

ST. BRIDES MAJOR COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THE

10TH JANUARY, 2021 AT 7.00PM

PRESENT: Cllr. Barry Lewis (Vice Chair), Cllrs. A. Parry, H. Rosenberg, S. Roberts, A. Morgan, Vale Cllr. S. Edwards

1. APOLOGIES – Cllrs. C. Orescnick, A. James

2. POLICE REPORT – No report or personnel present. Clerk is to request a report.

3. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES OF THE 13TH DECEMBER, 2021 – During the Jubilee Celebration item it was raised that it should be opened up to the all the local business if they require to attend. This is to be inserted, but it was stated by the Vice Chair that this item is to be covered in the next Jubilee Planning meeting.

4. MINUTES OF MEETING 13TH DECEMBER, 2021 – With this addition, the minutes were proposed and seconded as a true record.

5. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED

Vale of Glamorgan Council Town/Community Council Tax Precepts.

The Circuit – Confirmation of registration of defibrillators

Poster from PC Jamie Williamson Telephone numbers.

6. FINANCIAL REPORT

Opening balance	£15,643.50
Cheques presented for payment	£ 574.22
Direct debits E-On	£ 32.76
	£ 32.92

Monies received Compensation from Barclays		£ 100.00
Precept of £9,375.00 received since statement	£ 9,375.00	£24,544.28
Savings Account balance		£16,762.02

REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT

Byron Brinkley Christmas trees	£ 480.00
Duchy of Lancaster Bus shelter Ground rent	£ 30.00
D. Brunsdon Salary	£ 240.00
Rent	£ 20.00
Telephone	£ 15.00

Proposed and seconded that these payments are made.

- **BUDGET REPORT** – Cllr. Lewis stated that the spending is in line with the budget.
- **PRECEPT** – Cllr. Lewis stated that it is again time to discuss the setting of the Precept for 2022/2023. With high balances due to the lack of projects being carried out during COVID he felt that this could be reduced to £17 per household which would equate to £24,000.
- Full discussion took place with a suggestion be made that further funds be given to the Ogmire by Sea Village Hall rather than reduce the Precept. No request has been received from the Committee.
- Election expenses will have to occur during the year which could amount to £1,500 per ward St. Brides Major Ward and Ogmire by Sea Ward.
- Concern was raised if it is reduced how could it be increased in the future?

As a result of a full discussion, and taking all opinions into count, it was proposed and seconded that a Precept of £25,500 would be applied for this year, but further consideration would be given next year and if necessary, an increase could be applied for.

7. REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT:

- **BURIAL GROUND / CHURCH WALL** – Nothing to report. It had been reported to the Clerk that flowers which had been placed on a grave over the Christmas had been “removed” and this has caused the family distress. This is the only case reported to the Clerk to date.

Initial work on the Church wall has been completed, but it was agreed that the Councillors would meet and assess the next stage. During this assessment, it was agreed that the surrounding trees be assessed.

- **SOUTHERNDOWN CRICKET AND SOCIAL CLUB – Nothing to report.**

• **TASK AND FINISH GROUP, OGMORE BY SEA –** No update has been received since the last meeting. The Vale is still waiting for confirmation and start date for the fixing of the automatic number recognition barrier. Cllr. Edwards confirmed he had requested a meeting with Emma Reed to discuss this and the way forward for Ogmore by Sea. No response has been received regarding the parking on Norton Hill.

- **JUBILEE CELEBRATION -** Nothing further to report. No meeting was held in December, but one is to be arranged for the 25th January, 2022 at 7pm.
- **MEETING WITH VALE COUNCIL RE 20 MILES PER HOUR –** Additional signs, stickers and posters which were designed by the School have been erected at the start of the Village. Daffodils have also been planted at various points as agreed with the Vale Council. A question was asked when this is likely to happen at Ogmore by Sea. Cllr. Edwards believes it will be 2024.

9. PURCHASE OF BENCHES - This is to be carried forward as the Vale Council are repairing some at St. Brides Major and a walk around is to be carried out in Ogmore by Sea to see which could be repaired and needing replacement.

10. BATHING WATER REVIEW – This is a report which includes beaches in the Barry area, Llantwit Major and also Southerndown. It has been requested as to why Ogmore by Sea has not been included in this. It was agreed that correspondence be sent to both Alun Cairns and Jane Hutt to enquire why this is the case.

11. PLANNING REVIEW

PLANNING DECEMBER – JANUARY, 2022

APPROVALS

Application No. 2021/0153/FUL

Location 40 Crompton Way, Ogmore by Sea

Proposal Proposed single storey rear extension to form a conservatory

Approved 14th December, 2021

Application No. 2020/01173/FUL

Location Penuchadre Farm, Wick Road, St. Brides Major

Proposal Amended plans Erection of a wooden hut within existing silage pit walls for a milk vending machine. Proposed parking and additional access. Removal of stone wall for gates and construction of new stone wall and post and rail fence.

Approved 16th December, 2021

Application No. 2021/01458/FUL

Location 31 Channel View, Ogmore by Sea

Proposal Decking to the front of house with glass balustrade

Approved 21st December, 2021

Application No. 2021/01543/FUL

Location 33 Crompton Way, Ogmore by Sea

Proposal Single storey conservatory addition to rear elevation.

Approved 22nd December, 2021

Application No. 2021/01602/FUL

Location Tusker House, 71 Main Road, Ogmore by Sea.

Proposal Erect a sun lounge to the North West elevation

Approved 6th January, 2022

NEW APPLICATION

Application No. 2021/01722/FUL (MST)

Location 29 Channel View, Ogmore by Sea

Proposal Completion of raised terrace, outbuilding and associated external works

12. UPDATE ON SUB COMMITTEES

- **OGMORE BY SEA WARD – See Task and Finish Group.** It was reported that the Village Hall had successful Open Days and it is hopeful that some classes/groups will be able to use it shortly. A letter is to be sent to the Association's Committee to congratulate them on all the hard work.

- **ST. BRIDES MAJOR WARD – As mentioned previously daffodils have been sown through the Village in the hope that it will draw attention to the 20 miles per hour signs.**

13. QUESTIONS FOR CHAIR – Vale Cllr. Edward advised that the usual kerbside collections of the Christmas trees will not be carried out this year due to the shortage of drivers in the Vale Council.

A Councillor also advised that there had been problems on Craig yr Eos and homeowners had failed due to inconsiderate parking failed to get out of their drives.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING 14TH FEBRUARY, 2022

Meeting closed 8.45pm.