## **KENARDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL**

# Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting Held on Tuesday 1st March 2022 at 7.00pm

held in the Village Hall

Present:

Cllrs S McIntyre, Coombes, Stone Parish Cllrs:

Borough Cllrs: **Cllr Burgess** Members of Public: 6 PCSO: 0

Clerk: A Beach

Minute No		ACTION
691	Apologies & Reasons for Absence Cllr Hedley, B Zajaczkowski	
692	Declaration of Councillor' Interests  a. To approve or reject any application put to the meeting by the Chairman in respect of Members seeking a dispensation under the Localism Act 2011, section 33.  b. Request that Councillors' or any other persons' present declare if they intend to record any of the proceedings using any video or audio recording device or camera Cllr Hedley declared an interest in planning applications 21/00119/AS. 21/00120/AS and 21/00121/AS. The Grange and Horse Marsh Farm	
693	<ul> <li>To Approve or Reject any Application <ol> <li>To approve or reject any application put to the meeting by the Chairman in respect of Members' seeking a dispensation under the Localism Act 2011, s.33.</li> <li>Request that Councillors' or any other persons' present declare if they intend to record any of the proceedings using any video or audio recording device or camera.</li> </ol> </li> <li>None Declared</li> </ul>	
694	Approve the Minutes of the Meeting held on 31st January 2022 The minutes were approved by Councillors' and were signed by Cllr McIntyre.	

#### 695 Co-option of New Councillor

Further to the resignation of Keith Ashby formal notice was been issued by the Elections Officer at Ashford BC to declare the vacancy, as no applications were made KPC were notified that we could co-opt a replacement.

Following her interest Councillors approved the application of Rachael Stone and welcomed her onto the PC.

#### 696 Public Session

At this point the Meeting will be adjourned. This session is for the public to express a view or ask a question on relevant matters on the agenda.

Cllr McIntyre thanked everybody for joining the meeting to discuss the proposed village celebration for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and later representatives from Fernfield Homes would be joining the meeting to discuss the proposed plans for The Grange and Horse Marsh Farm.

Everyone was fully supportive of the celebrations as detailed in minute number 697

#### 697 Village Matters

#### Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

Cllr Stone detailed the proposed plans for the event where the following items were discussed / agreed.

- Date of event, Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2022, provisionally from 2 6 pm, to be confirmed
- The owners of Battle Hill Farm campsite have kindly offered to allow the event to be held there, this is advantageous as toilet facilities, electricity and parking is on site. Although it is expected that most families will bring picnics, a catering van and bar will be on site
- Suggested events, Dog Show, Tug of War, Coconut Shy, Bat and Trap, Children's Fancy Dress, final schedule to be confirmed.
- Cllr Stone agreed to check on licensing requirements
- Cllr McIntyre explained that basic Risk Assessments will have to be carried out for the benefit of our Insurers
- Cllr McIntyre confirmed that he had been in contact with three local bands who play a range of music and are prepared to play either for free or a small charge. Unfortunately, a stage is not available but Mr Ashby offered the use of a flat trailer if required.
- Cllr McIntyre has contacted the Companies on the industrial estate and two of them are considering sponsoring or supporting the event.

698	Borough Councillors Report The Council tax is expected to be approved on Thursday and confirmed Ashford is the lowest in Kent; 2022-23 Band D property, Ashford £177.50, average for other districts £227.48. ABC are still offering saplings and hedging as part of the Queen's Green Canopy initiative, applications of queries should be made directly to Aspire.	
699	Finance Authorisation of Payments Chq No 390 - S McIntyre, sign bracket repayment - £29.46 Chq No 391 - Action with Communities in Rural Kent - £60.00 Chq No 392 - A Beach, Jan-Mar Salary - £325.44 Chq No 393 - A Beach refreshments repayment - £10.25 Chq No 394 - B Hedley, defibrillator training refreshments - £7.96  Balance & Financial Position After these transactions the working balance is £9,238.22	
700	Matters Arising from Previous Meetings Nothing to report	
701	Flagpole Update The flag pole has been successfully installed, advise was given regarding obtaining a printed flag to fly when raining. Cllr McIntyre has a spare key	
7.40pm	The meeting was adjourned to allow a Planning Meeting to discuss application numbers 22/0119/AS, 22/0120/AS and 22/0121/AS	
8.15pm	The meeting recommenced.	

#### 702 Planning

#### Parish Council

See Planning Meeting minutes attached, page numbers 164-167, minute numbers 706-708

#### Ashford BC

None received

#### <u>Land to the West of Greenways</u>

Following our comments to Ashford BC the following was received: -

Mr Cook confirmed that he had had visited the site and reported as follows: - 'The works to the frontage have had an amenity impact, but the trees were not those that were identified in the TPO, indeed this is true for the scrub that was internal to the site.

