

MINUTES OF REDGRAVE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2005
Held at Redgrave Activities Centre at 7.30 pm

Present: Mrs J Orves, Mrs A Preston, Mrs D Culley, Mr R Hayward, Mr K Green, Mr I Baird, District Councillor Sara Michell, and two residents

1. Apologies received from Mr J Van Beveren, Mr S Burgess, and County Councillor Charles Michell
2. The Chairman welcomed everyone and apologised for the length of the agenda
3. There were no declarations of interest
4. The minutes of meeting of Wednesday 13 July 2005 were agreed as a true record
5. There were no matters arising from those minutes not covered by this agenda
6. *Open discussion with county and district councillors, and services*
Sara Michell raised the question of the shop and the B Belton letter was discussed at this part of the agenda. The Northern Area MSDC planning committee had been attended by Sara Michell and Ann & John Preston. The MSDC committee rejected the application for a change of use to private dwelling for the shop. Mr Belton as agent for Mr Broad who owns the shop was clearly displeased and had written a letter which claimed that because of it's opposition it was now the responsibility of the parish council to run the shop. A draft reply to Mr Belton was discussed and it was agreed to email it to Charles Michell for third party comment. Subject to any modifications following his observations, the letter would then be sent to Mr Belton before the next parish council meeting.
7. *Open discussion with residents*
Was covered during item 6.
8. Planning applications received and decisions received
1449 05 Post Office Cottage conservatory was considered by email between meetings approval subject to conservatory being painted to blend with the listed building.
1590 05 Outline Bungalow at Moneypot – Approval subject to detailed plans being to same size footprint and no second storey.
1235 05 Adjacent “Timbers” bungalow MSDC granted renewal
1546 05 2 conifers removal Prospect Cottages MSDC agreed
Planning Stakeholder meeting 20 September at MSDC – Ann Preston will attend
9. Finance and cheques for signature
War memorial plaque to Fus B Cox our share will be £146 – agreed pay when invoice arrives. (Action was agreed 1998)
Insurance renewal £651.13 - agreed
Annual playground inspection £94 - agreed
Direct debit E-on energy £10.23 lights electricity – just for info
Ian Baird asked for all donations as per precept to be actioned at October meeting
10. Registration of Parish Land – carry forward to October
11. Village info pack – carry forward to October
12. Youth – carry forward to October
13. Info only: Progress on Activities Centre extension – Plaster-boarding nearly complete.
14. Info only: Kerry Foods liaison report – next meeting is October
15. Info only: Road signs
Ian Baird reported that 30 mph signs will be repositioned as requested at Churchway, Botesdale Rd, and Lopham Rd. Hinderclay Rd will be discussed on site with Mr Lomax. 4 additional 30 mph repeaters will be added on B1113 through village.
16. Highways
White lines at Crossways done
Old School footway – letter still to be sent
17. Handling action plans arising from Parish Plan – Theatre Club, Gardening Club, operating. Cinema club run twice.

18. Comments on Rights of Way improvement – carry forward to October meeting
19. Any other correspondence or info
 - Mr Kerry offer to register Redgrave Fen – draft letter agreed that land never owned by PC and post enclosure not owned by residents
 - MSDC Parish Liason meeting Monday 3 October – Ann Preston will attend
 - SCC fact sheet on Fire Brigade dispute - noted
 - Rethink becomes Optua - noted
 - Norfolk CC Minerals community involvement - noted
 - Mr Parker – no through road sign - noted
 - MSDC Treasures Trail Project –contribution of £250 not agreed
 - Back Hills speed limit and School – reply fully support Botesdale PC view
 - South Norfolk looking for Gypsy sites - noted
 - Breckland development plan - noted
 - Litter bins questionnaire MSDC - done
 - Budget consultation roadshows Sept Oct SCC – noted
 - Agreed send letter to MSDC to remove sign on Churchway end of Mill Lane to avoid damage by tractors.
 - Ken Green raised taking top bars off stiles on footpaths to help 2 people with disability - agreed Ken will discuss with Andrew Aves, Redgrave PC footpath officer
20. Matters carried forward from this meeting – see notes on each item
21. New matters for next meeting
 - Ian Baird gives apology for October.
 - All donations identified in precept to be agreed October and cheques sent.
22. Date of next meeting
 - Second Wednesday in October