

NOTES FOR WINDLE PARISH COUNCIL – OCT 2020

- 1 **PARISH MATTERS** – (a) A resident contacted Cllr Barton explaining that both the rubbish bins in Fairway were overflowing. The resident had reported it to St Helens Council. Cllr Barton checked on 2 October and both bins had been emptied.

- 2 **PLANNING** (a) Applications –
 - 35 Fistral Drive** Demolition of existing single storey side extension and new replacement single storey side extension
No objections
 - 47 St Georges Ave** Demolition of existing conservatory, and erection of single storey rear extension
No objections
 - 14 Windle Grove** Retrospective consent for a single storey rear extension along with alterations to existing garage
No objections
 - 78 St Georges Ave** Single storey rear infill extension and part garage conversion
No objections
 - Coach House** Demolition of existing conservatory and replacement single storey rear extension
No objections
 - 12 Padstow Drive** Retain garage conversion in connection with providing dog grooming services
Letter of objection sent by Chairman

(b) Decisions –

 - 28 St Georges Ave** First floor side extension
Granted 28/9/20
 - 85 Windle Grove** Erection of single storey side extension to form wrap around
Granted 16/10/20

- 3 **OTHER CORRESPONDENCE** – (a) receipt from RBL Poppy Appeal for the contribution for the wreath
(b) an email from a resident asking for information held about her or her household. Clerk dealing with gathering any information.

- 4 **ECCLESFIELD** – (a) 2 enquiries from adult teams were received but the pitches were being used on Sundays at 1pm when they were requested. Both teams were offered a pitch at 2pm but neither team have replied.
(b) Eccleston Parish Council emailed the Chairman and Councillors to ask if a defibrillation machine could be installed on the external wall of the changing rooms for all users and residents. Also whether a sign could be put up stating that the changing rooms was owned and managed by EPC and WPC.
Replies received by the Clerk:

<u>Cllr</u>	<u>Defib</u>	<u>Signage</u>
R Greatorex	No objection – concern about vandalism	No objection – any ulterior motive?
A Dockerty	Should have no association with EPC; should be handed over to Bleak Hill Rovers	
A Bate	No objection – concern about vandalism	Does not wish WPC name on signage
R Barton	Agree	No objection WPC on sign
N Ashcroft	Agree	No objection WPC on sign
K Roughley	Agree	Does not wish WPC name on signage
S Bate	Agree with defibrillator but does not agree with CIF money being spent on the facility.	

Cllr Roughley as Chairman emailed the Clerk confirming that the defibrillator should be installed but that Windle Parish Council's name should not appear on any signage on Ecclesfield Changing Facility. Clerk informed Eccleston PC.

- 5 **SLCC** – Nothing to report
- 6 **LYNTON WAY PLAY AREA** – Nothing to report
- 7 **J MALONE GARDEN** – Maintenance continuing as normal. No issues reported.
- 8 **CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING** – Bleak Hill School has confirmed that there will be no Christmas tree lighting ceremony this year due to coronavirus restrictions on gatherings. The school would like a tree to be put up and lights put on. It was agreed by Councillors on the September Notes to order the tree from Rainfords. Cost of the tree will be £150 + VAT. The Clerk contacted Windle Ward Councillors and Cllr Baines has confirmed that Ward Councillors would contribute as usual to the cost of the lighting of the tree. The Clerk contacted St Helens Council to inform them that the lights will need to be put on the tree. St Helens Council confirmed.
- 9 **REPORTS FROM OTHER BODIES** – nothing to report
- 10 **FINANCE** – a) The Clerk advised that the balances at 30 September 2020 were:
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| Current Account | £15,242.22 |
| Business Reserve Account | <u>£6,068.80</u> |
| TOTAL | £21,311.02 |

b) **Resolved** that the following payments be made:

		Chq
RBL Poppy Appeal – wreath	50.00	2578
Ransons Gardening and Landscaping – 4 visits	128.00	2579
Eccleston PC – phone Sept and quarterly copier lease	37.91	2580
J Anderson – October	270.12	2581
Ecclesfield Project – second half contribution	713.06	2582

Receipts –

Interest July (0.05), August (0.05) and September (0.06) 0.16

c) HMRC statement showing nothing owing at 14 October 2020 (attached)

d) external audit – certificate of exemption was sent to external auditors. All documents displayed on Parish Council website as required.

17 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held virtually using Zoom.

Tuesday 17 November 2020 7pm