

MINUTES OF GISBURN PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON THURSDAY 19 MAY 2022
AT 7.30 PM IN THE FESTIVAL HALL, GISBURN

Present: Keith Kirby (Chair), Colin Corlett, Darren Jackson, Jo Smith
Clerk

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Katrina Hartley, Borough Cllr Richard Sherras

MINUTES OF MEETING OF 20 APRIL 2022

The minutes of the meeting of 20 April 2022 were accepted as a true record of proceedings at that meeting and duly signed.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Current Account (Lloyds) £10,759

ACCOUNTS FOR APPROVAL

Information Commissioner	Data protection fee	£40.00
BHIB Ltd	Annual insurance premiums	£336.64
Mr I Woolstencroft	Internal audit fee	£20.00
LALC	Annual subscription	£119.96
Joanne Smith	Reimbursement for vinyl	£19.89

PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND MATTERS

3/2022/0356 Temporary storage warehouses Gisburn Auction Mart

3/2022/0401 Steel frame building for office and milking parlour Higher Greenhead Farm, Sawley

*3/2022/0272 Regularisation of agricultural dwelling and 4 agricultural/working dog kennels,
Smith Meadow Farm*

3/2022/0410 Various The Priory, Hellifield Road, Gisburn

It was agreed that no objections should be filed regarding the above applications although it was noted that an objection should be raised if there was an attempt to increase the size of The Priory.

PARISH LENGTHSMAN

It was reported that the parish lengthsman had acknowledged receipt of the e-mail advising of jobs to be done on the Recreation Ground prior to the Jubilee celebration. The grass cutting contractor has also advised he would cut the grass as close as possible to the day of the Jubilee event.

ASSETS OF COMMUNITY VALUE ("ACVs")

The Clerk advised that three areas of the village had been previously registered as ACVs but that the registration had expired after 5 years. It was agreed that applications should be made for all three areas to be re-registered with RVBC as ACVs. The Clerk noted that certain ownership or occupancy details may have changed so would require updating.

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE 2022

It was reported that arrangements were well on course for the Jubilee celebrations. Particular thanks were expressed to Katrina Hartley and to Gisburn Young Farmers for their efforts in arranging the Jubilee event. The Clerk advised that the £500 received from RVBC for Jubilee celebrations was intended to be spent solely on the Jubilee so anyone who had incurred expenditure regarding the event should be encouraged to come forward for reimbursement.

The Clerk advised that an application had been made to RVBC for one of the 70 trees to be planted across the Borough in honour of the Jubilee. A site in the old church yard had been suggested for the tree which it was hoped would be a flowering cherry.

DEFIBRILLATOR/FORMER BT KIOSK UPDATE

The appropriate electrical work was still being awaited so Darren Jackson offered to speak to the electrician to try and speed up the process. Joanne Smith advised she had purchased some vinyl to make some signs for the kiosk.

HIGHWAYS AND FOOTPATHS

The situation regarding the damaged wall at the end of Bentlea Road/entrance to the car park was discussed. Jo Smith reported that ownership issues were being investigated. It was agreed that the matter should be sorted by the insurers of the motorist who had caused the damage and it was confirmed that the identity of the motorist was known.

GISBURNE PARK FESTIVAL

A summary of a meeting which had taken place with representatives of Gisburne Park regarding their forthcoming Wellness Festival was provided. It was further reported that RVBC's ESAG group had met on the same day and had also discussed the event. It was confirmed that, following the issues at the bonfire, the police were insisting on a meeting with Festival organisers prior to the event to specifically discuss traffic management issues. It was noted that there would be a large lamb sale at the Auction Mart on the weekend of the Festival which should be brought to the attention of ESAG as the village would already be busy for this reason.

It was agreed that a watch be kept on licensing applications in order to know if Gisburne Park applied for a license which could have negative repercussions for the village.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

It was suggested that “No fouling” signs be purchased for the grass at the Memorial Gardens as people had been seen allowing their dogs to wander onto this area.

It was reported that the new goal posts were proving to be very popular and that the users had been reminded to take away all their litter with them.

It was agreed that the bins at the entrance to the Festival Hall car park be removed in an attempt to encourage people to take away their own litter.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday 16 June 2022 at 7.30 pm in the Committee Room, Festival Hall

