GUITING POWER PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held October 5th 7.45 p.m.

At Guiting Power Village Hall

Present: Cllrs Tony Allcock OBE (Chair), Lisa Rose, Geoff Cuthbert, Else Ogden, Simon Gardner, Simon Wallis, Dawn Rimmer

Attending: Clerk Jane Carter

MINUTE	AGENDA ITEMS	ACTION
221005/1	Apologies: None	
221005/2	To Receive Declarations of Interest From Councillors- None received	
221005/3	To approve the minutes of previous Parish Council meetings held May: the minutes of the meeting held July 5th 2022 were approved as a true record and signed by the Chair.	
221005/4	To receive comments and concerns from the public: Car parking in the Square continued to be an issue. The Chairman invited a resident to give his views based on his professional experience with another county council. Better signage and lining could be utilised, but this would need to be weighed against increased urbanisation of the village. Restrictions on parking were unlikely because of the difficulties of enforcement. The Trust and the Village Hall were continuing to liaise on potential schemes. The County Council could offer advice and support. It was agreed to raise with County Councillor Mark Mackenzie-Charrington at the next meeting and retain on the agenda.	
221005/5	Queens Jubilee Commemorative Tree Seat: Cllr Rimmer reported that the seat had been installed. It would be added to the Council's assets register. Value was confirmed at £1700	Clerk
221005/6	Bonfire Night : the risk assessment had been completed and sent to the Clerk. Fireworks would be purchased based on a similar budget as last year.	Cllr Cuthbert
221005/7	Remembrance Day Service: a wreath would be purchased and laid on behalf of the Parish Council by the Chairman on Armistice Friday. The Chairman felt that a more substantial wreath should be purchased. A budget of £50 was agreed. Cllr Wallis agreed to investigate	Cllr Wallis
221005/8	Xmas Tree arrangements: the Chairman reported that as in previous years, residents of Castlett Farm had kindly agreed to sponsor the Xmas Tree and mulled wine. It was agreed that residents providing the electric for the lights should be offered some recompense by the Council due to the high cost of electricity. A budget of £50 was agreed. Cllr Ogden to speak to the residents.	Cllr Ogden
221005/9	Cotswolds Friends Charity: an appeal for volunteers and donations had been received by Cotswolds Friends. It was agreed to make a donation of £50	Clerk
221005/10	Playing Fields Goalposts: the council had been approached to buy and erect goalposts on the playing field. This was agreed. Any funds raised for their purchase and ongoing repair would be donated to the council. The goalposts would be added to the playground equipment insurance	Clerk
221005/11	To consider any planning applications: none received	

	Finance:						
221005/12		Amount	Payee	Purpose	VAT to be re-claimed		
		556.40	Clerk	Salary July- September	N		
		151.20	Community Heartbeat	Annul support	Y		
		119.60	HMRC	Quarter two	N		
		50	Playing Fields Association	Annual subscription	N		
	Date	Amount	Receipt	Purpose			
		1037	CDC	25% precept			
	I. Payments and Receipts: noted and approved ii) Statements of accounts and bank reconciliation: approved						
221005/13	For Information: None						
221005/14	The Chair closed the meeting at 8.25 p.m. and thanked everyone for attending. The next meeting would be held on Wednesday November 16 th , 2022 f ollowed by a Constables Piece Meeting.						

Approved By		
Date		