



April 2018

Minutes of a meeting of the Parish Council held on Monday 9th April 2018 at 7.30pm in the Village Barn, Eastern Way, Heath & Reach.

Minutes

		Reporting / Action
980 980.1 980.2 980..3	<p>INTRODUCTION:</p> <p>Meeting Attendees: Cllrs Thyer, Malone, Inns, Green, Beilby, Gell, Clerk in attendance</p> <p>Apologies for Absence: Cllr Chivers, Owers, Fitzpatrick</p> <p>Declarations of Interest: None</p>	
981 981.1 981.2 981.3 981.4	<p>APPROVAL OF PARISH COUNCIL / COMMITTEE MINUTES:</p> <p>Approval of minutes from March 2018 Full Council Signed by Cllr Owers.</p> <p>Approval of minutes from March 2018 Sports and Recreation Committee signed by Cllr Malone</p> <p>Approval of minutes from March 2018 Cemetery Committee signed by Cllr Malone</p> <p>Approval of minutes from March 2018 Finance Committee Signed by Cllr Inns</p>	
982 982.2 982.3	<p>PUBLIC FORUM No one present</p> <p>Central Bedfordshire Councillor Mark Versallion</p> <p>Police Report Report previously circulated.</p>	
983 983.1 983.2 983.3	<p>MATTERS ARISING – for information only</p> <p>Speed Indicator devices location and installation. Still to be installed.</p> <p>Thrift Road fence update – this is now complete</p> <p>Crash Barrier update Birds Hill/Woburn Road. The Parish Council raised their concerns over the efficacy of this barrier, but CBC have said that a more robust barrier is not feasible.</p>	
984 984.1 984.2 984.3 984.4 984.5	<p>PARISH COUNCIL REPORT</p> <p>Clerk Report. Nothing further to add</p> <p>Planning & Environment Committee: Meeting to follow this evening</p> <p>Sports & Recreation Committee: Nothing to report</p> <p>Cemetery Management Committee: Nothing to report</p> <p>Finance Committee: Nothing to report</p>	
985 985.1	<p>MATTERS FOR RESOLUTION</p> <p>To amend the time of the parish council meetings. This was deferred until all councillors were present.</p>	
986 986.1 986.2 986.3	<p>Village Matters</p> <p>Thrift Road /British Legion Parking. Cllr Versallion reported at the earlier Annual Parish Meeting that he would push for a meeting with CBC</p> <p>Future for Bryants Lane Pavilion Clerk reported on discussions with a local architect, the boxing club and Woburn and Wavendon Football club. Preliminary plans to be made so that a budget can be set prior to consultation with the village. Plans to increase the area for new all weather pitches are also under discussion</p>	
986.4	<p>Recycling bins at Thrift Road There are two CBC recycling bins at the British Legion Car park. It was agreed that as very few people knew of their existence the removal would not adversely impact the village as there is a fortnightly bottle collection and recycling facilities at the Axe and Compass.</p>	

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987	FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	
987.1	Cashbook Summary & Bank Account Balances	
	Current Account £20,000.00	
	Reserve Account £74,922.23	
	Cheques	
	Markland Gardens £320.00	
	Francesca Sheppard £569.09	
	Francesca Sheppard expenses £33.29	
	Michele Green £54.00	
	Reynolds Landscaping £321.60	
	McGiff Electrical £102.00	
	WDF Builders £3,867.00	
	Direct Debits & Standing Orders	
	Cheaper Waste £153.79	
	British Gas £53.23	
	Anglian Water £105.50	
	M Redwood Green £43.33	
<u>988</u>	Administration	
	CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED Clerk has been contacted by a lady in Reach Lane who complained about sheep gaining access to her garden, Clerk to try and establish who owns the land.	
<u>989</u>	OTHER MATTERS of interest	
	Cllr Green reported that the belisha beacon at the zebra crossing on Birds Hill is not flashing. There has been a spate of fly tipping at Overend Green. Clerk to ask CBC about the possibility of CCTV in that area.	
	Cllr Thyer has received a complaint about the bins at the Cemetery being full. Clerk to ask Community Payback to put out each week.	
	Meeting closed at 7.40	