

Minutes of the Meeting of the Braishfield Parish Council held at the Women's Institute Hall, Braishfield on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> March, 1971 at 8 p.m.

Present: Mr. C.H. Bartlam in the Chair, Miss J.C.K. Bacon, Messrs. G.R.B. Brown, A. Cobbold, D. Lowman & G. Parsons.

Apologies for absence were received from Mr. H. Skinner.

Minutes The minutes of the meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> February were read & approved.

### Matters Arising

- (a) Mr. Parsons said that he had taken no action on repairs to the bus shelter.
- (b) Miss Bacon reported that the W.I. were getting on with arrangements for the seat.
- (c) With regard to the pots in the entrance & the pedestrian entrance at the Recreation Ground, it was decided that the Clerk should inspect with Mr. Parsons.
- (d) The Clerk reported that Mr. Atlee had been in touch with him regarding the defunct Braishfield Horticultural Society. Mr. Atlee had said that he thought it better if the notice in the press was inserted

after the Annual Parish Meeting. The Council were not in favour of giving the money to the Romsey Horticultural Society. The Clerk was instructed to write to the Clerks of neighbouring Parish Councils to obtain their views.

- (e) With regard to ditches overflowing in Church Lane, Miss Bacon & Mr. Kowman were going to inspect the whole route of the ditch.

Correspondence There was none.

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The arrangements were discussed & it was reported that Col. Thurray would be attending.

Finance Cheques in favour of the following were drawn & signed:-

Hampshire County Council (Grasscutting)	£35.63
Hants & Isle of Wight P.F.A. (Subscription)	50P
Women's Institute (Hire of Hall)	£4.00
Shaw & Sons (Receipt & Payment Book)	£3.73
A.P. Kalonde (Salary, <sup>travel</sup> expenses, postage)	£31.50

Any Other Business

- (a) The Clerk was instructed to bring to Mr. Plumb's notice the condition of the road outside Cherry Hill.

- (b) The white Lines at Manor Crossroads were also causing concern. The Clerk was asked to notify Mr. Plumb.
- (c) The sign at the pond "To the Church" needed repainting & the Clerk was instructed to get in touch with Mr. Plumb.
- (d) The Chairman reported that the survey for main drainage had been started.
- (e) Mr. Parsons reported on the meeting of the Ramsey & Stockbridge Association of Parish Councils. The main items that were discussed were decentralisation & the failure of Planning Authorities to notify Parish Councils of applications.

There being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting.

Mr. Parsons  
29/7/11