

TRUSHAM PARISH COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday 16th January 2017

Present: Jim Putz (Chair); Sarah Maybin; Sian Brooks; Jane Brooks; Patsy Mudie
Keith Edgington; Mike Chadwick; Judith Rowland; David Davies

Apologies: Tony Wheaton

The minutes of the meeting held on 7th November 2016 were approved and signed.

1. Matters arising from previous minutes
 - Snow Warden (SB) has contacted Matt Dyer and Martin Holmes (current volunteer responders) and will obtain a list of other volunteers to update database
 - Dog poo (MC) has contacted George at The Cridford Inn who will advise all visiting dog owners of the rules and provide poo bags where necessary
2. Agenda items
 - Lawnmower – following research DD recommended the purchase of a Viking series mower and has a quote from Masons for a maximum of £696. This should be reduced via discount and grants from the Electoral fund and Teignbridge (via Amanda Ford) which will be available after April 1st. DD & TW were asked to proceed with the purchase at a time appropriate for grant support. Various committee members had access to lawnmowers if grass needed cutting in the meantime.
 - Railings along Broadway and Teign Lane – these have been repaired.
 - National Grid – are to refurbish the high voltage power lines running through the valley. DD was asked to attend a briefing as Village representative on 31st July when further details of any disruption will be discussed
 - Christmas Fayre – final amount should be available after 20th January following results of raffle tickets sold. So far a profit of £470.
 - Planning applications – Cridford Inn still in discussion with planning department and TDC.
 - Flood risk – JP reported that his and Amanda's home insurance had been greatly increased to include flood protection as a result of his postcode. The Environment Agency will be asked to send an engineer to look at risk management. (JP)
3. Treasurer's report
Current balance £2515.46
4. Any other business
 - Footpaths – DD has the annual condition report and will send to JB for completion.

- Playpark – DD reported that the annual inspection fee of £88.20 had been paid. TW to produce grass cutting rota. Village magazine to ask for more volunteers to join rota (JR) & possibly village email (TW)
- Defibrillator – equipment needs to be checked monthly. Phil Brooks & Barry Rowland to be asked to help with monthly checks (SM). Anyone using the defib must notify SM. Annual refresher course should be held & SM will source a flyer to remind villagers of the facility and to notify any newcomers
- Barn Dance – last year £757 raised. A discussion followed about holding the event this year and it was decided to ask Graham Brooke if he would lead it. (SB has since asked, Graham is away in the summer and unable to help – decision is that a village barn dance will not go ahead this year.

The next meeting will be held on Monday 13th March 2017 at The Old Rectory @ 7.30pm

Meeting closed at 8.40pm

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