

MINUTES of the Parish Council Meeting held in the Windmill Room,
Wood Norton Village Hall on Monday 23 August 2010 at 7.30pm.

Mr P. Bell chaired the meeting with Councillors: J. Johnson, I. Summons,
R. Hunt,
Apologies, J. Marchant, T. Lidstone-Scott and M. Crowe
Also present were District Councillor Robin Combe and PCSO Keith Clarke.
There were no members of the Public present.

As PCSO Keith Clarke was on duty and had to leave he gave his report of no incidents over the last month. The incident last month was a wood burner stolen from an outbuilding.

Matters Arising

Ryors Lane – the Clerk contacted the Public Rights of Way Team at County Hall regarding the overgrown grass. This has now been cut.

Finance

The Clerk is to ask T. Lidstone-Scott to email Parish Councillors with details of the proposed Precept for the next financial year.

Surveyors Allotment, outstanding rental payments, address details of Tenants to be forwarded to District Councillor Combe.

Planning Decision

Starwood, Rectory Road, conversion of games room to one unit of holiday accommodation. This application has been approved.

North Norfolk District Council – New Housing Strategy for North Norfolk

District Councillor Robin Combe gave a brief resume. The new Housing Strategy outlines the need for enough affordable homes in North Norfolk. There has been very little development with only between £60-65,000 available per property. Over 100 houses are needed to be built each year and there is a plea for any land that is available.

Correspondence

Norfolk Rural Community Council (NRCC) Concern being raised that the Eastern region will miss out on the relief of some national insurance contributions.

Victory Housing – Looking for local heroes.

NRCC – Free web site and media training workshop.

No Need for Nuclear – it was felt as a Parish Council we would not support this but individuals could.

Norfolk Constabulary – asking for a resume regarding our PCSO Keith Clarke. The Clerk will write and say how appreciative we are that he attends most of our meetings and is very accessible.

Fakenham Table Tennis League – inviting people to join them.

Triton Knoll Offshore Wind Farm - informing us of forthcoming consultation.

Communities and Local Government – Information on The Community Right to Build.

BT Payphones – K6 Adoption of our telephone box.

Broadband Speed. Stan Jones has been investigating Broadband Speed within the village and feels we can get a better service. The Clerk will investigate.

Any Other Business.

R. Hunt said that the 2nd version of the Parish Plan is very useful.

Meeting closed at 8.25pm.

**Date of next meeting Monday 4th October 2010
at 7.30pm**

Chairman

Date