

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held at the BYPA Hall on 6th May 2011 at 7.45 pm

(Draft copy. Subject to approval at the next meeting)

The meeting started at 7.48pm and was chaired by the Chairman of the Parish Council (Cllr A Prior); thirty-one members of the village attended.

The Chairman started by welcoming newcomers to the village.

APOLOGIES – The following apologies were received: PC Batchelor (Wiltshire Police), Wendy Appello (Brownies), Peggy Slater (Thursday Club), Alison Jones (Baby and Toddler Group), Harriett Knowles (Yoga), Brydgette Bryon-Edmonds (Scene in Baydon) Amanda Osborne (Wagtails) and Trevor Dominy (Fireworks Working Group.)

1. MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING 2010 - The Minutes of the 2010 Parish Assembly were approved.

2. REPORT BY THE PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN – The report read by Mr Tony Prior, Chairman of the Parish Council is attached as an appendix. In particular Cllr Prior praised the new Community Speed Watch team which had been set up in the village and the ongoing efforts of the Traffic Calming Working Group.

3. REPORT BY COUNTY COUNCILLOR – Councillor Humphries apologised that no one from highways was available to attend this year's Baydon meeting. The Cllr commented that this was a period of change due to the establishment of Wiltshire Unitary Council. The annual Wiltshire Council report had been circulated prior to the meeting and is attached as an appendix.

Mr C Yeo raised a question regarding waste fines in Wiltshire Council and improvements in the waste Service to which Cllr Humphries replied that Wiltshire recycling would be improved across the county in the forthcoming year by the provision of additional kerb-side collections.

4. REPORT BY WILTSHIRE POLICE – PCSO J Mills attended the meeting and presented the annual police report for the area; this is included as an appendix.

5. REPORT FROM BAYDON ST.NICHOLAS SCHOOL – Mr P Chambers, headmaster presented the school report which is included as an appendix. He thanked the Parish Council on behalf of the children for providing a play area within the village. He then read the Wagtails after school report which is also included as an appendix.

6. REPORT FROM VILLAGE GROUPS - The village groups were invited to give their reports:

Friends of Baydon School - The report given by Mrs Mandy Dore, Chair of the Friends of Baydon is attached as an appendix.

Baydon Scene - A report forwarded by Mrs Brydgette Bryon-Edmond, the 'Scene in Baydon' Editor was read at the meeting and is attached as an appendix.

Baydon & Aldbourne Link Scheme – The report given by Mr Brian Buckler is attached as an appendix.

Baydon Allotment Association – Mrs Heather Burch, Secretary Baydon Allotment Association spoke on behalf of the Baydon Allotment Association.

Baydon Running Group – Mrs Heather Burch, spoke on behalf of the Baydon Running Group.

1st Baydon Brownies – A report forwarded from Wendy Appello, Tawny Owl, was read at the meeting and is attached as an appendix.

Little Crickets Preschool - A report given by Mrs Denise Dawson, head of the Little Crickets Preschool is attached as an appendix.

Baydon Young Peoples Association - The report given by Mrs Kim Austen is attached as an appendix.

Baydon Cricket Club – Mr Lee Hogan, Chairman of the Baydon Cricket Club spoke on behalf of the Cricket Club. He stated that the Club had played eleven games this year, winning six. Future fixtures are advertised on the Baydon website, Scene and Cricket notice board. The Club had applied for a £500 grant from Marlborough area board for new equipment. The Club are trying hard to keep going and would appreciate your support at the matches starting in May.

Baydon Social Group – Colin Yeo gave a report on the newly formed Social Group. The report is attached as an appendix.

Baydon Website - A report given by Mr Mark Austen, the Baydon webmaster is attached as an appendix.

Fireworks Group - A report forwarded by Trevor Dominy was read at the meeting and is attached as an appendix.

Baydon Women's Institute – A report given by Mrs Penny Stephens, President of the Baydon Women's Institute is attached as an appendix. Unfortunately Baydon Women's Institute had closed during the year.

Thursday Club – A report forwarded from Mrs Peggy Slater, Chairman of the Thursday Club, was read at the meeting and is attached as an appendix. Unfortunately the Thursday Club had also closed during the year.

Baydon Parochial Church Council – Mr Tony Topp, Church Warden to Baydon St. Nicholas church, delivered the Baydon Parochial Church Council report. The report is attached as an appendix.

Baby & Toddler Group – The group is now meeting on a Monday (9.30-11.30) and Mrs Alison Jones is currently looking for a new leader.

Yoga Group – Mr Andy Knowles reminded the assembly that the Yoga group, run by Harriett Knowles meets on Wednesday evenings at the school hall and everyone is welcome.

7. VILLAGE MATTERS -

- a. S106 money and Marlborough Community Area Board Grant – The Chairman outlined the current S106 money as £32,600 from the Gleeson/Redcliffe development and £5000 from the Russley Green development. The Parish Council are addressing the current constraints on the use of the money with both Wiltshire Council and the developers.
- b. Queen's Diamond Jubilee 2012 – The Chairman suggested that the village may want to celebrate this occasion.

The meeting closed at 21.40 hrs.

Signed.....

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Note:- the various appendices do not form part of these meeting Minutes

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