

CLAYWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting	
	<p>A meeting of the Clayworth Parish Council was held in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday 8th December 2015 at 8pm.</p> <p>Present were: Councillors J Hunter Shaw, L. Clark , R. Clark, N Fletcher and P Fletcher Also in attendance: E. Yates (County Councillor), K. Sutton (District Councillor) and C. Hollands (Clerk)</p>
93	<p>Public Session</p> <p>K. Sutton updated the meeting on recent developments. 'Devolution' is the current hot topic. There has been much debate as to where Bassetlaw should ally itself. Sheffield area or Notts/Derbyshire. There has also been discussion as to the boundaries of these geographical areas and the appointment of Mayors to head them up. The debate continues.</p> <p>There was some discussion as to responsibility for water ingress to the Church Clock. It was agreed that this is a matter for the Church and their insurers.</p> <p>E. Yates spoke about the Counties' 'Total Transport Pilot Fund Project', its ambit and the need to make best use of available resource. The meeting will be updated on progress.</p>
94	<p>Apologies for absence Councillor M. Booth</p>
95	<p>Declarations of interest None</p>
96	<p>Minutes</p> <p>It was agreed that the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 10th November 2015, having been circulated, be accepted as a true and correct record. The Council approved the minutes and the Chairman duly signed them.</p>
97	<p>Matters arising from the minutes None</p>
98	<p>Finance</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. A report on the Bank balances was noted. b. The following payments were agreed. Cheque number in brackets. North Notts Landscapes Grass Cutting October 13th £55.20 (101189) Sharpe Group Limited – Monthly web site charge £30 (101190) c. The Clerk asked the meeting if there are any particular projects or items that need to be included in the draft budget. It was agreed that there are none and that the budget be proposed on the same basis as the current year.
99	<p>Correspondence</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A letter giving detail of the Local Government Boundary Commissions Electoral Review and its' findings. 2. A letter giving detail of the County Councils' 'Inspire' initiative which is an arms length management service for libraries in particular. It was agreed that leaflets explaining the effect of this change are to be made available in the Memorial Hall. 3. A press release from the Community First Responders team seeking volunteers to

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	<p>provide the services in the Clayworth Area. It was agreed that this be displayed on the notice board.</p> <p>4. The Parish Council agreed to note various other items of correspondence that together with the item 1 are to be circulated to Councillors for information.</p>
100	<p>Post Office Home Service The merits and practicalities of this service and its' introduction were discussed. It was agreed that the service would be advertised at the Weekly Coffee Morning held in the Memorial Hall and that Councillor N. Fletcher will liaise with the Post Master at Beckingham, who is the 'link' for this project, as to how this service may best be implemented.</p>
101	<p>Village footpaths The condition of the footpath running from Greys Bridge down to the Church was raised as a concern. It has still not been cleared and is dangerous as it is overgrown and covered in fallen leaves. It was agreed that the Clerk will take this up with the County Council.</p>
102	<p>Police Report PCSO Airey gave an update on local crime matters. There have been three crimes reported during the month of November. Two of Criminal Damage tin fields off St Peters Lane and Mill Lane where riders of quad bikes have caused damage. The other crime was a theft from motor vehicle parked in St Peters Lane.</p>
103	<p>Any other business The Clerk raised the issue of the management of the Memorial Hall and handed to the Parish Council representatives, who are also members of the Memorial Hall Committee, a copy of the Charity Commissions agreement governing the charity (Memorial Hall) agreed on 22nd June 2004. The Clerk expressed his concern that the Parish Council is at risk as Custodian Trustee if the Memorial Halls' business is not conducted in an appropriate manner. It was agreed that the matter will be discussed at the next Parish Council meeting after the recipients of the document have had the opportunity to digest its' contents.</p>
104	<p>Date and time of the next meeting It was agreed that the next Parish Council meeting would be held on Tuesday 12th January 2016 in the Memorial Hall at 8pm. The Chairman closed the meeting at 840pm.</p>

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