

**Camblesforth Parish Council
In the Chapel Brigg Lane
Meeting held on 21 August 2007**

Members Present

Chris Lewis (Presiding)

Eileen Neale

James Neale

Terry Sykes

Paul Bulmer

Also attending County Cllr Mrs Mrs Hulme and Cllr Mrs A Spetch P and J Rayment
C and J Rockliff

Apologies; Kevin Wild Susan Walsh and Ian Arundel.

C Martin	170-00
Petty Cash	13.54
Yorkshire Water	25.58
Diane Dumbell-internal audit	60.00
Wayside Lewis -fence	427-04
P Bason	107-00
P French	400-00
S Marshall	400-00

Financial Statement; current Account 1676.47 Deposit Account 11,453-56

The Auditors return was approved and signed.

There were no declarations of interest.

Minutes; - The minutes of the meeting of 17 July 2007 were approved by the meeting and signed by the Chairman

Village Hall: The Chairman had an informal meeting with the Village Church representatives. They are keen to use the Village Hall. The plan is to use the hall as part Church and part Community Centre. The current church would be sold to provide funds for the new site.

Permission has been given at local level but the plan will have to be approved by District and Head Office. There will be legalities to be dealt with if this course of action is pursued.

It was resolved that the Parish Council would give the Church until Christmas 2007 to resolve the situation.

Local residents are not happy with the current situation and would prefer that the Village Hall was demolished and used for building. They are opposed to a Youth shelter on the site. The clerk has received a quote from Bradley and Holmes to demolish the hall. The quote is for £8,500. At present there are inadequate funds to demolish the hall, as money has to be set aside to pay for the Play park equipment. This money will be reimbursed by the District Council but not until the equipment has been approved by the Parish Council.

The planning authority has written a pre application letter with regards to developing the site. The Parish Council were advised to speak to Highways Engineer with regards to access/ingress on the site. If the Parish Council decided to develop the site the legalities would need to be finely checked. **A vote was taken and three members were in favour of developing the site and two were against.**

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Concern was expressed over the need for security fencing on site. The clerk is to check with the Insurance Company.

Signs on the Selby Road: County Cllr Mrs Hulme has obtained agreement from Highways that signs should be erected on the Selby Road. The Parish Council thanks Cllr Hulme for her efforts on their behalf.

Accident with ash lorry on the roundabout It was reported that an ash lorry had tipped over on the Selby road roundabout. The details were heard on national news and reported in the local newspaper. The clerk was asked to write to the Station Manager of the power station and ask him what the policy is about ash lorries using the Selby road.

School Governor: Terry Sykes agreed to represent the Parish Council on the Governors Board.

Parish Plans: Councillor Spetch is keen that Camblesforth should have a Parish Plan. Other villages like Kellington have completed these. Having a Parish Plan is of great benefit to a parish as it attracts grants. Is a source of interest and raise awareness in local residents.

Streetlights and litterbins: Light out between 37 and 39 Brigg Lane. Clerk to report. The litterbin outside the shops has been uprooted. Clerk to report.

Bus Shelter corner of Croft Road and Underwit Road

Bus shelter needs tidying. Also there is a dip in the road by the bus shelter and on rainy days passengers waiting for the bus are soaked by spray. Clerk to contact highways. The marking on Underwit Road are incorrect. Clerk to write to highways.

Mosquito this has arrived and will be installed in September.

Pond at the end of Burn Lane bottles littered on site. Clerk to report.

Risk Assessment: this was approved

Planning

Approval for the erection of a detached single garage

Correspondence

Letter concerning closure of post offices.

Roundabout Closure on 2 Sept and 9 September

Minerals and Waste information

Playing Field magazine

Letter from CIP group. Parish Council will not be granted money for the fence.

Meeting Closed at 8.45pm

Next meeting is rescheduled for Wednesday 26 September.

Signed:

Dated: