

Minutes of Grindleton Parish Council

7.30pm 13 November 2012

St Ambrose Parish Room, Grindleton

Present: Cllrs J Cowling (Chair) ; P Entwistle; C Doherty; J Marshall; J Towler; K Hutton.
and John Pye.

In attendance: RVBC Councillor M Ranson;

1. Apologies:

RVBC Councillor Mrs B Hilton,

2. To approve as correct the minutes of the 25th Sept 2012 meeting.

The minutes were accepted as correct and signed.

3. Matters arising from the minutes.

The meeting was informed that the planning application to convert the old School at Lane Ends had been refused for the second time. Cllr Marshall had requested a meeting with the Planners but so far had received no response. Cllr Cowling had contacted RVBC Councillor Mrs B Hilton, who had agreed to a site meeting the following Monday. Cllr Cowling and Marshall to attend.

4. Declarations of Interest.

None.

5. Police report.

There was no report.

6. Setting of the precept.

This was discussed and agreed to remain as this years. Cllr Cowling reported he was unable to attend the LCC, P&T Conference last Saturday but had received feed back, that the Lengthsman scheme was to end at the end of Marsh. RVBC Councillor M Ranson had no knowledge of this and would investigate. If additional money was required to support the replacement scheme it would come out of reserves.

7. Donation to Clitheroe Citizens Advice Bureau.

It was agreed to make a donation of £50 the same as this year.

8. Donation to Marrie Curie.

It was agreed not to make one.

9. Planning Applications. None. A discussion on the Spinney took place. It was decided to wait and see

10. Financial Matters:

It was agreed to pay St Ambrose £10;; Mr EB Holden £146.75 salary. Whalley Parish Council £ 1480.00 contribution to the Lengthsman. CAB £ 50.00

11. Update from the Clerk.

No Clerk
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12. Report from the Grindleton organisations;

Cllr Marshall gave a brief report informing the meeting that the Pavilion would be opened on Friday 23rd November and Cllr Cowling the Chairman would represent the Council

13 A.O.B.

The potential effect Fracking would have on the area. It was reported that the shale starts at the coast and crops out in this area.

14. Date of the next meeting.

This was to be 23rd January 2013. Cllr Cowling tendered his apologies.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm.