

Number 542

MINUTES OF THE PICKMERE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 3rd MARCH 2009 AT PICKMERE VILLAGE HALL

PRESENT:

J Webb, V Brown, P Gough, C Wilcox-Baker, S Wilkinson, D Harris, R Pepall,
P Mather, N White (Auditor), Cheshire East Councillor Andrew Knowles.

PCSO Andrew Dolan also attended

APOLOGIES: R Fogerty (clerk)

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC- Mr and Mrs Howe, Mr Kuehnlie,

(The Minutes were taken by Ms Webb (Chair), as the Clerk was absent due to sickness)

1. MINUTES

Minutes of the last meeting accepted and signed by Chairperson JW.

2. MATTERS ARISING:

Nil

3. FINANCE

Account	Cheque Number	Signed by 2	To whom/for	Date	Amount £
Lakeside	100070	JW VB	R R Earl (hedge cut.)	3.3.09	50.00
General	101376	VB SW	Joan Webb (polish VH)	3.3.09	9.00
“	101377	JW SRW	R Fogerty	3.3.09	228.35
	101378	Error so	cancelled		
“	101379	JW VB	R Fogerty (expenses)	3.3.09	75.46

The balance in the General Account is as follows: Current £1001.30 and Deposit £3,823.28. The balance for the Lakeside Current is £1093.65 and Deposit £6,937.74. The Clerk had received verbal confirmation that the Council does not need to retain a PAYE Scheme. Await written information. Cheque for £2000.00 received as a Grant towards drainage of IROS area, from CCC.

4. OPEN FORUM

Mrs Howe reported that there will not be a 'Party at the Lake' this summer as there are insufficient volunteers. 'Sunday Teas' will commence the week after Easter.

Cllr. Knowles (Health and Wellbeing Portfolio Holder in Cheshire East Cabinet)) told us about plans for Cheshire East. Swimming for under 16 's and over 60's. Libraries to be more rural. Other projects taking place. SW informed us that £529,000 is left over for Highways at C.C.C. Tabley Road will have a complete will have a complete re-surface, and what is left will be used to patch up potholes etc. i.e. Frog Lane and others.

PCSO Dolan explained his duties when he starts in Pickmere. His hours are 40 per week, no definite shift times. The rotas will be decided by the Inspector. He is very familiar with Pickmere. Duty hours are 7am till midnight, and Pickmere will get 35% of his time. This does not mean that if there is an incident happening he would leave, he will stay until cleared. (Mobberley and Gt Warford are the other areas he will serve).

5. PARISH PLAN UPDATE

6. PLANNING

08/2584P Replacement Dwelling Detached garage and new access
Pickmere Grange Pickmere (Received and inspected during month by 4 Councillors)
Comments – Well researched and good presentation. No objection

09/0190P Erection of Garden Store at 32 Pickmere Lane Pickmere WA16 0JU
No Objection

7. CORRESPONDENCE

RF to write to Wilmslow Fire Station to object in principle to the new proposals and ask how we would be affected, we are a long way from Wilmslow.

8. NOTICE BOARD

CWB reported on progress. She had detailed form to fill in for Manchester Airport Grant of £2035.70. The one she is applying for has three areas, the centre panel being covered and locked, and will be for use by Parish Council. It is hoped also that it will have 2 'storage boxes' that can be used for information leaflets. SW will ask for permission to put on C.C.C. land

9. ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

JW, SW and RF had attended meeting at Mobberley, where Inspector Kate Woods and others informed us in detail of the PCSO's duties. (see Open Forum).

10. IROS

VB has applied for £2000.00 grant from Cheshire Community Action, for field drainage. Pickmere Community Group will donate towards this project, concerning drainage on the IROS field.

11. VILLAGE HALL

JW has left heating on 'low' in Village Hall, due to severe frosts recently. DH suggested 'frost stat.' to be fitted to allow over-ride in cold weather.

12. WEB SITE

DH will add details re. PCSO. The local bus timetable is now on, and photographs from Pickmere Photograph Society to be put on.

13. AOB

Pat Mather had attended a meeting at Plumley re. Tabley Estate. It will stay the same and farmhouses will be repaired and updated.

NEXT MEETING SET FOR 7th APRIL 2009

IN THE VILLAGE HALL

AT 7.30PM