

Ivinghoe Parish Council

Minutes of a Meeting Held on Tuesday 1st April 2014 at The Old School. High Street, Ivinghoe.

Present:

Councillor K Groom (Chairman)

Councillors C Boersma, S Bexson, G Snowdon.

District Councillor C Poll

Mrs Maxine Hayes- Clerk

2 members of the public

Items on Agenda		Action by
1. To receive questions from the public.	None	
2. Attendance and Apologies	Apologies were received from Councillors C Bennitt and P Miles.	Clerk
4. Declarations of Interest	None.	
5. To Receive Reports from District and County Councillors	Nothing to report.	
6. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 4 th March 2014.	It was PROPOSED SECONDED and RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on the 4 th March were a correct record and were signed by the Chairman.	Clerk
7. Planning Applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 14/00757/ATC – Low House, 33 High Street, Ivinghoe – Thin out one Silver birch tree by one third (1/3) and crown reduction – No Objections • 14/00678/APP – The Old School, Ivinghoe – Single storey rear and side extension – No Objections • 14/00684/APP – Ivy Cottage Great Gap – Demolition of existing dwelling and erection of one replacement dwelling – No Objections 	Clerk
8. To agree speakers for the Annual Parish Meeting and start time	8.1 The date had been changed to Wednesday 21 st May 2014 due to the Zumba class in the hall on the Tuesday which did not finish until 8pm. It was agreed to start at 7.15pm for 7.30pm and to invite 10 speakers including the County and District Councillors. Councillor Boersma would co ordinate the invitations to the speakers and the leaflets for the meeting.	CB
9. Highways, Streets And Transport.	9.1 It was agreed that Councillor Groom would attend the LAF priorities meeting on the 23 rd April and Councillor Boersma would attend the County Council devolved services meeting on the 27 th April.	CB/KG/Clerk
10. Allotments	<p>10.1 Councillor Snowdon reported that the new tap had now been installed and Mr Leonard had done an excellent job. It was agreed to include details including a picture in the next Beacon magazine.</p> <p>10.2 It was agreed that the annual allotments inspection would take place on Thursday 24th April.</p>	KG/SB/Clerk
11. Footpaths, Bridleway, Trees and Playgrounds.	11.1 Following the email that had been received from Rosie Taylor, Bucks CC rights of way explaining a new initiative to work with Parish Councils on rights of way it had been agreed to check if the footpaths proposed could be changed. Councillor Snowdon had agreed to liaise with Rosie Taylor over this. Discussion took place over what might happen to the maintenance of these paths when this County funding runs out and whether this would then fall on the Parish Council to do. Some local Council already paid to have footpaths cleared which were the responsibility of the County Council which meant that local electors were in fact paying twice.	GS

	Pitstone Hall	paid	Donation Vicars Leaving event	electronic	£ 25.00			
	Broker Network	paid	Came & Co Insurance	electronic	£ 825.96			
	Income							
	Beacon mag adverts	£ 165.00						
	Lawn Hire	£ 25.00						
		£ 190.00						
	15.2 Balances							
	Community a/c	£ 2,590.32						
	BMM a/c	£ 55,037.83						
	Beacon A/c	£ 171.95						
		£ 57,800.10						
	15.3 It was PROPOSED, SECONDED and CARRIED that Mr J Wallis be appointed as the internal auditor for financial year 2013/14.						Clerk	
16. Date of Next Meeting	Tuesday 6 th May 2014 – Old School Annual Parish Meeting – Wednesday 21 st May 2014 – Town Hall							

Signed.....

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