

## SMEATONS WITH HORNBY PARISH COUNCIL

### Minutes of Parish Meeting held on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2016 at 7.30pm in Black Bull Inn, Great Smeaton (side room).

**Present:** N Frost, G Lidster, G Fisher, G Tuer, N Temple, G Newnam

- 1. Absence:** P Spence
- 2. Minutes of meetings** - Parish Meeting held Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2016 minutes agreed and signed off.
- 3. Crime report** – The crime report received from PCSO Angie Preston was read and discussed.
- 4. Matters arising:**

**Parish Website** – Cllr Fisher will continue to add minutes to the website.

**Traffic** – A resident has expressed concern about speeding through Hornby .

Funding for IT Equipment – Funds have now been received to purchase a laptop and printer and also for a contribution towards admin and broadband costs incurred in setting up the Parish website. The money is to be removed from the Parish bank account as soon as possible to allow the purchase of equipment.

**Public Open Space, Sport & Recreation Action Plan** – Further to the letter received from HDC advising that an amount of £8910.16 is available to Smeatons & Hornby Parish Council to improve public open space, sport and recreational facilities, the decision has been taken to use some of the funding to purchase five picnic benches to be allocated in Great Smeaton and Hornby. The cost of these benches will be in the region of £2225.00 and £525.00 for installation costs. Chairman Frost will contact HDC to obtain district approval for this initial spend. The remaining funding will remain allocated to the Parish and will be utilised in the future.

**Dog Fouling** – Problem still exists although it has improved. Signs to remind dog walkers to clean up after their dogs are to be obtained. Cllr Frost is to make contact with the Council to investigate this further.

**Asset Register** – This is now up to date.

**5. Planning Applications**

**12A Church View, Great Smeaton** – above garage extension. No objections.

**Willow Grange, Little Smeaton** (change of use of agricultural building) – An appeal against the rejection of this application has been lodged with the Secretary of State.

**6. Finance**

Balance C/F from 30<sup>th</sup> March 2016 - £1413.90

Monies Received Since 30<sup>th</sup> March 2016

£878.50 – Parish Precept from HDC

Cheques Signed Off

The Old Saddlers Shop - £100.00 – contribution for TUG’s new planters for Great Smeaton.

Walkers Grasscutting - £208.80 – invoices 24 & 25

TOTAL = £308.80

**Bank Balance after above cheques cleared - £1983.60**

**Petty Cash Balance 25<sup>th</sup> May 2016 - £22.65**

**7. Correspondence**

Yorkshire Rose Update – This is a newsletter sent to Parishes that are members of the YLCA. A print out of this was discussed.

**8. AOB**

**Notice Boards** – The notice boards in Great Smeaton and Hornby are in need of maintenance. Cllr Spence to follow this up.

**9. Date of next meeting** – Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2016.

Signed:..... Date:.....