

**STAINBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL**  
**Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> April 2015**  
**At Hood Green Pavilion commencing 7.00 p.m.**

**Present:** Councillors Mr. I Glasby, Mr. S Lockwood-Dukes, Mrs. E Wright, Mrs. A Riley, Mr. K Taylor and Mr. B Moss (Clerk)

**In attendance:**

**1174. Apologies for Absence:** No apologies for absence were received.

**1175. To receive disclosures from Councillors on matters to be considered at the meeting:** No disclosures of personal and prejudicial interests were declared

**1176. To approve the minutes of the Council Meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> February 2015:** The minutes of the meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> February 2015, having been previously circulated, were approved as a true record.

**1177. Matters arising:**

**a. Pavilion – Refurbishment:** Brian Moss has asked Colin Davenport to proceed with the Repairs to Notice Board without success. Emma Wright to contact Colin directly to get a date for the work.

Brian Moss has applied for a Grant from Ward Funds for part of cost of door replacement but there were no funds left in 2014/2015 allowance. John Openshaw will resubmit the forms to the Ward Alliance once additional funds are available.

Countryside Environmental Landscapes have started the hedge laying and will complete prior to the nesting season.

**b. Safety at Stainborough Crossroads:** We have still not received the estimate for the purchase of our own Speed Indicator Device. Brian Moss to chase with Steve Croft.

**c. Parish Council Elections 2015:** Sam Lockwood-Dukes has returned the completed nomination packs to the Elections Office prior to the deadline of 4.00pm on 9<sup>th</sup> April. Applications have been submitted for Ian Glasby, Sam Lockwood-Dukes, Amanda Riley and Kelvin Taylor. Emma Wright has decided not to stand this time. The Elections Office will confirm whether the election will be declared as uncontested. It will be necessary to seek a suitable replacement for Emma.

**1178. Finance:**

**a. Payments to be authorised:**

K Jones, Cleaning of Pavilion	£14.25
B Moss, Clerks Salary & Expenses	£243.21
PAYE re Clerks Salary	£54.60
BMBC, Rates for Pavilion	£273.60
Dabar Fire Prevention, Maintenance of Fire Extinguishers	£37.66
YLCA, Subscription	£119.00
BMBC, Connection for Christmas Tree at Stainborough	£60.00

**b. Receipts:**

Nil

**1179. Reports of Committees:**

**a. Planning:**

BMBC Planning Regulatory Board Agenda, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – No items relating to SPC

**b. Playing Field:**

Nil

**c. Footpaths:**

Nil

**1180. Correspondence:**

- a. BMBC, Rights of way informal consultation, not in Parish
- b. John Openshaw, Green & Clean Commission event 23<sup>rd</sup> April
- c. Elaine White, Letter of thanks for new Cricket Club fencing
- d. SYPTE, Ways to buy a ticket following closure of Enquiry Offices
- e. Ian Turner, Parliament in the Making, Letter from Peter Luff MP

**1181. Venue, Date and Time of next meeting:** The next meeting will be held at Hood Green Pavilion on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2015.

**1182. Any other business:**

- a. The buses to and from Barnsley have become increasingly unreliable in the last few weeks and are often cancelled. John Butterworth has been in touch with SYPTE who are aware of the problems with this and other routes served by Tates. The Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency are monitoring Tates' performance. No action is needed by the PC at this stage but we may need to write to the SYPTE and DVSA if improvements are not made.
- b. The new bench purchased to commemorate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee needs to be treated with Teak Oil. Brian Moss asked whether there were any volunteers to do this. Kelvin Taylor agreed to carry out the work. Brian Moss to provide him with the Teak Oil.
- c. The local history group in Thurgoland are arranging a display of photographs of the area in conjunction with the Worsborough History Group. The event will take place on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2015 at Thurgoland Village Hall. Sam Lockwood-Dukes asked for the loan of our small red tables to help with the display. PC agreed to loan the tables, collection to be organized nearer the date.