It would be expected that trees would be inspected for any wildlife value, but in my view, a 400mm diameter ash and the Norway spruce would almost certainly not offer bat roosting opportunity. The works have been undertaken outside of bird nesting season, so in that regard the correct approach has been taken'

# 703 Correspondence **KALC** Events in February and March **KALC Ashford Branch** - Meeting Agenda 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022, the meeting will be held in the Council Offices Ashford BC Advised us that, meetings will now be hybrid allowing Councillors and members of the public to attend either in person or remotely. **Correspondence Previously Emailed KALC** - Chief Executive Bulletin, previously emailed - NALC Chief Executive Bulletin, previously emailed KALC Ashford Branch Minutes of previous meeting, previously emailed Ashford BC - Leaders briefing notes, previously emailed - Storm Eunice update PCSO - Monthly Update for the Isle of Oxney, previously emailed 704 Future Agenda Items/Items for Information Councillors were asked to encourage residents to attend the Annual Parish Meeting on 19th April 2022, it is not a formal meeting and after some brief reports there will be wine and refreshments. 705 Presentation to Mr Keith Ashby Cllr McIntyre thanked everybody for attending the meeting and to join KPC to thank Mr Ashby for the time and dedication he gave to the village whilst acting as a Councillor, and presented him with a voucher as a gesture of their thanks.

Cllr McIntyre closed the meeting at 8.45pm

#### **Dates of Future Meetings**

5<sup>th</sup> April, 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 7<sup>th</sup> June, 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2<sup>nd</sup> August, 6<sup>th</sup> September, 4<sup>th</sup> October, 1<sup>st</sup> November and 6<sup>th</sup> December.

The Annual Parish meeting will take place on 19th April 2022.

Meetings start at 7.00pm

## Kenardington Parish Council Monthly Transaction Statement - March 2022

Date		De- scrip- tion	Detail			Busi- ness Res Act	Busi- ness Curr Acct	Total
31- Jan-22		Bal- ance b/f	Business Reserve Ac- count		OPA	£0.00		£0.00
		Bal- ance b/f	Business Current Account				£9,663	£9,663
			Total Balance at 31st ary 22 c/f	Janu-		£0.0 0	£9,66 3.37	£9,66 3.37
Date	Cheq ue No	Payee	Detail	Rcpts	Pymts	Busi- ness Res Act	Busi- ness Curr Acct	Total
01- Mar-22	390	S McInty re	Reimburse - Card & Brackets		£29.46	£0.00	£9,633 .91	£9,633
	391	ACRE	Annual Subscription		£60.00	£0.00	£9,573 .91	£9,573 .91
	392	A Beach	Salary Jan-March		£325.4 4	£0.00	£9,248 .47	£9,248 .47
	393	A Beach	Reimburse - Refresh- ments/Retirement		£10.25	£0.00	£9,238	£9,238
	394	B Hed- ley	Reimburse - Defibril- lator Training Refreshments		£7.96	£0.00	£9,565 .95	£9,565 .95
				£0.00	£433. 11	£0.0 0	£9,23 0.26	£9,23 8.22

Business Reserve Account £0.00

Business Current Ac-	£9,23		
count	8.22		
Total Balance c/f 1st	£9,23		
March 2022	8.22		

# **APPENDIX** 022-3-1

KENARDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL		Steve	Tom	Jubilee Plan- ning	
ACTION LIST		Brenda	All	Clerk	
DATE OF ME	Bob	Rachael			
ITEM	ACTION REQUIRED	RESPONS- IBILITY	AC- TIONED	RESPONSE	DATE COM- PLETED
Village Hall	Obtain three quotations for the work in the hall. Action carried forward from February	Bob			
Annual Par- ish Mtg	Send invitations to KCC councillor, PCSO, village caretaker and J Saunders	Clerk	3rd March	KCC, PCSO, village caretaker, postman ac- cepted	21 <sup>st</sup> March
Annual Par- ish Mtg	Encourage attendance by residents	All			
Platinum Jubilee					
Location, date & time	Battle Hill Farm, Saturday 4th June, start time 12 noon, end time to be finalised	Jubilee Planning			
Refresh- ments	Mobile van is available, other to be agreed	Jubilee Planning			
Decorations	To be discussed	Jubilee Planning			
Entertain- ment - other	Agree and arrange other events i.e dog show, fancy dress, games etc.	Jubilee Planning			

Residential Help	Recruit assistance from village for input	Jubilee Planning	Mtg due 14/3 in VH		
Entertain- ment - music	3 bands have been identified, including the local one (Take Down (?)) All expected to perform for little or no cost.	Steve			
Support/ Location	Keep in contact with owners on the industrial estate, a couple are interested in supporting	Steve	<b>)</b>		
Licence Application	Pursue online training to obtain options	Rachael	AV.		
Village WhatsAp	Maintain WhatsAp for village	Rachael			
Insurance	Check to ensure fully covered	Clerk	Called 3/3	Yes, need full schedule	