

FAWLEY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a meeting of the Amenities Committee held on Wednesday 3rd September 2008 following an Extraordinary meeting of the Parish Council at 6.45 pm in the Jubilee Hall, Fawley.

p Cllr Mrs K Lord(In the Chair)
p Cllr Mrs S Read(Vice-Chairman)

p Cllr Mrs M C A Alderman
p Cllr L Dunsdon
p Cllr M H G Fidler
p Cllr A T Glass
p Cllr G Smith

Also present: Cllr E Holtham, Cllr Mrs B Maynard, Cllr C A McDowall, Cllr R A Wappet.

In attendance:

Mr K Lobley, Centre Manager Gang Warily.
Mrs P Coombes, Finance Officer.
Mrs S Markides, Clerical Assistant.

Also present: One member of the public.

- 1. Apologies.** None.
- 2. Declarations of Interest:** Cllrs Dunsdon and Wappet declared a non-prejudicial interest in Item 5 Planning, as they are members of the New Forest Planning Committee. They stated that they would consider the applications on the evidence in front of them. Cllr Dunsdon declared a personal & prejudicial interest in application 08/92944. Cllr Mrs Read declared a personal and non-prejudicial interest in item 6.
- 3. Minutes:** To sign the minutes of the meeting held on 9th July 2008.

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 9th July be signed as a correct record.

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- 4. Chairman's Remarks.**

The Chairman reported that a request had been received from Blackfield & Langley Football Club to close the skate park on Saturday 6th September as they were playing an FA Vase game.

RESOLVED: To agree to the request with the proviso that a notice advising the public be erected beforehand. The Centre Manager to attend to this.

- 5. Planning**
 - a) Parish List:**

RESOLVED: To submit observations on planning applications, as follows:

08/92881

207 Long Lane, Holbury, Fawley, SO45 2PD.

Single-storey front & rear extension; store; workshop; demolition of existing.

(1) We recommend permission but would accept the decision of the District Council's Officers under their delegated powers.

Cllr Dunsdon left the meeting.

08/92944

59 Rolleston Road, Holbury, Fawley, SO45 2HB

Single-storey extension.

(1) We recommend permission but would accept the decision of the District Council's Officers under their delegated powers.

Cllr Dunsdon returned to the meeting.

08/92946

Avondale, Thornbury Avenue, Blackfield, Fawley, SO45 1YP

Conservatory.

(1) We recommend permission but would accept the decision of the District Council's Officers under their delegated powers.

08/92983

6 Sherwood Way, Blackfield, Fawley, SO45 1ZN

First floor side extension.

(1) We recommend permission but would accept the decision of the District Council's Officers under their delegated powers.

b) Tree work applications:

08/0274

21 Forest Gate, Blackfield, Southampton SO45 1GW.

T1 Oak - Reduce lateral branches growing towards property and reduce and reshape the crown.

T2 Oak - Remove lateral branch over field and reduce and reshape the crown by 3m.

T3 Oak - Crown thin by 20%.

Support, subject to the approval of the District Council's arboricultorist.

08/0288

27 Forest Edge, Fawley, Southampton SO45 IFN.

T1 Hornbeam - Fell.

Support, subject to the approval of the District Council's arboricultorist.

Cllr Mrs Read left the meeting.

- 6. To consider a request from the Hovercraft Club of Great Britain to hold the Hovercraft Rally at Gang Warily during the 2009 August Bank Holiday weekend.** Members discussed the request including the provision of camping sites and charges plus other facilities that could be available.

RESOLVED: To accept provisionally the date of the August Bank Holiday 2009 to hold the Hovercraft Rally at Gang Warily, the Centre Manager to liaise with the Hovercraft Club of Great Britain.

Cllr Mrs Read returned to the meeting.

7. To receive Monthly Sales Values: June and July 2008.

RESOLVED: To accept the Monthly Sales values June and July 2008. See attached Appendices A and B.

The Centre Manager presented his report (See attached Appendix C). Members discussed the over run on the building work of the new QEII pavilion and were informed that lockable, portable, chemical toilets would be delivered on Friday 5th September 2008 for use over the weekend.

It was also noted that a pack with useful information regarding GP referral to the fitness suite was available from New Forest District Council.

8. Correspondence:

a) For response:

i) New Forest National Park Plan Consultation Draft, National Park Management Plan and Local Development Framework Core Strategy and Development Policies, August 2008. Available from the office. Comments by 31st October 2008.

RESOLVED: Members to make an objection to the planning proposal regarding recreational horse keeping. It was suggested that members of the public also objecting to this, be invited to the Council offices to add their comments to the response form, to be submitted by 31 October 2008.

ii) Government for the South East: Proposed Changes to draft Regional Spatial Strategy for the South East of England. (summary circulated, CD ROM available from the office).Noted.

b) For notification:

i) Environment Agency: Changes to the Environment Agency Flood Warning Areas in Solent and South Downs. Map available from the office. Noted

c) Available from the office: Totton & Eling Local News, Summer 2008, HCC Community Transport News Summer 2008.

9. Date of next meeting: 5th November 2008.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.42 pm.

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Chairman