

Meeting held at Gingle Pot Farm, Marske

On 9th May 2019 at 7:00pm

Present	Parish Councillors	Mr Nigel Phillips (NP)
		Mr Peter Coates (PC)
		Mr Martin Wallis (MW)
		Mr Eric Jarvis (EJ)
	Auditor	Mr Ian Scott
	Parish Clerk	Joanne Wallis (JW)

Cllr Phillips opened the meeting at 7.45pm

Action

1 Apologies – Mr R Ridley (RR)

2 Minutes of the meeting held on 7th Feb 2019

The minutes were read out for the Parish Council Meeting. No amendments were received. Cllr Phillips proposed and Cllr Coates seconded that the minutes were a true and correct record. Cllr Phillips and the Clerk signed the minutes.

3 Matters Arising

Spending of Precept Money

- The Wild Cherry Gem tree has been planted and fitted with a temporary guard. Quotes can now be obtained for an ornate tree guard.
- Obtain prices for solar lights to decorate trees in the village for Christmas 2019

PC

JW

The Parish council would appreciate any ideas and feedback so they can assess they are being effective with the precept spending.

An Emergency Contact Card has been drafted and approval obtained from Mr Patrick Murphy who performed the Defib training. Once printed the card will be issued to every household in the parish.

JW

Repair to cattle grid at Long Green - Damage to the cattle grid at Long Green has not been repaired.

Further correspondence was sent in January 2019 from the Parish Clerk to Highways Department which included current photos of the Cattle Grid. A response was received on 14 March 2019 *stating it is the responsibility of Barningham Estates to maintain the cattle grid and discussions are ongoing with the land agent to progress a repair/replacement. In the interim period we will monitor the area to ensure there are no safety related defects that need attention.*

Green Lane Skelton to Helwith – Repair work is due to commence in the ‘spring’.

An email is to be sent to Highways to suggest a Temporary Closure to be enforced during the winter months (Nov-April); this could prolong the life of any repairs.

JW

Subsidence near Downholme Bridge – *Highway Officer inspected this road on the 19th February and raised an order for some localised repairs. These repairs were completed on the 25th February.*

Safety barrier at the Rake on the road from Marske to Helwith- The barrier was reported a numbers of years ago and Highways were going to perform a Safety Review.

Response from Highways – *the barrier was fully inspected on 26/10/18 and was graded as a low priority for replacement in comparison to other vehicle restraint systems in the district. However, we will continue to monitor until such time as this qualifies for replacement.*

Potential Air Pollution due to heather burning – An email to be sent to RDC requesting the pollution levels to be monitored during the heather burning season. National Parks to be contacted to review their policies on heather burning.

JW

Investigate options for on-line banking for the Parish Council account.

JW

The waste bin near the phone box in the village is to have the base levelled. Hopefully this will prevent the bin from tipping forward and spilling its contents.

NP

Financial update, spending since last meeting –

4.	Balance as of		
	07/02/19	2008.91	
	07/02/19	150.00	Vision ICT – Website Subscription
	24/03/19	53.00	Yorkshire Local Council Association (not produced until 12/04/19)
	Total Spend	£203.00	
	Balance	£1805.91	

Parish Councillors Meetings –

27th March 2019 – National Planning Policy Framework – Nigel Phillips

5 Issues discussed within the Richmondshire Area

- Local Planning consultation, dealing with planning applications.
- Support for local area concerns with housing developments that are able to employ high powered solicitors to fight any objections.
- National Parks are falling below their target for creating new housing.
- Building at Catterick Garrison and Tunstall not under local planning authority as MOD.
- Creating housing for elderly within villages and local towns.

7th March 2019 – Parish Council Election Briefing – Joanne Wallis
Training to assist Clerks and Parish Councillors in the correct procedures to follow for the local Parish Council Elections.

6 Correspondence to the Clerk

Mr Oliver Leatham – 26/02/19 update on the Repair to Green Lane at Helwith

Mrs Jennifer Wallis – 9th May thanking Parish Council for the daffodil bulbs planted in the village.

7 Planning Applications

Full planning permission for erection of a Freestanding Power Coated Aluminium Glasshouse
Sited on a dwarf brick/stone work within the property at the Old Rectory, Church Road,
Marske Richmond North Yorkshire DL11 7NA - No objections raised.

8 Written Resolution – None

9 Public Representations - None

10 AOB- No issues raised.

11 The next meeting will be held on Thursday 1st August 2019 7pm at Gingle Pot Farm, Marske.

There being no other business the meeting was closed at 8:35pm.

..... Chairman

.....Clerk

Date