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Because of the Coronavirus a meeting of Slaley Parish Council due to take place on Monday March 15th 2021 at 7.30 p.m. will be administered by ZOOM video connection.

Agenda

1. Public Participation.

2. Apologies.

3. Declaration of Interests and Hospitality Record.

4. Minutes of February 8th 2021 meeting (circulated pages 1511 – 1514), appendix 1, page 1515, appendix 2, page 1516 & appendix 3, page 1517.

Also Minutes of Special Meeting held by ZOOM on Thursday February 18th (circulated pages 1518 – 1520.

5. Matters Arising.

- a) 5a 8/2/21; 5a 11/1/21; 5a & 14/12/20: Transfer of Community Trust funds. The CT had an article in the Slaley News, March issue, stating it was seeking to formalize membership and to recruit new people onto its Executive Committee. The CT Membership Application Form was to be returned to D, Allsop.
- b) 5b 8/2/21; 5b 11/1/21; 5a 14/12/20; 6a 9/11/20; 5a 14/10/20; 1 & 5a 14/9/20; 5a 10/8/20; 14a 13/7/20: Improved Broadband around The Glen area.
- c) 17b 8/2/21: Slaley PC Clerk emailed (15/2/21) Slaley Hall General Manager (copied to AF of FOSS & KB/CC for young adults) asking about the area set-aside for Slaley School and if there was any area to make a designated cycle route. Cllr DJ Taylor reported that Aprirose are selling off the Qhotel group -including Slaley Hall – that might account for any lack of reply.
- d) 18c 8/2/21: small dog-waste bin near Cautley Cottage. Cllr J. Storey was able to remove – currently at his home being refurbished.

6. Tackling Climate Change at Parish Level.

First AGM will take place on March 31st Copies of annual reports by the Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary are available if members of the PC would like to see them. Three young people have agreed to join the business meeting of the March meeting.

7. Matters for Discussion with County Councillor

- a) Update Glen Crossroads
- b) Update on reducing village speed to 20 mph.

8. Correspondence.

Telephone call:

Hard copies:

Clerk & Councils Direct March issue

Email

- a) 9/2/21: RSN Rural Bulletin
- b) 15/2/21: Northumbria Healthcare Stakeholder Update.
- c) 16/2/21: RSN Rural Bulletin
- d) 17.2/21: NALC Enews
- e) 18/2/21: Streetworks TTRO Yarridge Road, Hexham
- f) 22/2/21: CAN coping with unemployment and redundancy - webinars
- g) 22/2/21: GNAA News

- h) 23/2/21: RSN Rural Bulletin
- i) 23/2/21: West Northumberland VCS Online Network Meeting 2/3/21
- j) 23/2/21: West Northumberland VCS Online Network meeting 2/3/21
- k) 1/3/21: YDGLA Newsletter and Membership Renewal.
- l) 2/3/21: RSN Rural Bulletin
- m) 3/3/21: RSN Funding Digest
- n) 5/3/21: CAN Enews

9. Financial Report.

- a) TP Jones & Co LLP. Employers Summary February 2021
- b) Invoices received & paid since February meeting
- c) Invoices to be paid
- d) Correspondence from GMS – JA’s retirement alternative arrangements for Slaley. **Does the PC accept?**

10. New Planning Applications.

- 20/03995/VARYCO:** Variation of condition 2 pursuant to planning permission 20/00227/FUL in order to substitute new plans and elevations Peel Flatt, Slaley. NE47 0DL. Mr & Mrs Saunders. **Granted**
- 20/03374/FUL:** Detached garage at The Granary, Townfoot, Slaley. Applicant Mr & Mrs T. Matthews. **Granted**

11. Social Media Report - Councillor A.M. Livesey/ Cllr IC Stevens & Slaley Web Page Report - Councillor S.C. Douglas.

12. Defibrillator Update– Monthly check list attached as appendix 1/150321 page?

Cllr J. Storey will report if he has carried out the weekly inspections and that the Defib is working as expected. The monthly NEAS check list to be completed by Cllr Storey ready for the Clerk to email.

13. Update games/play area within school grounds.

February inspection sheets received one week missing due to snow – forwarded to School with a copy to Cllr I.C Stevens.

14. Slaley Commemoration Hall Update by Cllr DJ Taylor.

April Fool’s Auction begins on-line April 1st – please look and make a bid

15. Parish Council Elections May 6th.

2/3/21: Parish Nomination Pack (26 pages)

2/3/21: Parish Nomination Papers – despite three days of telephone calls and three emails I have not been able to get a copy of the Slaley or Healey electoral register which is needed to complete your nomination.

4/3/21: Parish Nomination Briefing (16 pages of the presentation to PC clerks)

16. AOB

- a) Cllr J Storey representing Slaley PC at an on-line meeting on March 10th to discuss Illegal use of Motor vehicles in Slaley Forest.
- b) Mobile Post Office battery dead - no service March 5th

17. Date of April 2021 meeting: Monday April 12th.