



SHIPDHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Chairman: Paul Hewett Clerk/RFO: Rosemary Martin



MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH HELD ON 29TH MAY 2014 IN THE GOLDEN DOG CONSERVATORY

Paul Hewett, Chairman of the Shipdham Parish Council, assumed the chair for the meeting.

Cllrs Hewett, Fawcett, Ralph, Secker and Turner, and the Clerk were present Bob Lomas (Village Correspondent) and 17 Parishioners were in attendance.

1. Apologies for absence

Apologies received from Cllrs Arnold, Kidd and Chubbock, and speakers Helen Crane and Cliff Jordan

2. Minutes of the meeting held 14th May 2013

It was proposed by Chris Taylor and seconded by Bob Lomas that the minutes were a true representation of the meeting. All agreed, and the minutes were signed by the Chairman.

3. Matters arising from the minutes (for information only)

None.

4. Chairman's Annual Report









Parish Council Chairman Review 2014 - final.pdf

5. Parish Accounts for 2013/2014

The Parish Accounts for 2013/2014, which had been reviewed by the Parish Council and signed off by the Chairman were displayed for parishioners to view.

6. Other Reports

The following people then presented their reports on the previous year:







Paul Madsen Thomas Bullock School Head Teacher	 Thomas Bullock School 2014.pdf
Cliff Jordan Norfolk County Councillor	 County Councillor 2014.pdf e
Lynda Turner Breckland District Councillor	 Breckland District Councillor Report 2014.pdf
Helen Crane – Town Estates & Parochial Fuel Allotment Charity	 TE & PFA charities 2014.pdf
Brian Hughes Thomas Bullock Trustees	 Thomas Bullock Trustees 2014.pdf
Sylvia Slaughter Bullock Park Management Committee	 Bullock Park Management Committee 2014.pdf



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John Doel Twinning Association	 Twinning Association 2014.pdf
Bill Fawcett Community Centre	 COMMUNITY CENTRE TRUST 20113 4.pdf
Marlene Secker WI Hall Committee	 WI Hall 2014.pdf
Angie Mills Shipdham Knitters	 Shipdham Knitters Report 2014.pdf
Bill Fawcett Royal British Legion	 RBL.pdf
John Larwood Church Warden	 Church warden.pdf

7. Parishioners' Questions, Comments and Suggestions

- Complaints about cars parked against the church wall in New Road blocking the road, and worries expressed about the potential damage to the Churchyard wall.
- Bob Lomas, the village correspondent, sends reports on Shipdham activities to the Dereham Times (and sometimes Watton and Swaffham). He relies on information from residents to help him do this.
- Request to buy more bollards for the school area (next agenda).
- It is impossible to walk down Mill Road from Mole Catchers to the substation due to parked cars. Abel's to be asked not to park their cars on the road (next agenda).
- A lot of overhanging hedges need cutting round the village (next agenda).
- Cllr Fawcett advertised a WW1 exhibition to be held on 30th August on the Village Green. This will be free and there will be a film show of WW1 news reels. On 6th September there will be a big band spectacular at the Bullock Park.

The meeting closed at 9:30pm



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Meeting closed

NB

Details of the Reports presented in the meeting, as shown above, can be found on the Village Website, or by application to the Clerk