

**Minutes of the Meeting of
Gisburn Parish Council held on
Thursday 17 May 2010 at 7.30 pm
In the Festival Hall, Gisburn**

Present: Cllrs Falshaw (Chair), Kirby, Ryde, Tyrer, Clerk and 2 members of the public

Apologies: Colin Corlett, Borough Cllr Sherras

Minutes of the Meeting of 13 May 2010

The Minutes of the meeting of 13 May 2010 were accepted as a true record of proceedings at that meeting and duly signed.

Police Report

In the absence of Susan Hartley this item was not considered.

Clerk's Report (Verbal)

The Clerk advised that Mary Kirby and Matt Absolom would be attending the SpID training course run by Lancs CC in Preston on Monday 21 June 2010 following which they would both be qualified and appropriately insured to assist with SpID deployment.

The Clerk advised that she had spoken with RVBC about the possibility of obtaining another type of bin for the Festival Hall Car Park and that RVBC would look into the matter.

It was noted that a resident of Gisburn had e-mailed regarding the problems of dog fouling in the village and it was agreed that this matter had been comprehensively discussed at the May 2010 meeting and that additional dog waste bins would not be requested from RVBC.

Financial Statement

Deposit Account	£2,184.31
Current Account	£4,557.88
Skipton BS Account (Festival Hall)	£11,668.44
Skipton BS Account (Parish Council)	£4,016.70

The Clerk advised that interest had been added to the Deposit Account and the two Skipton BS accounts in May 2010.

Accounts for Approval

Matt Absolom (Lengthsman)

£TBA

Year End 2009/10 Matters

The Clerk advised that the Annual Return and supporting documentation had been submitted to the external auditors by the deadline date of 11 June 2010 and, as yet, nothing further had been heard.

Planning Applications

The Clerk advised that she had passed on the comments to the RVBC Planning Department regarding the application by Hindelinis. An objection by the Parish Council had been filed regarding the application to build an agricultural building on land next to the school.

Parish Lengthsman

It was noted that Matt Absolom was attending the village each week at present to keep on top of the strimming and care of the Cenotaph Gardens. The Chair reported that he had received positive comments on the work of the new lengthsman. It was agreed that the cutting of the hedge on the Festival Hall Car Park could be undertaken by the lengthsman at appropriate intervals. Peter Ryde commented that RVBC had been active in the village recently undertaking weed killing and cleaning pavements so this had also had a positive impact on the appearance of the village.

Correspondence/Items for information

None

Any Other Business

It was noted that the Cubs wished to hold a summer barbecue on the Playing Fields on the evening of Thursday 15 July 2010 and it was agreed this should be permitted.

The problem of vehicles, including larger vehicles, using Bentlea Road and exiting via the archway was discussed and it was agreed that appropriate signs, advising of a height/weight restriction, could perhaps be requested from Lanes CC. It was noted that the "No Access" signs which used to be at the junction of the A682 with Bentlea Road had been removed and not replaced when the Car Park was being re-surfaced. It was suggested that, as well as representations to the County Council from the Parish Council

regarding the signs, it would be a good idea if some residents of Bentlea Road also wrote on an individual basis.

Peter Ryde reported that at a recent meeting with Guy Hindley it had been indicated that the high fencing on the A59 around the Playing Fields, opposite the Auction Mart, could be removed and replaced by more appropriate fencing.

Mr Giles Bridge advised that a TV production company would be filming in the village during the third week of July 2010 and would be filming at a summer barbecue to be held on 19 July 2010. Due to sensitivities Mr Bridge advised that the reasons for the filming could not be made public in the village in advance but the Parish Council were made aware of the film's purpose.

Date of Next Meeting

Thursday 19 August 2010 at 7.30 pm

It was decided that there would be no Parish Council meeting in July 2010.

