Minutes of the MEETING of STANTON ON THE WOLDS Parish Council held on Tuesday June 16, 2015, at 7.00pm, at the Parish Church, Browns Lane, Stanton on the Wolds

Couns. Mike Sheriston (Chairman)
Jim Goodman Hilary Whitby
Alex McKee Teri Browett
Richard Whitby Martin Danielson

Also in attendance: The clerk Mike Elliott.

- 1] APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE There were none
- 2] DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST There were none
- 3] MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING HELD ON MAY 13, 2015 were accepted as circulated and signed by the chairman after it was pointed out that the speed limit on the A606 road was 40mph and not 50mph as stated.

4] CLERK'S REPORT FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Seat A606 road The chairman reported on a meeting with garage owner Farhad Gazeran-Akbari and reported he had said he was happy to allow the seat to be erected on the same spot as the previous one had been. In regard to the appearance of the now closed garage he had said he would instigate a clear up but nothing had so far happened.

5) VILLAGE INITIATIVES INCLUDING NEWSLETTER

Sunday July 12. Mr Mrs Hill, The White House, Nicker Hill, garden party for parish church funds. The Parish Council had been invited to attend.

The meeting agreed to support the holding of a garden party event on September 5 at the home of Couns Richard and Hilary Whitby, with various stalls etc. It was suggested an admission charge of either 50p or £1 with free entry for children. It was agreed that Couns. Mr and Mrs Whitby and Coun. Browett continue with the arrangements. The event would raise funds for a yet to be determined charity.

Discussion took place on the council newsletter and it was agreed to publish an issue when arrangements had been confirmed for events by the council. It was felt all members be given the opportunity to view the copy before printing. There was a suggestion that an informal meeting be held when all the copy had been written.

It was agreed a further litter pick be held in September. Coun. Mrs Whitby was asked to go ahead with purchase of ten rubbish bag hoops at a price of £5 99p each. The clerk would ask Rushcliffe Borough Council for a comparable price.

The Christmas card competition was discussed and it was agreed it proceed, with it open to all ages. It was felt the finished card needed to be of smart appearance and could be a photograph or a drawing. Entry forms to be given to those taking part were to be produced and displayed at the forthcoming church garden party. Entries would close in September.

The clerk said the Church Wardens at Stanton had been asked to comment on the current use and potential of the Church building and were seeking opinions from the council. It was agreed the council would support community use of the building but recognised there would be problems over lack of toilet and kitchen facilities.

The question of a Christmas event to be organised by the council would be looked by members at the next meeting, once details of church events had been obtained.

6] PLANNING MATTERS

Rushcliffe Borough Council planning applications None

Rushcliffe Borough Council planning decisions

15/600630 ful Network Rail, Stanton Tunnell, Dalby Test Track, install GSM-R communications mast for temporary period 10 years, Grant.

15/00595/ful Mr Mrs McLaren, OS Field 5155 Browns Lane. . Single storey extension of existing garage to form office, Grant.

15/00570/ful. Rob Day, 206 Melton Road. Two storey side extension, first floor side extension, hipped roof to existing flat roof attached double garage, raise roof height and new pitched roof to single storey side projection, application of insulated external render. Grant.

15/00818/ful. Mr M Kendrick, 46 Stanton Lane, single storey rear extension, Grant

7] ENVIRONMENT INCLUDING A606 GARAGE SITE,

The Chairman commented further on his meeting with site owner of the A606 garage. He expressed doubts as to a speedy reaction in regard to the tidying work that was needed. Coun. Danielson said he had been cutting grass on the site frontage but did not intend to continue because of insurance problems. The clerk was asked to seek confirmation from the grass cutting contractor Mr R Duck in regard to his insurance and if he would be able to extend the area he cuts to include the garage frontage.

The clerk was asked to write to Notts County Council in regard to their grass cutting work in the parish and to seek confirmation as to when it was carried out.

The question of the Stanton Footpath No 6 over land owned by Mr Eric Elliott was discussed and Coun. Goodman was to contact Jane Baynes in regard to progressing possible implementation of a Permissive Footpath scheme. A site meeting was to be asked for.

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The meeting was told that Mr Alan Hunt was offering support for the re-design of the website and would make available the information that was on the existing site. Coun. Mrs Browett would work with Coun. Goodman and his colleague in regard to the new site.

9] NALC CIRCULAR

The council discussed the Local Council Award Scheme introduced by NALC. It was felt the requirements for seeking the award were extensive and while some would easily be met others would require working on, including the need for members to undertake training.

9] FINANCIAL MATTERS There were none

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.30pm.

Her Majesty The Queen is set to become the longest ever reigning monarch in British history on September 9 this year. when she will pass the record set by her great-great-grandmother Queen Victoria who reigned for 63 years and actually for 23,226 days, 16 hours and 23 minutes, Queen Elizabeth II will enter the history books when she overtakes Victoria during September 9 2015. It is likely to be business as usual for the Queen when she reaches the landmark date at the age of 89.