

**MINUTES OF MORLEY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON THURSDAY 16.6.11 AT MORLEY SCHOOL**

PRESENT J Last (Chair) A Daykin (Vice Chair), J Queenborough, M Coldicott, R Taylor
Erewash Borough Councillor Alan Summerfield
6 members of the public were present.

0041 APOLOGIES Councillor B Gregory, PC Crooks, Councillor C Hart, Councillor A Stevenson

0042 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

0043 OPEN MEETING

A member of the public mentioned the hole in the allotment wall. Councillor Last confirmed that Councillor Queenborough and himself had met with the original contractor. It was agreed the hole appears to have been made by a vehicle. The original contractor confirmed he would send a revised quote to the clerk. **ACTION:** The clerk to chase the revised quote.

A member of the public expressed their concern at the state of Lower Church Lane grass verges and the height of the nettles. It appears that this part of the lane has been missed. **ACTION:** The clerk to contact the relevant authority and report this.

Councillor Last reported a number of parishioner issues that had been raised. Former Councillor Andy Twigge has taken up the issue relating to the need to spray the footpath with the appropriate authority.

The use of Church Lane/Lime Lane by overweight lorries. Councillor Last will take up with PC Crooks. Hargreaves Lorries are still speeding **ACTION:** Councillor Last.

Litter predominantly McDonalds in the area. **ACTION:** The clerk to report.

0044 POLICE MATTERS

Nothing to report.

0045 NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Nothing to report.

0046 MINUTES OF PARISH MEETING AND ANNUAL MEETING HELD 19.5.11

RESOLVE: That the Minutes of both meetings held on 19.5.11 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

0047 MATTERS ARISING

Councillor Summerfield reported back on behalf of Abey Stevenson to answer the question on minute number 0022 Questions on reports from the Annual Meeting on the 19.5.11. Councillor Summerfield also confirmed that an Equalities Officer was required by law.

0048 REPORT OF THE CLERK ON:-**Correspondence sent**

DCC P Beckett Complaint about Lower Church Lane
 EBC Progress Chase Moses Lane
 Milner McCrea letter ref The Butter Cross
 EBC Planning ref Broomfield College Planning Application
 Sheila Randall The Butter Cross
 The Spinney/The Moorings Grass Cuttings letter
 Belvoir Cottage Update

Correspondence for Information

DCC P Beckett confirmation of works to Lower Church Lane
 DCC Part Night Street Lighting Questionnaire
 Parish and Town Council Liaison Forum on 23.6.11
 Small Charities Week
 EBC Planning Committee Agenda and Minutes 1.6.11
 EBC Council Meeting Dates
 EBC Planning Committee Meeting Dates
 Ilkeston Carnival 11.6.11

DALC Circulars

29/11, 30/11, 31/11

0049 PLANNING

There were no objections to the following planning application:- ERE/0511/0020 Quarry Farm, Quarry Road Retention of a double garage.

ERE/0411/0044 Derby College Broomfield Site Erection of new indoor equestrian centre

A letter has been sent to Erewash Borough Council Planning Department regarding concerns of the following planning application. Councillor Queenborough has drafted two further letters one to Erewash Borough Council Planning Policy Manager and one to the Principal of Broomfield College to note the Parish Council concerns. **ACTION:** The clerk to send both letters.

0050 GENERAL EXPENDITURE & FINANCIAL MATTERS

RESOLVE: The following cheques were approved for payment:-

	£	Cheque no
Laura Storey		
Clerk Salary & Expenses	138.36	926
HMRC		
Clerk - June Contribution	26.70	927
Ian F Baylis		
Internal Audit	63.65	928
Morley School Association		
Prizes	65.00	929
Total	293.71	

The clerk confirmed that the Internal Audit had taken place and the Annual return for the year ended 31 March 2011 was signed by Councillor Last. **ACTION:** Clerk to send to the Audit Commission.

0051 ALLOTMENTS

ACTION: Councillor Last to draft the Allotment Rental letters and contract amendment.

0052 MOTORCROSS TRACK ACORN WAY ARTICLE 4

Councillor Queenborough explained the use of Article 4. There has been no feedback from Erewash Borough Council further to the Parish Council letter in November 2010. **ACTION:** Clerk to follow this up.

0053 SPEEDING ON THE A608 AFTER "OFFICE HOURS"

Councillor Coldicott raised the issue of speeding on the A608 especially from 7.00 pm onwards. It was agreed that it would be of benefit if a speedwatch could be organised. **ACTION:** Clerk to contact PC Crooks

0054 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

0055 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

21 July 2011

Meeting closed at 8.10 pm