

**Langsett Parish Council**  
**Minutes of the Meeting of Langsett Parish Council held at The Barn, Langsett**  
**on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 7.30pm**

**Present:** Cllr Peter Horner (Chair), Cllr Susan Barnes, Cllr Lynn Hammond, Cllr Linda Taylor  
2 residents and Mrs Avril Sturdy (Clerk & RFO)

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The Parish Council held a minutes silence to remember those involved in the current conflict in Ukraine.

**21/22-120 Apologies for absence**

None received

The Chairman wished to put on record thanks to Mrs Angela Brailsford for her support and contribution to the Parish Council during her time as a Parish Councillor.

**21/22-121 Declarations of interest**

None received

**21/22-122 Exclusion of members of the press and public with regard to the Parish Councillor vacancy**

Resolved: to exclude any members of press and public with regard to agenda item 22

**21/22-123 Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

It was **resolved** that the minutes be approved and signed by the Chairman.

**21/22-124 Matters arising from the previous minutes**

The response from BMBC with regard to the building work at Midhope Court was reported.

**Resolved:** to take the matter further with BMBC Planning department for clarification.

**21/22-125 Public Participation**

Mr Marsh (landlord of the Dog & Partridge) requested the Parish Council consider support for provision of a defibrillator outside the Dog & Partridge pub. **Resolved:** Clerk to investigate funding options with the Ward Alliance and would be discussed at a later meeting.

A resident raised the issue of 5G provision locally and was updated by the Chairman as 5G currently only reaches 50m along the A616.

There was also a question regarding the off roading survey. **Resolved:** add to website.

The issue of litter, especially in the laybys, was raised. The Clerk confirmed that the Parish Council consistently raise this issue with BMBC and it would be discussed again.

**21/22-126 Planning Applications received since the agenda was produced**

None received

**21/22-127 Information on previous planning applications (decisions by BMBC)**

App No: 2021/1585 Judd Field Farm, Judd Field Lane, Cubley: Single storey extension & raised terrace

**Approved**

**21/22-128 Consultation on Silkstone Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan**

The Parish Council had no comments on the consultation.

**21/22-129 Information regarding the Community Fund (National Grid Visual Impact Provision project)**

Cllr Horner advised that the Community Fund is open for applications, the next application review is in April and Cllr Horner will attend the 5<sup>th</sup> April meeting. It was felt the application in April was too close so the Parish Council will look at options by August/September. Suggestions for a funding application include to replace streetlights in Langsett village with heritage ones, or possibly purchase a small piece of land as a play area.

**Resolved:** Cllr Horner to attend the April meeting and look at existing projects for suggestions. The Clerk to contact BMBC regarding any restrictions on heritage lampposts and contact Yorkshire Water regarding any areas of land in the locality.

**21/22-130 Items to bring to the attention of BMBC Neighbourhood Services**

Concern was raised regarding continuous amounts of litter in the laybys. **Resolved:** ask BMBC to attend a meeting to discuss the issue

The Chairman noted that one resident undertaking a Duke of Edinburgh's award borrowed some litter pick equipment and photos to be added to the Parish website.

**21/22-131 Footpaths and Public Rights of Way Issues**

A question was raised as to whether a roundabout is planned on the A616 at Equitrek linked to the Little Don Trail. It was also asked why the track along the rear of Don Cottages was still closed and that as there was a lot of rubbish along the Little Don Trail, what was planned to deal with this situation.

**21/22-132 Consultation on off-roading in protected landscapes**

The Chairman had answered a questionnaire from the Peak Park Forum regarding "off roading" with the aim to stop vehicles off roading on protected land. **Resolved:** add survey to Parish website

**21/22-133 Roads, Transport and Parking**

No feedback had been received regarding Yorkshire Water's plans for the Flouch car park.

The Parish Council generally liked the plan but had concerns regarding road safety and the increased number of visitors combined with the high speed of traffic. **Resolved:** to ask Yorkshire Water if, in conjunction with National Highways, any discussions have taken place regarding actions to protect pedestrians.

**21/22-134 Parish Defibrillator**

The Clerk confirmed that the new battery and pads have been received and installed.

**21/22-135 Parish Council Projects 2022/2023**

Suggestions regarding proposed projects were discussed, and would be further discussed at the April meeting.

(a) Games night at Langsett Barn

(b) Possible Christmas events e.g. wreath making

(c) Litter picks

(d) Community garden or play area **Resolved:** contact Yorkshire Water initially

(e) The Queen's Platinum Jubilee **Resolved:** the Chairman will speak to local residents regarding a street party event etc as it would be impact on access to properties.

**21/22-136 Parish Council Insurance**

The insurance policy renewal had been received at a premium of £218 (as last year). **Resolved:** to proceed with renewal at the said premium.

**21/22-137 Finance and Accounts**

Information was provided regarding matters having financial implications for the Council and to agree payments and note income in accordance with the Parish Council budget:

**137.1** The progress of the new banking application was noted. **Resolved:** Clerk to chase up position regarding transfer of monies and closure of HSBC account

**137.2** The review of internal financial controls document March 2022 was undertaken.  
**Resolved:** Approved and signed by the Chairman.

**137.3** The Clerk confirmed that Diane Brown has again agreed to audit the accounts of the Parish Council. **Resolved:** the appointment of Diane Brown as auditor for the 2021-2022 accounts was approved

**137.4** The Clerk confirmed that the precept request for 2022-23 has been sent to BMBC

**137.5** The payments and income in accordance with the Parish Council budget as noted below were approved:

**Bank balances as at: end January 2022 D/A £8,359.58 1<sup>st</sup> March 2022 C/A £1,258.64**

**Income**

Interest £-

**Expenditure**

Bank charges (22 February 2022) (£8 Acct fee £2 cheques)	£10.00
Clerks salary inc working from home (February and March 2022)	as agreed
Clerk' s expenses up to 28 <sup>th</sup> February	£ 3.96
Gallagher (Insurance premium 2022-23)	£218.00

**21/22-138 Items of correspondence not appearing elsewhere on the agenda**

- Details of Anne Robson helpline
- Information of election re Peak District National Park Authority

**21/22-139 Dates of meetings 2022-23 for approval at the May Annual Meeting**

The following dates were suggested and would be put forward for approval at the May Annual meeting:

- Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2022
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2022
- Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2023
- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2023
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023

**21/22-140 Any Other Business not on the Agenda**

It was suggested that a bin is required at the top of Brookhouse Lane . **Resolved:** send in request

**As no members of the public remained at the meeting, no resolution for exclusion was required.**

**21/22-141 Vacancy on Langsett Parish Council**

No applications have been received. The notice of vacancy will be updated and Parish Councillors will speak to residents or business owners in the Parish who may be interested in applying for the role.

**21/22-142 Matters to be placed on the agenda of the next meeting of the Parish Council**

None noted

**21/22-143 Date and Time of Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be Annual Parishioners' Meeting followed by the Annual Meeting of Langsett Parish Council and will be held on *Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2022* at 7.00pm and will be held at the Barn, Langsett.

Signed:

Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_