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MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 9th SEPTEMBER 2019

A meeting was held in the Chapel at 7.30 p.m. 3 members were present. Dr I Saunders, Mrs P Bradbury and Mr T McAvoy.

Apologies; Mr M Hodgkinson.

We welcomed 2 members of the public. Mrs A Campeau and Mr J Bentley.

We held an open meeting to address the items raised by the public, mainly the mowing of the Churchyard, which we, as a PC had agreed to sort out again this year. It was explained to them, that we had been let down by the person who had mown it last year, so by the time we realised it wasn’t being done and finding someone else, the grass had grown a lot. This was all discussed and it was agreed that we would pay our man to finish this year off and at the March meeting next year it would be discussed again and that JB and AC would attend the meeting and update us on the Church’s situation, with regard to the mowing.

This concluded the open meeting.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed as correct.
2. Matters Arising

Speeding raised by Sarah Beesley – the Clerk reported that nothing had been heard back from DCC, so she would ring them again.

Road markings on junction at the mere – Clerk had rung CH to see if it had been done, he said all that had happened was, a sign had been put up saying, No road markings. Clerk to report again.

1. Correspondence

Connex Comm.Support sent an A5 flyer for display.

Inv. DDDC for Election costs. £232.20

Inv. S Otty for mowing of Churchyard to date. £295.00

1. Planning

Street House Farm x2, Icecream Café/shop/office space.

NP/DDD/0819/0920 & 0938. No objections raised at the meeting.

Bank Top – No decision yet.

1. Finance

DDDC £232.20 chq. 398 agreed and signed.

S Otty £295.00 chq. 399 agreed and signed.

Balance b/f 4474.60

Chq 397 82.50

Balance at 9.9.19 **4392.10**

1. Chair’s Report

I.S. said that the Rotary Club, Buxton had said they would donate some crocus bulbs to the village. I.S. to ask about planting some around the Mere and around the school.

1. A.O.B

The tree near the Mere is overhanging and obstruction the view at the junction. T.M. said he would have a go at trimming it.

The road condition at the crossroads at High Needham, worse on the road to Earl Sterndale.

Road condition from the crossroads to the Royal Oak especially near Cronkstone Grange.

T.M. said he been approached about dredging the Mere, he said he would ask G Critchlow for a quote.

Children’s Air Ambulance clothes bank – Clerk to look up original email.

There being no other business the meeting was closed.

**Next meeting 2nd December 2019 at 7.30 p.m.**

Signed: Chair

2nd December 2019