

## ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Minutes of a meeting held at 7.30 p.m. at Gt. Witchingham School Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2009

Present : Roy Church, Pauline Brown, Stephen Williams, Mark Pead, and Kevin Francis. Ron Cornell in the chair.  
Clerk: Peter Dilloway, James Joyce (County Councillor) John Lemmon (Beat PCSO) and 4 members of the public:

- (1). Apologies: Tania Spelacy and Simon Woodbridge (District Councillor)
- (2). Minutes of the meeting held 22/5/08 were agreed to be a true record, proposed, seconded and duly signed as such by the chairman.
- (3). Matters Arising: There were no matters arising from the minutes.
- (4). Chairman's Report: The Chairman's report had been issued to all present at the meeting and a copy is appended.
- (5). Financial Report:  
The financial report had been issued to all present at the meeting and a copy is appended hereto  
As at the end of the last financial year the following bank balances were held to the credit of the Parish Council:

Planning Consultancy Fund	£5326.33
Current Account	£ 44.43
Business Premium Account	£2924.06
High Interest Business Account	£1590.71
Total	£9885.53

- (6). Great Witchingham Fuel Allotment Charity:
  - (i). The Chairman's and Treasurer's reports had been issued to all present at the meeting and copies are appended hereto.
  - (ii). Election of Trustees The following have put their names forward for election as trustees  
Mark Pead and Trevor Carnell. Both were elected subject to ratification and acceptance at the next trustees meeting.
- (7). Great Witchingham Village Hall: Report of Trustees.  
No formal report was available but Dot Cushing advised that a street fete was in the process of organisation to be held 25<sup>th</sup> May. It was intended to have a display of the proposals for the hall such as are up to date at the time. There were some issues to resolve over parking but these can be dealt with by using the surgery and parish land at the Bridge PH.
- (8). Policing Matters. PCSO John Lemmon told the meeting that he had replaced PC Andy Barkaway some while ago. The local team is to have a further PC and Sergeant as well to improve local policing. There have been some 20 crimes reported during the year, most of which were theft or burglary. (one murder was committed elsewhere whilst the body was dumped at Rabbit Lane). In real terms the crime rate remains low.
- (9). Open Meeting.
  - (i). The Village has been noticeably quieter during the closure of the pub. A new tenant will be taking over shortly.
  - (ii). The Reepham school bus is still collecting children from outside the Post Office rather than the official point. Again this is a hazard. The Clerk will write to the school again.

There being no other business the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 7.50pm

Date and time of next meeting: at the Great Witchingham School Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2010 at 7.30pm

**GREAT WITCHINGHAM ANNUAL PARISH MEETING**  
**To be held at the Great Witchingham School**  
**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2010 at 7.30pm**

**AGENDA**

- 1) Apologies.
- 2) Minutes of the meeting held 26<sup>th</sup> march 2009
- 3) Matters arising.
- 4) Chairman's report
- 5) Financial report
- 6) Gt. Witchingham Fuel Allotment Charity
  - a. Chairman's report
  - b. Treasurer's report
  - c. Election of Trustees
- 7) Great Witchingham Memorial Hall – Report of Trustees
- 8) Open meeting
- 9) Date & time of next meeting 24<sup>th</sup> March 2011 at 7.30pm at Gt. Witchingham School.