



Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held Tuesday 6th September 2022 at 7 pm at the Pendle Room, St Nicholas Church.

Members Present

Chairman Councillor K Buckley
Councillor A Rickard
Councillor C Eaves
Councillor I Jackson,
Councillor James Smith
Councillor K Galea

1.	Apologies for Absence – Councillors S Clarke & Justin Smith, Borough Councillor R Newmark
2.	Declarations of Members Interest of items on the Agenda – None
3.	Public Participation – Parking close to the junction at St Nicholas Avenue & parking on pavements
Action	Articles on Facebook & Website
4.	Minutes of meeting held 5th July 2022
Resolved	Approved and signed
5.	Accounts for payment
Resolved	Approved as per schedule
6.	Planning Applications- none to date
6a.	Minutes of the Planning Meeting held 30th August 2022
Resolved	Approved and signed
7.	Highway Safety Issues – Slow Down Saves Lives banner will be moved periodically- suggested locations, school railings, Gate at cattle Grid on approach to village. A 2 nd banner will be requested from LCC. Discussions regarding approval for another SPID plate on Padiham Road.
Action	Sheep are frequently walking over the cattle grid. Article for Facebook and website asking for evidence to send to LCC.
Action	Practical Solutions for Road Safety meeting – 29 th September 16.30-18.00 at Chipping Village Hall arranged by RVBC and Andy Pratt , Deputy Police & Crime commissioner. Clr. K Galea will attend and Clr. Justin Smith will be advised of the meeting.
8.	Phonebox improvements Sabden collective has expressed an interest in assisting with the project. To be discussed at the October meeting when plans/costings are available.
9.	S106 monies for leisure Clr K Galea has spoken to the Football Club & Clr I Jackson has spoken to the Bowling Club both clubs are meeting to discuss proposals and will then present to the parish council. The Badminton Club & Cricket Club may benefit if they have proposals
Action	Football Field Councillors expressed concerns that dogs are running onto the football pitch as a garden fence has been removed and the garden is open to the pitch. Borough Councillor will be contacted for updates
10.	LANPAC Membership Consideration was given to membership -£50 per annum- but councillors struggled to see the



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	benefits.
11.	CCTV provision Clrs K Buckley & S Clarke visited Barley for a discussion meeting about CCTV. Before erecting CCTV its wise to do a feasibility study as cameras cannot be erected without specific reasons to do so. Ribble Valley BC will provide costings to councils and advise what grant aid is available. Police/Rural Task force will assist in identifying and assessing locations. Further information will be requested on grant funding available .
Action	
12.	Rospa Play Ground Report The annual Playground Inspection had been received & was reviewed. In the main the report was good with only a few remedial works required. The lengthsman will carry out as much of the work as he is able and other works will be referred to equipment manufacturer.
Action	
13.	FOR INFORMATION ONLY Playground Report No Change Borough Councillor Clr R Newmark in his absence sent details of a meeting being held at Littlemoor Sheltered Housing with Onward Homes. Clr K Galea reported grass cuttings are being left on the ground. Chairmans Report Clr K Buckley report a resident had sent a letter expressing concerns about parking on Pendleside Close on match days at the football club. Action Clr K Galea will speak with the football club asking them to communicate with their own and away supporters about irresponsible parking and being mindful of the residential area and driveways and gardens. Sabden Good News The parish council will be contributing regularly to this publication and will consider a donation at its Budget meeting. Councillors Items Concerns about the land off Pendle St East which has just been put up for sale. Any previous planning consents have now lapsed Overhanging branches at junction of White Hill and Black Hill.
14.	Date & Time of next meeting Tuesday 11 th October 2022 7pm at the Pendle Room , St Nicholas Church.

Accounts for payment

Howarth timber	Lengthsman materials	£18
P Hardman	Lengthsman	£1044
J Maunder	Lengthsman	£585
Play Safety Ltd	Play Area Inspection	£178.80
C Walton	Blacko Grass	£699.75
C Walton	Grass cutting	£692.08
Miles Fox	Prep/stone/Tarmacing	£1020
Barriers direct	Bollards for Bus shelter	£1273.63