

**BRADFORD PEVERELL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**  
Held in the Village Hall on Thursday June 16th, 2022

**Present** – Vice Chairman Cllr S Denning, Cllrs, N Howard, J Harrop, J Desborough and C Hawkins. Representatives C Bishop and T Buck, clerk J. Adlam.

**Democratic Period** – Nothing raised

**1 Apologies-** Cllr P Meaden

**2 Minutes** – of the Parish Council meeting held on Thursday April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022, were read, approved and signed by the Chairman. Proposed by Cllr NH and seconded by Cllr JD

**3 Matters Arising -**

a) The clerk has registered our support for Dorset Deserves Better.

b) Missing fence by river on A37 corner - A new section of stock fence has been erected and Highways have not disapproved although it is not as good as the previous fence and the end is attached to the bridge with barbed wire, but at least it is done.

c) Poundbury Access - Cllr P M is still investigating.

d) Dog Wardens- We have been unable to find any contact details for Dorset Council employees and a councillor suggested trying through Hillcrest Kennels at Winterbourne Abbas.

**4 Correspondence -**

Has all been circulated or forwarded electronically.

**5 Officers and Representatives Reports –**

- Village maintenance – Cllr NH reported about the fence (see Matters Arising) and that he sight line of the cut grass on the islands either side of the access onto the A37 does not extend far enough for the average height car but NH will contact Highways again to see if it can be cut further. More enquiries will be made about getting the guttering on the Bus shelter repaired or replaced.
- Village Hall – T.Buck reported that the non slip surface on the ramp access to the hall had been completed, and that fund raising was under way for the purchase of a new boiler. There is a Yarn Bomb event in the village on Sunday.
- Muckleford – C. Bishop reported that the disputed land at Muckleford has had further improvements done to it but there was no sign of any buildings as yet. T Bishop has now received approval to remove the damaged finger post for repair and has also received two donations of their prize-money so far towards the cost from two of the winners in the Jubilee scarecrow competition. This is gratefully received and we would like to thank the donors for their generosity.
- Amenity Fields – C Chapman not present.
- Flood Warden – Cllr CH – nothing to report.
- Footpaths and Rights of Way – We need a **New Representative** so if you are a local walker please consider helping the Parish Council by taking on this role. It is only a case of being aware of the paths and being a first point of contact for anybody who encounters any problems such as excess growth or rubbish, dangerous erosion or tree roots etc. We only meet 6 times a year and a lot of our communication is by email anyway.

Some problems with overgrowing vegetation have been reported on paths No 2 and 4 and this has been logged on the Dorset Council site by one of the Councillors.

**6 Planning –** P/MPO/2022/03353 - East lodge, Bridport Rd, Martinstown. Discharge of planning obligations relating to application 1/E/2001/0111 – Noted  
P/HOU/2022/03728 – Parklands, Bradford Peverell. Erect first-floor extension to existing garage/office – Not overlooked or intrusive but will be looked at by councillors before comments made.

**7 Finance -**

a) Payments made since last meeting –

i) Insurance – Community First. Changed to new provider £301.01

*(many thanks to Cllr JH for searching for a better deal, saving the PC over £300)*

Finance continued -	ii) DAPTC Membership	£138.08
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	<b>b) <u>Payments to be made</u></b>	
	i) Mark Stevenson – Internal Audit	£25.00
	ii) BP Village Hall – donation for Jubilee weekend prizes Proposed by Cllr SD Seconded by Cllr NH	£70.00
	<b>c) <u>Annual Governance and Accountability Return – forms to be signed</u></b>	
	i) Annual Governance Statement Prop by SD Sec by JH	
	ii) Annual Accountability Statement validation Prop by JD Sec by NH	
	All forms duly authorised and signed and witnessed. To be published on website before July 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2022.	

**8 Any other business – Yarn bomb event will be on Sunday**

**9 Future Meetings Arranged - Sep 1st and Nov 3rd. All in the Village Hall at 7pm**

Meeting closed at 7.45pm.