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# **Minutes of the East Clandon Parish Council Meeting** held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 3rd August 2011 (replacing the 28th July meeting which was cancelled)

Present Ray Corstin (acting chairman), Paul Richardson, Keith Grange,

In Attendance Mary Leech (parish clerk); Skip McMullan, Brian Hendry (architect for Daphne

Cottage Planning Application), 3 members of the public

**Apologies** Cllr Jenny Wicks, Sibylla Tindale, Al Mundy

Declaration of personal or prejudicial interests registered: none necessary

Action

#### **Item**

#### Minutes of the meeting of 30<sup>th</sup> June 2011 2012

The Minutes were signed as correct by the Acting Chairman, Ray Corstin

#### 2013 **Matters arising**

- a. <u>Item 2000, 1995j, 1990m, 1985o, 1983a, Salt / Grit bins</u> See below (item 2017): the Report by Skip McMullan
- b. Item 1995n, 1993d Road Traffic accidents. Al Mundy will liaise with Simon Wood for further information in respect to the recent accidents at the junction of New Road with A246.

Al/Simon

#### Financial report

Keith reported on the ECPC finances as at 30 June 2011 as follows:

- a. Tennis money received: £65. VAT refund received of £44.58.
- b. Current account: £7054.92 Deposit account: £615.28
- c. Concurrent Functions Grant Aid Application. The application forms and details have been received from GBC, with a request that applications be returned by 5<sup>th</sup> September (ie before ECPC next meeting). After some discussion among councillors, Keith told the meeting that he would complete the forms and submit them to GBC.

Keith

#### 2015

### **Planning Matters**

- Clandon Downs 11/P/00889. GBC approved, with conditions.
- Hilltop Farm 11/P/00645. GBC refused.
- Hatchlands 11/P/00397. GBC approved with conditions.
- New Application: Daphne Cottage 11/P/01224/5/6/7 Brian Hendry, architect for the applicants who were also present, submitted a brief outline of the reasons for the submission of two separate planning applications; he then answered questions from the councillors. Ray reminded the applicants that the Parish Council has no authority to give decisions in a planning application, but can only notify GBC of their collective opinions.

**Risk Assessment Returns.** Mary will ask Al for the one remaining Return to 2016 be available by the next meeting.

Mary/ Al

Snow clearance. Skip McMullan told the Council that he attended a meeting organised by SCC to discuss local snow clearance in Surrey. SCC is intending to make more use of small contractors, such as farmers and residents with suitable equipment, to speed up snow clearance on small roads which cannot be accessed by large clearance ploughs. Skip has submitted the necessary documentation which will permit him becoming a local contractor able to clear snow when, at his discretion, more than 50mm has accumulated. This will be a 6-year contract, with payment by SCC on an hourly basis agreed annually. Skip was thanked for his willingness to become a local snow contractor.

## Playground and Tennis Court Update.

2018

- a. <u>Playground</u>. The annual RoSPA Reort has just been received, about which Ray will inform the September council meeting.
- b. <u>Tennis Court</u>. The court has now been cleaned, brushed, and sprayed against algal growth. It is in good condition.
- c. <u>Tennis Court benches</u>. Two new benches have been purchased. One is secured within the tennis court area, the other very firmly secured outside. Both have been labelled ECPC with indelible marker pen, as supplied by the police.
- **Parish Online Evaluation assessment.** No report yet. Mary will ask Peter Smart for his opinions of its usefulness.

2020 **GBC Questionnaire on rural communities.** Mary has received this questionnaire which she will complete as far as possible and then ask for any necessary assistance from councillors.

Village of the Year Competition. Judging took place last week, with a presentation to the judges given in the village hall by Sibylla. We now await the outcome.

Wildflower meadow on The Common. To await progress report from Sibylla.

Plans for Queen's Jubilee Celebrations. To await progress report from Sibylla

### Any other business

a. <u>Title deeds to land owned by ECPC</u>. These are at present with Arthur Hunkin, of Church Cottage.

<u>Tunmore fields.</u>
The stile is in need of repair. Ray will liaise with Mike Cook, current lease holder of the fields.

Ragwort is growing in the fields. Ray will liaise with Mike for clearance as necessary.

In the absence of further business the meeting closed at 9:30 pm.

# Date of next meeting:

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2011 at 7:45pm

Mary/ Peter

Ray

Mary/ cllrs

Sibylla

Sibylla

Sibylla

Ray/ Mike

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