

Marshfield Parish Council held a meeting on Tuesday 5th July 2022 at 7.00pm in Tolzey Hall

Cllrs present: Cllr H Finnegan Cllr A Christie Cllr D Brooks
 Cllr B Veitch Cllr R Snow

Cllr S Reade

+ 4 members of the public

Apologies: Cllr B Homent, Cllr G LeMasonry, Cllr P Hogben

Confirmation of previous minutes

Proposed by Cllr Veitch, seconded by Cllr Christie, carried unanimously.

Items from the public

Resident asked Cllr Reade about the state of the verges, especially in narrow lanes. PC to chase up Streetcare and copy Cllr Reade on the correspondence.

Matters arising

- a) Highway Matters – verges and Trees on A420 need attention. PC to speak with Streetcare.
- b) Marshfield Outdoor Recreation Association – Nothing.
- c) Marshfield Community Land Trust – Moving forward positively.
- d) Sustainable Marshfield – LNAP nearing completion.

Planning

9 Barn End. Works to fell 1 Leylandii tree. P22/03563/TCA

No Objection proposed by Cllr Christie, seconded by Cllr Brooks, carried unanimously.

Approved Planning

Land At Tanners Lane Tanners Lane. Works to crown reduce 1 Horse Chestnut tree. P22/03042/TCA

5 Tormarton Road. Creation of a vehicular access. P22/02590/F

Marshfield Cricket Club Ashwicke Road. Demolition of existing club house and erection of new club house with other associated works. P22/00921/F

44 High Street. Erection of single storey side/rear extension to provide additional living accommodation and ground level alterations within rear garden. P21/06942/F P21/06941/LB

The Manor Church Lane. Works to fell 1 horse chestnut and 1 Beech tree. P22/02830/TCA

Community Centre Grant

The Community Centre had previously requested a grant to help with the essential improvements to the small hall.

After consideration the PC approved the grant for the full amount of £15,000.00

Proposed by Cllr Veitch, seconded by Cllr Christie, carried unanimously.

Village Benches

PC still in correspondence with SGC re village benches to be located in Fairfield Close, Sheepfair Lane and adjacent to Weir Pool.

Recycled benches are available from £290 plus installation and the concrete pads have been costed at £380 per location. An additional bench to be purchased for the Bus Shelter, no pad required here.

Propose PC use some of the CIL monies to pay for this.

Proposed by Cllr Brooks, seconded by Cllr Snow, carried unanimously.

Cemetery Architrave Repair

Matt Harrison has quoted £420 to make and fit 4 new Cemetery roof support posts. PC to check that the wood will be pressure treated and sealed.

Proposed by Cllr Brooks, seconded by Cllr Veitch, carried unanimously.

Weir Pool

Cllr Veitch requested that Aquaflora be contacted to re quote for the installation of a liner in Weir Pool.

PC to also follow up a contact with Natural England to ensure that the Pool is conserved and protected as being of historical significance.

Correspondence

Claire Hope and Tim Richards - re purchasing a plot in the Cemetery at Resident Rates. The PC discussed. Cllr Veitch proposed to reject this request, seconded by Cllr Christie with a majority agreement. The Cemetery notice wording to be discussed at the next meeting.

Wendy Hope – re Cemetery Waste Bins. PC to post up the new bins onto the PC FB page with an explanation. Stones and skip to be removed asap.

Trevor – re Benches.

Re Farm Pool – circulated. An apology from Dan Smith was issued by Cllr Brooks, Dan was absent due to Covid. Individual apologies will be sent out and the members informed of the corrections.

Finance

After the following transactions the balances are: C/A £24,016.59 D/A £85,247.77 NatWest £33,232.57

ICO	£35.00	Data Protection Subscription
British Gas	£24.07	Electricity at Tolzey hall
Nest	£120.71	Pension Payments
HMRC	£2,001.45	Qtr 1 Tax and NI payments
Prestige Grounds	£1452.00	Grass at Withymead, Cemetery and Ponds
Bendry Brothers	£1,497.68	Materials for Cemetery Waste Bins
Matt Harrison	£1,500.00	Labour for works at Cemetery 20-24 June.
British Telecom	£56.64	Broadband and Telephone at Office
South Glos Council	£34.70	Litter collection at Withymead
EDF Energy	£19.10	Gas at Pavilion

Finance Schedule proposed by Cllr Christie, seconded by Cllr Veitch, carried unanimously.

District Councillor Feedback

Input given throughout meeting, in addition Cllr Reade advised that SGC have been briefed to support MCLT wherever they can.

Matters for Discussion

Thank you to John Barnett for meeting with the PC to share his knowledge of the birds nesting and foraging at Ringswell Common.

Ringswell update for next meeting.

Western Power has been approached re trees in contact with overhead wires. PC to advise Wessex Water of these discussions.

Date of Next Meeting – 19th July 2022 in Tolzey Hall

Meeting closed at 8.10pm

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