

## *Slaley Parish Council*

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**Because of the Coronavirus a meeting of Slaley Parish Council due to take place on Monday October 12th 2020 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 September 14th 2020 meeting (circulated pages 1479 – 1482). Appendix 1, page 1483 & appendix 2, page 1484.**

#### **5. Matters Arising.**

- a) 1 & 5a 14/9/20; 5a 10/8/20; 14a 13/7/20: Improved Broadband around The Glen area – email from Gillian Cowell 15/9/20 with a copy of the Powerpoint slides and the offer for people to get in touch. This was forward to the interested group of people.
- b) 16 14/9/20: Local Transport Programme 2021-22 there was a slight amendment to the suggested areas after correspondence between the Chair and the Clerk. **attached as appendix 1/121020, page**
- c) 17c 14/9/20: Damage on several BOATs – text arrive and Clerk forward to David Brookes at NCC 17/9/20 asking if repair work can be undertaken or the routes closed over the winter. Mr. Brookes will reply once he has assessed the routes.

#### **6. Tackling Climate Change at Parish Level.**

The group is to meet via a ZOOM connection.

#### **7. Matters for Discussion with County Councillor**

- a) 7c 140920; meeting agreed for 12 noon on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September between Neil Snowdon and a member of both Slaley & Healey PCFs was cancelled by email on 17/9/20 at 15.42. Circulated to Councillors at 16.00. Cllr PJ Cain ( healey PC sent an email 20/9/20 13.48 with three photographs showing the junction on the stop line, 2 metre beyond the stop line and from the central line. Email from CC C Charlton 20/9/20 at 22.39 after speaking to the NCC Chief Executive.

#### **8. Correspondence.**

##### **Hard copies.**

##### **Emails:**

- a) 14/9/20: NALC Coronavirus information for parish councils (this includes the re-introduced regular updates)
- b) 15/9/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- c) 15/9/20: NALC Member Update
- d) 15/9/20: Forestry Consultation- Forest Stewardship Council
- e) 18/9/20: CAN New COVUD-19 restrictions for our region
- f) 22/9/20: RSM Rural Bulletin
- g) 22/9/20: NALC Enews
- h) 24/9/20: NALC Member Update

- i) 24/9/20: NCC Elections office confirmation of information from request agenda 8x 24/9/20
- j) 25/9/20: CAN Test and Trace and QR Codes
- k) 29/9/20: RSN Rural Bulletin
- l) 30/9/20: NALC Enews
- m) 30/9/20: Healthwatch Northumberland Review of the Year and AGM
- n) 30/9/20: Streetworks TTRO Maidens Walk Hexham.
- o) 1/10/20: North East Ambulance service - Training Update. Clerk contacted and asked about aborted march 2020 training. Willing to come out to Slaley providing social distancing in place. Clerk confirmed with delegates and Monday November 9<sup>th</sup> is booked. Training paid by the PC in October 2019 with cheque No 749. Hire of Hall also paid included in Cheque No 765 on 9/3/2020. Delegates have been asked to bring their own flask for tea/coffee breakes and a packed lunch & drink for lunch time.
- p) 2/10/20: CAN New COVID-19 restrictions for our region
- q) 5/10/20: Streetworks TTRO Aydon Road, Corbridge

## **9. Financial Report.**

- a: TP Jones & Co LLP. Employers Summary September 2020 & confirmation of the Auto-enrolment Pension declaration.
- b Invoices received & paid since September meeting
  - TP Jones payroll preparation July – Sept £46.80
  - Clerk salary July – Sept - £1082.79
  - HMRC Clerk’s tax July- Sept £10.20
  - Play Inspection Company annual community inspection £78.00
  - Slaley Commemoration Hall “environmental taps in Phase One agreed 9/12/19” £1,143.24
  - Paid on line – authorized by Clerk and approved by Cllr A.M., Livesey & Cllr S.C. Douglas
- c) Invoices to be paid GMS final payment for 2020 growing season £976.20

## **10. New Planning Applications.**

### **Decisions from Planning:**

## **11. Social Media Report - Councillor A.M. Livesey & Slaley Web Page Report - Councillor S.C. Douglas.**

## **12. Defibrillator Update– Monthly check list attached as appendix 1/080620 page 14??**

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 scan and email.

## **13. Update games/play area within school grounds.**

- a) The two community notices on the school building, were removed by Ian Stevens, taken to be reprinted at Topsigns in Hexham. Draft email 1/10/20 and agreed.
- b) The Play Inspections Company annual inspection at the school – 36 page report received by email 17/9/20. The stock valuation is £40,407.19

## **14. Vacancy on the Parish Council –Mr. Ian Stevens, Winter House, Slaley remains interested in joining the Council in November 2020.**

## **15. Slaley Commemoration Hall Update by Cllr DJ Taylor. Minutes of July 15<sup>th</sup> attached as an appendix**

## **16. Slaley Parish Plan; Action Plan October 2020 update. Attached as an appendix**

17. Advertising Policy update What role the PC has with regard to what can and cannot be advertised in the parish. Cllr DJ Taylor requested at the August meeting.

## **18. AOB**

- a) Lead road between scales cross and High Fotherley carpet dumped on road. Clerk reported 1/10/20
- b) Parish Wander date has been changed to Sunday July 11<sup>th</sup> 2021. Will the Parish Council allow the organisers to put the Wander on the PC insurance policy as a one-day event as they did in 2016?

**19. Date of November 2020 meeting:** Monday November 9th.