

KENNETT PARISH COUNCIL**MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING held at Kennett County Primary School on Wednesday 14th January 2004 at 7.30pm**

Present: Mrs Pamela Evans, Chairperson
 Mr Keith Mobbs, Vice Chairman
 Mrs Jackie Hughes, Parish Clerk
 Dr John Gumpert
 Mrs Diane Wallis
 PC Mark Hobson

Mr John Abbott, District Councillor

1. **Apologies for absence** were received from Mr Michael Allan.
2. **The Minutes of the last meeting held on 10th December** were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairperson.
3. **Matters arising from the Minutes**

Memorial stones. The Parochial Church Council has given permission to inspect the church yard. The clerk to seek advice from Mildenhall Monumentals and Ivett & Reid.

ACRE Rural Housing Enabler. No news.

Street lighting. AM Lighting have supplied a quote of £716.00 plus vat. The clerk has written to the Customer Connections Dept for a quote for Statutory Service works. The clerk to write and ask if we can get a grant towards the cost of the lighting. The broken lights have been repaired.

Free hedging. The privet hedge plants have been planted at the playing field and the residue planted in Church Lane.

Landfill. Dr Gumpert reported that there are no health concerns about the green waste composting.

4. **Police and Community**

Crimes recorded: Car stolen from Station Road, Cash box taken from phone box Station Road and diesel stolen from 2 lorries in Station Road.

The Police Community Support Officers. Michael Allan reported that Fordham will raising the issue at their AGM.

5. **Accounts for payment**

The following accounts were passed for payment:

KH Services – Grass cutting for the year	195.00
Jackie Hughes – Half year salary	336.51
CPRE – subscription	25.00
Petty Cash	50.00

Transfer from deposit approved	500.00
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6. Planning matters

03/01140/FUL	Partial retrospective application for the construction of proposed spectator viewing area and 2no. attenuation bunds. Wildtracks Offroad Activity Park.	Refused
03/01351/LBC	Proposed internal alterations Kennett End Cottage, Newmarket Road, Kennett.	No objections

7. Correspondence

Audit Comm	Comprehensive Performance assessment questionnaire	Completed
Atkins	Highways Agency E Anglia leaflet Dec 03 – Feb 04	Noted
CALC	Minutes, Bulletin various	Noted
Cambs CC	Highways review	Noted
Cambs CC	Countryside & Rights of Way Act 2000	Noted
Cambs CC	Budget 2004/5	Noted
Cambs CC	Changes to Local Bus Service	Noted
Cambs CC	Countryside Events Jan –Jun 2004	Noted
Cambs LAF	Fact sheet	Noted
Clerks & Councils	Magazine & Guide	Noted
CPRE	Rural matters	Noted
Dee Jays	Sign painter	Noted
ECDC	Register of Electors 2003/4	File
ECDC	Declaration of Interest reminder	Noted
ECDC	Benches for Open Spaces	Noted see (1) below
ECDC	Comprehensive Performance Assessment	Completed
ECDC	Register of Electors	Filed
ECDC	Vision 21	Noted
Ely SOFA	Used furniture	Notice board
Flood Action	Newsletter	Noted
GO East	Renewable Energy Planning System	Noted
HLEC	Newsletter	Noted
Powergen	New energy supplier direct debit	Completed

Note (1) Clerk to request a bench for the green in The Close.

8. Date and venue of next meeting

The next meeting will be held at Kennett County Primary School, on Wednesday 25th February at 7.30pm.