

KENNETT PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING held at Kennett County Primary School on Wednesday 6th April 2005 at 7.30pm

Present: Mrs Pamela Evans, Chairperson
Mr Keith Mobbs, Vice Chairman
Mrs Jackie Hughes, Parish Clerk
Mrs Diane Wallis

Apologies for absence: Dr John Gumpert
Mr Robin Watson
Mrs Judy Broadway, County Councillor

1. **The Minutes of the last meeting held on 2nd February** were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairperson.

2. **Matters arising from the Minutes**

ACRE Rural Housing Enabler. No news.

Parish Council lighting maintenance. The maintenance contract with Alfred McAlpine has been cancelled, we are waiting for an application form from Cambridge County Council.

Lorry Count. The clerk contacted the Highways Agency for counts of lorries through the village. They advised that they could do this when finance became available in April.

Herringswell Bridge No news.

Church-yard wall repairs. We have received three quotations, the Clerk to advise George Collin & Sons that they can commence repairs on 10 to 15 meters of the wall.

Memorial stones The Clerk wrote to Ely diocese explaining events so far and asked about procedures for the stones to be repaired. No news yet. The Clerk to write to the Diocese again.

Planning Committee meeting Judy Broadway represented the Parish Council with regard to D Haird, importation, crushing, screening and processing of construction and demolition waste, land at, Plantation Farm, Red Lodge, Kennett. Planning permission was granted.

Kennett Park, Friskies Petcare We now have the development proposals. We have concerns over increased traffic through the village.

3. **Police and Community**

Ely Sector Newsletter

Cambridgeshire Police Authority website re-launch.

Crime information: A cash box was forced in Station Road.

4. Accounts for payment

The following accounts were passed for payment:

Eon Energy – February & March supply	47.82
Alfred McAlpine – February & March maint	62.73
CPRE - Subscription	25.00

Confirmation of petty cash payments made: 3.36

Postage stamps 1.40

Transfer of £400.00 from Deposit to Current was approved.

5. Planning matters

05/00346/FUL	Erection of two storey side extension and construction of new dormer windows. Erection of detached garage. 84 Station Road Kennett	No objections
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6. Watermark Development

The 5 Villages Preservation Trust will be giving a presentation at the Kennett & Kentford Village Hall on Wednesday 13th April at 7.30pm. This is because a referendum has been requested and Kentford are holding a poll on 20th April. Kennett residents have also been invited to the presentation.

7. Correspondence

ECDC	Joint ECDC/CALC Parish Forum	Noted
Highways Agency	Traffic Information & Roadworks Feb-April 2005	Noted
Wildlife Trusts	County Wildlife Site Re-survey	See note 1 below
ECDC	Weekly Chairmans Highlights	Noted
Cambs CC	July – December edition of the Countryside Events Leaflet	Noted
Derek Miles	Drains, Parish Council Meeting dates & Minutes	See note 2 below
ECDC	Updated Graffiti Indemnity Form	Keep on file
ECDC	Weekly Lists	Noted
NALC	Asian Disaster	Noted
Community Network East	February 2005 E-Bulletin	Noted
Cambs CC	Faulty Streetlights	Noted
ADEC	Guide	Noted
HLEC	Healthy Living Magazine	Noted

Cambs ACRE	Calor Cambridgeshire Village of the Year 2005	(472) Noted
Cambs ACRE	Harvest Magazine	Noted
CALC	Bulletin & Training Courses	Noted
Cambs CC	Periodic Electoral Review	Noted
Cambs CC	Nominees for Transport Changes	Noted
Cambs CC	Rights of Way Improvement Plan	Noted
Cambs CC	Speedwatch	Noted
Cambs CC	Changes to Bus Stop Names	Noted
Cambs CC	Changes to Local Bus Services	See note 3 below
Cambs Constabulary	Contact in the Community database Registration form	Completed
Cambs Probation Service	Summary Annual Report	Noted
Cambs LAF	Local Access Forum meetings	Noted
Clerks Direct	Magazine	Noted
CPRE	Questionnaire, Countryside Voice, Fieldwork	Noted
Defra	Quality Parishes and Parish Planning	Noted
Defra	Clean Neighbourhood Bill	Noted
Defra	P'ship in rolling out broadband to rural communities CD	Noted
ECDC	Burial Grounds Survey 2005	Completed
ECDC	Mediation Delegated Meeting – Planning Applications	Noted
ECDC	Community Appreciation Day at USAAF Mildenhall	Noted
ECDC	How to Come up with an Idea for a Business Course	Noted
ECDC	Update of Register of Electors	File
ECDC	Election Notice	Notice Board
Shaping Health	PPI Forum	Noted
Hereward H'sing	Herald and Home & Away	Noted
NCMA	National Childminding Association Poster	Notice Board
Office of Deputy Prime Minister	Vibant Local Leadership Citizen Engagement & Public Services	Noted

Notes

1. The Clerk to advise the Trust that it may carry out a survey in Churchyard.
2. The Clerk to advise of AGM date and the viewing of minutes.
3. There were no changes to bus timetables for Kennet. Mrs Wallis stated that the local bus service times has changed, the Clerk is to ask Suffolk CC for timetables.

8. Date and venue of next meeting

The next meeting will be held at Kennett County Primary School, on Wednesday 4th May at 7.30pm