

**KNEESALL, KERSALL & OMPTON PARISH COUNCIL**

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING**

**11 DECEMBER 2018**

**Present:** T Kirk (Chairman), P Davies & B Allebon

**Apologies:** Ms M Lissaman, Mrs E Fidler, R Taylor, C Cutts, Cty Cllr B Laughton & Dst Cllr Mrs S Michael

**Public Participation:** Mrs J Spolton

**Minutes of the Previous Meeting – 23 October 2018 – were approved.**

**T Kirk/B Allebon**

**Matters Arising from the Minutes:**

**Harry Johnson Award** – The entry (Old Village Hall Renovation to a Pre-School Nursery) was unplaced

**Dog Waste Bin** – Ongoing

**Interactive Speed Sign** – Installation week commencing 17 December 2018

**War Memorial Plaque** – Was on display at the Remembrance Day Service which was well attended and will be installed officially on Mothering Sunday. Barry Binch played the “Last Post & Reveille” the children “planted” crosses in memory of the fallen. The retiring collection raised £220.50 for the Royal British Legion.

**Cllr R Tylor** – It was advised that Cllr Taylor had arranged for a defibrillator to be ordered and will be installed at Kneesall School who are funding 50% of the cost and the Parish Council the other 50%.

**Declaration of Interest:** None

**Correspondence:** Received

26/10 – NALC – AGM Agenda for 14 November 2018

26/10 – Cllr B Laughton – Local Improvement Scheme Capital Fund – **Invitation to Mr N Brown of Kneesall/Thoresby Estates to attend the next meeting.**

29/10 – Rogue Data Breaches

29/10 – Notts CC – Local Government Re-organisation

29/10 – NSDC – Planning – None affecting Kneesall, Kersall & Ompton

31/10 – Perennial Landscapes – Seeking to quote for ground maintenance

31/10 – Next Steps Neighbourhood Planning – Seminar Birmingham 23/01/2019 – **Re-circulated.**

02/11 – Notts CC – Footpath Closures to motor vehicles at Kersall & Farnsfield

07/11 – NSDC – Survey “Making Newark & Sherwood Cleaner, Safer & Greener – **Chairman had completed and returned the survey.**

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10/11 – “Looch” (Ompton resident) via Richard Lawrence – Website local business complaint.

12/11 – Notts CC – Waste Re-cycling Competition & other information.

13/11 – NALC – Reimbursement of Carer’s Costs – Information

13/11 – NSDC – Planning – None affecting Kneesall, Kersall & Ompton

15/11 – Town & Country Grounds – Seeking to quote for ground maintenance

15/11 – Neighbourhood Policing – New Inspector appointed – Insp Heather Sutton

19/11 – Nick Brown, Kneesall Estates Neighbourhood Plan & future housing needs.

**Mr Brown to be invited to the next Parish Council Meeting.**

19/11 – Notts CC – “Modern Slavery”

21/11 – Kenneth Goddard – Offering services as an internal auditor for PC Accounts at the end of the financial year. Fee of £150. KKO PC are below the necessary audit threshold.

21/11 – Notts CC – “Modern Slavery”

21/11 – Notts CC – Consultation “Fair Access Protocol”

23/11 – Neighbourhood Policing – Stakeholder Update

23/11 – NALC – New Regulations re Accessibility of websites.

26/11 – NSDC – Planning – None affecting Kneesall, Kersall & Ompton

27/11 – Hayes Landscaping – Seeking to quote for ground maintenance

30/11 – Robert Jenrick MP – Newsletter

30/11 – Insp Heather Sutton – Rural Policing (Stakeholders) update

**Out**

Various emails regarding the War Memorial Plaque – Now received & waiting to be officially installed on Mothering Sunday 31 March 2019.

**Poppies – Royal British Legion:** The Clerk had obtained a variety of different poppies from the RBL to enhance the Remembrance Day services and requested that a donation be made to the Legion. **It was moved by T Kirk and seconded by P Davies at a donation of £40 be made to the Royal British Legion. Carried**

**Kneesall Village Community:** Discussion to take place at the next Parish Council Meeting. A dinner has been arranged for Monday 17 December 2018 at the Rajdhaani.

**Finance:** Clerk’s Fee £83.33 Postage & Stationery £4.55

War Memorial Plaque £256.80 Ultimate Print Knatter & Rem Sunday £75.00

Donation Royal British Legion £40.00 **T Kirk/P Davies**

**Planning:** None affecting Kneesall, Kersall & Ompton

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**County Councillor – B Laughton** Sent his apologies  
**District Councillor – Mrs S Michael** Sent her apologies

**Prospective Councillors:** Carried forward to next meeting

**Chairman's Comments:**

**The Kneesall Knatter** will, sadly, no longer be printed by Ultimate Print. Various options are being explored to allow the continued publication of The Knatter hopefully in a similar format to the latest editions.

The Heritage Centre/St Bartholomew's Church has been thoroughly cleaned throughout and Christmas lights installed outside.

**Other Matters:**

**Angel Buildings & Site** – There has been little or no action since the site was cleared and Councillors queried what was planned for the site. It is believed planning is being sought to build 4 houses on the site. Further information may possibly be available from Mr R Lawrence.

**Cllr P Davies –**

- The Ompton telephone box on Flash Lane requires painting.
- He raised the question of hall charges for the Community Centre but this will be deferred until after the next joint committee meeting.
- Flash Lane Flooding – Apparently a power pole is interfering with the drain that is backing up and contributing to the causes of the flooding when wet. The pole is being moved to a slightly different location to allow work to be undertaken on the drain.
- There has been an attempted break in on Flash Lane.

**Next Meeting:** 15 January 2019

**Meeting Close:** 8.45pm