

BRAISHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Braishfield Parish Council held at the Village Hall, Braishfield on Monday 19th April 1982.

PRESENT

Mr. G. Shipton(Chairman), Mrs B.M. Bell, Messrs I.H. Chisholm, J.A. Stewart and P. Watkins.

143 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology for absence was received from Mr. Corry.

144 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 8TH MARCH 1982

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 8th March 1982 were approved as a correct record.

Arising thereon:

Minute 128 (ref: Minute 124(B) Fouling of Recreation Ground by Dogs)

The Parish Council discussed the size and wording of the proposed notices requesting dog owners to endeavour to prevent their dogs from fouling the Recreation Ground.

RESOLVED:

That the matter be discussed further at the next meeting of the Parish Council when suggestions by Members regarding the wording of the notices would be welcomed.

Minute 130 - Use of School Premises in the Summer Holidays

The Chairman advised that he had discussed the communication from the County Education Officer with the Head of Braishfield County Primary School. The Head had expressed the view that the communication applied principally to the larger schools situated in the towns and did not feel that it had any particular reference to Braishfield County Primary School.

RESOLVED:

That no further action be taken by the Parish Council in the matter.

Minute 133 - Braishfield Village Association - Litter Clearing Day - 20th March 1982

RESOLVED:

That the Braishfield Village Association be thanked for their considerable efforts in making the Litter Day a success.

JS.

Minute 136 Recreation Ground - Additional Recreational Facilities

The Chairman reported receipt of a letter from the Women's Institute enclosing details of various types of recreation ground seats which were available. Mrs Bell understood that the Women's Institute would be prepared to make an appropriate contribution towards the cost of any seats which might be provided subsequently. The Chairman undertook to distribute to Members copies of all brochures he had regarding types of recreation ground seats.

RESOLVED:

That further consideration of the matter be deferred until the next meeting.

145 REPORT OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON 22ND MARCH 1982

The Report of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 22nd March 1982 was submitted and received.

146 MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON 5 TH APRIL 1982

The Minutes of the meeting held on 5th April 1982 were approved as a correct record.

The Council expressed again their concern at the very short period within which they were often required to submit observations on planning applications to the Borough Council.

RESOLVED:

That the Clerk in consultation with the Chairman be authorised in appropriate circumstances to lodge with Test Valley Borough Council a holding objection in respect of certain applications, to enable the Parish Council to give full and proper consideration to such applications.

147 HAMPSHIRE ASSOCIATION OF PARISH COUNCILS

(1) Subscription

RESOLVED:

That the subscription for 1982/83 in respect of the Parish Council's membership of the Hampshire Association of Parish Councils in the sum of £23.50 be paid.

(2) Bulletin 122

Bulletin 122 was submitted and received.

148 ALL SAINTS CHURCH, BRAISHFIELD - GRAVEYARD MAINTENANCE

Following representations from the Parochial Church Council it was

RESOLVED:

That the Parish Council's contribution in respect of graveyard maintenance be increased to £75 in respect of the financial year 1982/83 and that this sum be reviewed annually.

LB

149 BRAISHFIELD FLOWER SHOW - 1982

RESOLVED:

That permission be granted to the Braishfield Flower Show Committee to hold their Annual Show on 24th July 1982.

150 HIRE OF BRAISHFIELD VILLAGE HALL

The Parish Council considered a letter from Mr. A.P. Lalonde complaining at the noise which had emanated from the discotheque held in the Village Hall on 10th April 1982 and urging the Parish Council to recommend the Village Hall Management Committee to prohibit the use of the Hall for discotheques organised by bodies not connected with the Village. The Council shared Mr. Lalonde's concern although they felt that it was important to honour, wherever possible, bookings for events in this category which had already been made.

RESOLVED:

(i) That the Village Hall Management Committee be recommended to prohibit the holding of discotheques, or similar such events, arranged by organisations, other than bonafide village organisations, save in exceptional cases as may be identified by the Parish Council.

(ii) That Mrs Bell be requested to report back to the next meeting of the Parish Council on the situation with regard to bookings of the Hall which have already been made.

151 SITING OF WASTE BINS ON RECREATION GROUND

RESOLVED:

That consideration of this matter be deferred until the next meeting of the Parish Council.

152 REPAIR OF ROAD SIGN BOARD BY THE WHEATSHEAF INN, BRAISHFIELD

RESOLVED:

That the account of L.K. Ninnim for repairing the road sign board by the Wheatsheaf Inn, Braishfield in the sum of £30.64 be paid.

153 OBSTRUCTIONS IN THE CROOK STREAM, BRAISHFIELD

The Chairman reported that lumps of concrete had been dumped in the Crook Stream, Braishfield.

RESOLVED:

That Hampshire County Council, on whose land the obstructions had been placed, be requested to remove the concrete obstructions.

154 "OPERATION SMOKESTOP"

The Clerk reported receipt of^a letter from the Department of Psychology, The University of Southampton inviting them to participate in the project "Operation Smokestop".

J.S.

RESOLVED:

That the details of "Operation Smokestop" be passed to the Head of Braishfield County Primary School for information and such attention as he may consider necessary.

155 TEST VALLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL MINUTES

(a) Planning and Development Committee - 10th March 1982

The Council received the Minutes.

(b) Southern Area Planning Sub Committee - 23rd March 1982

The Council received the Minutes.

G. Shipton

CHAIRMAN

10TH MAY 1982