
**Minutes of the East Clandon Parish Council Meeting
held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 12th November 2014 at 7.45pm**

Present Sibylla Tindale, Ray Corstin, Ian Peacock, Clare Goodall, Al Mundy, Cllr Bill Barker
2 members of the public
In Attendance Mary Leech (parish clerk)
Apologies Cllr Jenny Wicks, Cllr Jen Powell

Item	Action
14/096 Apologies for absence Cllr Jenny Wicks; Cllr Jen Powell	
14/097 Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest None	
14/098 Minutes of the meeting of Wednesday 1st October 2014 Signed by the Chairman as a correct record.	
14/099 Matters arising, not dealt with below as separate agenda items	
a. <u>Item 14/087a Shere Hill Climb</u> . We have now been informed that £1300 has been donated to Cherry Trees. The organisers of the event hope to be in attendance at our February meeting, 2015.	ST
b. <u>Item 14/087b. Footpath 74 maintenance</u> . The prospective new owner of Clandon Manor farm was in attendance at this meeting and told councillors that he will contact Mark Savage about the condition of the hedge, with a view to repair and maintenance work being carried out.	
c. <u>Item 14/ 093. War memorial</u> . Paul Richardson is still awaiting a third quote for the work to repair the names on the Memorial; we can then apply to the War Memorial Trust for financial assistance.	
d. <u>Item 14/094 Dates for 2015 meetings</u> . Some dates cannot yet be finalised. Mary will liaise with Bug for availability of the hall for possible alternatives for the February meeting.	ML
e. <u>Item 14/095: b(i). Grass mowing</u> . The recreation Ground grass has now been mown adequately. At present there is no-one available/willing to mow the grass of the paths across The Common; a ride-on mower is necessary.	
f. <u>Item 14/095:d. Position of Parish Clerk</u> . Mary will prepare an advert for the position, to be circulated on the village email and also in the parish magazine.	ML
14/100 Financial Matters	
a. <u>Report for the month</u> . Copies of the Report until the end of September were available for councillors' inspection. (October's Statement not yet received from Nat West.) Closing balance at end of September £11,449:10p.	
b. <u>Budget for 2015</u> . The finalized Budget was presented, and accepted by the council.	

14/101	Planning Matters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <u>New applications</u>. None b. <u>ECPC Response to Clandon Manor Farm Application 14/P/01878</u>. This was sent to GBC Planning Department for their consideration. c. <u>GBC Local Plan</u>. Clare will be investigating local Council responses to GBC's Strategic Housing Marketing Assessment, with the hope that this will be revised in the New Year. Sibylla told the council that she is arranging for a meeting between the Leader of GBC Council, Stephen Mansbridge, and other parish council chairmen in this Ward; this will also be in the New Year. 	CG ST
14/102	Risk Assessment Updates.	All risk assessments have now been carried out. Any necessary follow-ups will be considered at the next meeting.	ML
14/103	Tennis Court Cleaning	Because of the high level of moss on the court, it was decided that cleaning is necessary as soon as possible. There are several players who use the court through the winter months. The estimate for this work is in the region of £330. Sibylla to arrange.	ST
14/104	Bonfire in Sawpit Lane	Following the removal of a small dead tree, there is now adequate safe space for a bonfire. At the same time, there was a suggestion about the possibility of having a "Village Bonfire Night" in 2015. A small committee will be set up during 2015 to discuss a possible venue and details.	(all)
14/105	The Common	<u>Post and rail fencing; gated access</u> . It was decided that two new field gates need to be installed (in the west and the east fences) together with spaces for pedestrian access. The work will be carried out by Juniper Fencing, commencing as soon as possible. (Estimate for £1236). Paul Richardson is liaising with the Contractors.	
14/106	Golf Course at East Horsley.	The Drift Golf Club wants to remake parts of the golf course. Although not directly involved, East Clandon Parish Council will write to GBC telling of their concern about the huge number of large lorry movements anticipated on local roads.	ST
14/107	Any other business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <u>Replacement bench by the village pond</u>. Adam Johnson (recently moved away from the village) will remove the bench by the pond, originally given in memory of his father, and replace it with another of a similar style. b. <u>Annual pond maintenance</u>. The contractor (David Smithers) plans for 2 days work in December (according to weather conditions). c. <u>Garden contractor</u>. Ray told the meeting that the 3-year contract for our village gardener, Jim Bacon, expires in June 2015, and its renewal must be discussed in the New Year. 	(all)

In the absence of further business, the meeting closed at 9pm

**The next meeting of East Clandon Parish Council will be on
Wednesday 7th January 2015.**

Mary Leech, Clerk to East Clandon Parish Council,
18th November 2014
