

STOCKLINCH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on
Wednesday, 18 January, 2012 at 8.00 p.m. in the Village Hall

1. **Welcome and Apologies:**

Present: Brian Faulkner; Ros Harding, Rob Rainbow; Claire Hart; Rosie Gallagher; Alan Speed; Ursula McKinlay
PCSOs Ben Middleditch and Graham his associate`

Apologies: Alison Corr; Derek Yeomans

2. **Declarations of Interest:** Rob Rainbow, as Chairman of the Village Hall Committee, expressed a conflict of interest in allocation of funds from the precept.

3. **Minutes of Previous Meetings:**

Minutes of meeting held on 19th October 2011 and extra-ordinary meetings of 7th December 2011 and 4th January, 2012 were taken as read and Brian Faulkner signed them as being correct.

4. **Local Policing:**

PCSO Ben Middleditch gave an overview of local crime issues. Recent nuisance vandalism within the village was discussed. Alan Speed advised of problems with bikes speeding up and down Pound Lane during weekends. These vehicles have no licence plates or insurance

5. **Finance Statement/Accounts Payable:** Ursula presented the balance sheet as at 31/12/2011 Current account balance stands at £221.09; Reserve Account: £2601.16.

6. **Parish Precept:**

The precept for the financial year 2012/13 was set at £1595.00 This was proposed by Rosie Gallagher and seconded by Ros Harding.

7. **Parish Footpaths:**

Claire Hart stated she had reviewed the state of the paths and signs throughout the village. The footpath sign near Manor Farm was in need of repair. She said she would contact the Parish Paths Stewardship department of the County Council and report her findings.

8. **Correspondence:**

- **Councillor Derek Yeoman's newsletter.**
In Derek's absence, the Chairman read out the newsletter highlighting issues of interest.
- **Code of Conduct & Standards Regime:**
This was placed in the circulation box for councillors to study.

9. **Matters of Report**

- **Grit Bins :**
The Chairman advised that the Council had placed winter supplies in the bins at Manor Farm.

- **.Vehicle Speed Control**

The question of speeding traffic coming through the village was again raised. Ben said he would supply 30 m.p.h. stickers for display as a warning to drivers. The issue of potholes appearing in the lanes was also raised. Ursula stated she would contact the Highways Department.

10. Date and Time of next meeting

The date for the Parish Council meeting was scheduled for Wednesday, 7th March, January, 2012 at 8 p.m.

Meeting Adjourned at: 8.55 p.m.