones & Clerk Ms Halsall
3 Residents in attendance

Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

A discussion took place with regards to a public footpath/right of way thru the back of the Old George pub. There needs to be a gate as the one before has been vandalised. Ramblers Association & Public rights of way had been contacted.

A discussion took place with regards to the passing places on Rivers Lane & Oak Lane.

Horse signs were discussed again as this had previously been rejected by DMBC. One was needed by the Arena near West Lane.

On West Lane before the bridge coming into Sykehouse is 60mph then straight into a 30. Requested for this to be reduced were discussed.

It was reports speeding traffic thru the village is again a problem, with large yellow tractors and trailers not sticking to the speed limits.

Chairman's opening remarks and Declarations of interest

1. Apologies of absence

None

2. Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 1st March 2022

RESOLVED that the minutes were approved

3. Matters arising from the minutes

- Speed Sign reports have been downloaded and circulated.
- The Sykehouse 2000 Stones and the planted beds around this area are to be raised.
RESOLVED To leave for now in the growing season.
- Hedge Rows & Verges on Kirk Lane near the canal bridge & West End near 'Southfork' towards Carr Hill have still not been cut back.
RESOLVED to chase DMBC again.
- Grove Nook Corner needs red posts of warning of a bend.
RESOLVED to chase DMBC again
- A wall on Kirk Lane has been knocked down. Also, Mawson Green Junction with Marsh hills Lane.
RESOLVED to chase DMBC again.
- Cameras for the village are still being investigated.
RESOLVED not affordable option for the PC
- Potholes near Poplars Farm, Wood Lane, and Broad Lane (near Village Hall) were reported to have a lot of potholes in need of repairs.
RESOLVED to chase DMBC again
- Wormley Hall Lane onto Cowick Road has several large potholes.
RESOLVED to chase DMBC again

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- The West end of Sykehouse near the village stone sign has a post sign that has been hit and needs repairing.
RESOLVED to report to DMBC
- The footpath sign next to Diamond House on Bate Lane is rotten and broken. Needs replacing
RESOLVED to chase DMBC again

4. Financial Matters

000639 £12.63 Dollywood books

000640 £214 YLCA Annual Membership fee

000641 £50.57 DMBC Maintenance chg.

000642 £47.94 Defibrillator pads renewal

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

Cost of living increase in clerk's salary from YLCA

Annual Insurance Premium received

RESOLVED 5-year premium at £601.41 per annum

5. Playingfield/The Green

A discussion took place regarding where to site a Tennis court on the playing field. This would need permission from the Village Hall Committee

RESOLVED to investigate possible funding.

6. Projects

Platinum Jubilee June 2022 celebration.

Jubilee Flag for the Village Green & Extra Bunting

RESOLVED to purchase

Engraved stone. 15inch Cube was agreed

RESOLVED Councillor Charlie Jones to price up the stone

Any spare China Jubilee celebration mugs previously purchased would be sold at the Jubilee event at £6 each.

RESOLVED to advertise on Facebook before the event

Sykehouse Wombles (litter pickers) had been recruited and supplied with jackets, bin bags & litter pickers. Larger bins at the Village Hall have been requested.

Great British Spring clean litter pick is to be organised for Saturday 9th April 2022 at 10am meeting at The Village Hall.

7. Planning

Nothing to report

8. Correspondence

All Circulated and dealt with accordingly.

9. Website

All up to date.

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10. New Matter Arising

It was reported that the seat on Bate Lane/West Lane has been backed into by the 420 Bus on 29th March 2022. This has been reported to First buses.

Kirk Lane Road has a large drop off to the side/Kerb near Garth House Farm. Possibly a lorry has damaged the verge. This has been reported to DMBC along with photos.

11. Date & Time of next meetings

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

Tuesday 17th May 2022 AGM

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.10pm

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