

Scruton Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting
Thursday 14th July 2022 at 7.30 pm

Two residents attended the meeting.

Questions from the floor included concerns on village parking and concerns regarding Broadacres properties.

Christopher Barron, Clerk to Scruton Parish Council, 16th March 2022.

2022-48 To receive apologies for non-attendance .

Apologies were received from County Cllr. Annabel Wilkinso and District Cllr. Brian Phillips.

Attending the meeting were Cllr's. Nye (Chairman), Howe, Widmer, Thompson and Daley, with the clerk Chris Barron.

2022-49 To receive declarations of interest in items on the agenda.

There were no declarations of interest.

2022-50 To accept minutes of the previous meeting:

The minutes were accepted, proposed by Cllr. Howe, seconded by Cllr. Thompson and signed by the chairman.

2022-51 To elect a vice chairman:

This item deferred from the last meeting.

Cllr. Widmer was elected as the vice chairman.

2022-52 To appoint an internal auditor:

Mr Derek Fieldhouse had agreed to be nominated as the Parish Council Internal Auditor.

Proposed by Cllr. Thompson, seconded by Cllr. Howe.

2022-53 To accept the Internal Auditors report:

The clerk presented the report, which was accepted.
Proposed by Cllr. Widmer, seconded by Cllr. Thompson.

2022-54 Finance.

Payments made:

R. C. Barron (clerks salary)	£ 250.00
Rezolve I.T. (newsletter printing)	£ 157.32
Rezolve I.T. (Jubilee booklet printing) (community levy fund)	£ 138.00
Dr. George Ewart (Jubilee tree) (community levy fund)	£ 52.20
C.E. & C.M. Walker Ltd. (grass cutting x2)	£ 175.20

Income:

Sale of Jubilee Mugs (community levy fund)	£ 210.00
Playing Field assoc. (donation towards fireworks)	£ 100.00

The financial statement was presented to councillors by the clerk .
Councillors accepted the financial statement, with the clerk explaining
the current state of council finances.

2022-55 Planning:

To receive the clerks report on recent planning consultations:

Decision issued by Hambleton District Council.

20/02448/FUL. Erection of a detached dwelling, Land adjacent to
The Old Manor House, Scruton.

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2022-56 Code of Conduct on Planning Matters:

The clerk presented the document relating to this which had previously
been circulated to councillors.

The council decided to adopt this code of conduct, proposed by Cllr Howe,
seconded by Cllr. Thompson.

2022-57 Committee Reports:

A committee report would be forwarded by the Village Hall Committee.

2022-58 Correspondence:

The clerk presented a letter of from Cllr Wilkinson regarding the extended disruption to traffic in Station Road by Yorkshire Water. Also presented was a reply from NYCC Highways rejecting a request to extend the 30 mph speed restriction beyond the station area.

2022-59 Village Green Protocol:

The clerk had composed a draft protocol for users of the village green. After some discussion the draft was accepted with a minor amendment to timings.

2022-60 Risk Assessment:

Risk assessments were presented to councillors, and were accepted with no major concerns.

2022-61 Any Other Business:

Cllr. Daley raised concerns regarding the grass cutting of the green. The clerk to contact the grass cutters for an explanation.

2022-62 To agree any items for inclusion in the newsletter:

The chairman would provide a column of council information for the next newsletter.

The meeting finished at 8.22 pm.

The next business meeting is Thursday 8th September 2022.

Commencing at 7.30pm.

Note: All minutes in draft form, until signed by the chairman.

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