

BRIMINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Brimington Parish Council Meeting held at Brimington Community Centre,
Heywood Street, Brimington on 13 June 2023 at 7:00pm

In Attendance: P Cawthorne, I Christian, L Collins, D Culley, C Nicholls, S Perkins, S Sanderson, S Yates Also: E Boswell – Clerk and G McGuchan – Community Centre and Events Organiser

24/23-24 Apologies for Absence

Councillors I Callan and J Williamson

25/23-24 Variation of Order of Business

None required

26/23-24 Declaration of Members Interests

Councillor Yates – Item 11 Planning

27/23-24 Public Speaking

- (a) No report
- (b) No report
- (c) No report

28/23-24 To determine which items if any part of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded

None

29/23-24 Chair's Announcements

Chesterfield in Bloom – Planting is taking place on Thursday 15 June 2023 at 10.00pm on the Green.

30/23-24 Minutes

To confirm the previously circulated Minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday 16 May 2023

Resolved: Subject to the deletion of Councillor Cawthorne off the attendance list and to amend Christina to Christian at 4/23-24 to sign the minutes as a true and accurate record

31/23-24 General Power of Competence

For Council to assess eligibility for the General Power of Competence

Resolved: That the Council meets the eligibility criteria.

Resolved: To adopt the General Power of Competence.

32/23-24 Finance

(a) Current Account Reconciliation for April 2023

Resolved: To note the reconciliation

(b) Reserve Account Reconciliation for April 2023

Resolved: To note the reconciliation

(c) Expenditure and Income against Budget at 30 April 2023

Resolved: To note the report

(d) Grant Request from Henry Bradley Infant School

To help support a whole school family trip to the coast; ensuring that it is affordable for all families.

Resolved: To grant £1,000 from the Community Infrastructure Levy – social infrastructure category.

33/23-24 Income and Payment of Accounts

Income

Room Hire

£1049.00

Community Infrastructure Levy	£27,199.31
Bank Interest	£58.37
Total	£28,306.68

Payments

006383	ASI Security Systems – Alarm Maintenance	£450.00
006384	D Culley – Chairs Allowance	£20.36
006385-88	Wages	£3797.44
006389	HMRC – PAYE and NIC	£509.52
DD	NEST Pension	£100.94
DD	SSE – Gas	£422.73
DD	Onecom – Telephone and Internet	£96.25
DD	SSE – Electricity	£657.15
Total		£6054.39

Resolved: To approve and sign the cheques

34/23-24 Planning Applications

CHE/23/00258/FUL – 5 Southmoor Close, Brimington – Demolition of existing garage and covered area and construction of single storey extension to create bedrooms and shower/wc

Resolved: To raise no objection

Planning Decision

CHE/23/00222/TEL – Junction between Rother Avenue and Station Road – 15m high slimline monopole supporting 6 no antennas, 3 no equipment cabinets and ancillary development thereto - REFUSED

35/23-24 Meeting Reports

(a) Crime Figures

The crime figures for April 2023 show 60 reported crimes compared to 59 for the same period in 2022 and 93 in 2021 and 84 in 2020. These include 9 – Anti-Social Behaviour, 4 – Criminal Damage / Arson, 23 – Violence, 11 - Public Order, 5 – Other Theft, 2 – Burglary, 1 – Other Crime, 2 – Shoplifting, 1 – Possession of Weapons and 2 drugs.

(b) Community Centre

To set date for Community Centre Management Committee Meeting.

Resolved: To meet at 6.00pm on 11 July 2023

To consider offer of television for the Bar Room and associated costs.

Resolved: To accept the offer and purchase a TV Licence

To consider purchase of stair climber for lifting heavy objects up stairs

Resolved: To purchase a stair climber.

(c) Lunch Club

To consider grant provision of free meals for school children during the summer holidays.

Resolved: To offer free lunch boxes to children on a pre-booked basis each Tuesday during the summer holidays, (ensuring allergy check).

Resolved: To ask County Councillor Collins if a grant would be available for the project.

(d) Events

Late Summer Event – To take place on 9 September 2023 in conjunction with the Scouts. Lots of ideas and suggestions were put forward.

Resolved: To set a budget of up to £5,000

Resolved: Once event organisation is underway for a risk assessment to be carried out and the insurance company contacted

Photographic Competition – The closing date is 22 July, the competition will be judged by the Mayor and Mayoress early August.

Resolved: To contact local Schools to encourage children to enter.

Puppet Show and games – 14 October 2023 between 3.30pm and 5.30pm. The cost is £250 for a two hour performance. Tickets to be priced at £2.50 and this will include sweets and orange squash.

Resolved: To note

Community Cinema – A cinema for singalong evenings with the bar open, children’s film events and films for older people. The current entertainment licence covers this additional usage. The approximate costs are:

Projector £250.00, Sound Bar £100.00, Tripod £30.00, Screen £45.00 and film licence £249.00

Resolved: To approve the expenditure.

(e) Cemetery Chapel Bell

A request for Chesterfield Borough Council to fund half of the cost of re-siting the Chapel bell in the Cemetery has been made. The response has come back that this is not possible out of the Cemetery budget.

Resolved: To fund the re-siting of the Cemetery Chapel Bell from the Physical Infrastructure of the Community Infrastructure Levy.

(f) Speed Camera on Ringwood Road

The speed data was forwarded to the Police and the CREST team, the site is not considered as high risk and therefore does not meet the criteria for a mobile camera.

Resolved: The Council has attempted to meet with the resident’s request, but other areas have a higher level of speeding traffic.

(g) Remembrance Parade

With regard to the correspondence stating that the Police will not be in attendance at the Remembrance Parade, a rather contradictory letter has been received from the Chief Constable’s Office. A letter has been sent to attempt to find out the actual situation.

Resolved: To apply for the road closure in the usual way and await the outcome.

36/23-24 Literature / Correspondence

Email from resident

- complaint on the state of High Street – litter and dog fouling has been forwarded to street cleansing at Chesterfield Borough Council and more information has been requested on other matters including parking and noise issues.

Chesterfield Canal Trust

- Newsletter 182

Derbyshire Association of Local Councils

- May second Newsletter

Derbyshire County Council

- Temporary Road Closure – 30 June 2023 to 10 July 2023 at Brimington Road North between its junction with Whittington interchange to its junction with Henry Street – To facilitate carriageway resurfacing works on Whittington Interchange
- Temporary Road Closure – 7 August 2023 to 9 August 2023 at Queen Street between its junction with Victoria Street for a distance of 20 metres in a westerly direction – To facilitate water apparatus renewal works

Links

- Local News and Events Bulletins
- Funding Bulletins

37/23-24 Items for Next Agenda

Please forward to the Clerk 7 days before next meeting

38/23-24 Date for the next meeting

Council Meeting – Tuesday 11 July 2023 at 7.00pm

The Meeting closed at 7.55pm

Signed.....Chairman 11 July 2023