

Semer Parish Council

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held at Tudor House on Thursday 9th June 2016 at 7pm. (Including Annual Parish Meeting – Richard Keens agreed to continue as Chairman for a further 12 months)

In attendance:

Richard Keens (Chairman), Granville Bendall, Claire Hood, Jackie Barraclough, Trevor Mitchell (Clerk).
Apologies from Robert Thorogood.

The minutes of the meetings of 28th January / 6th February 2016 were read and approved.

1. Planning - Bridge Farm, Ash Street – Listed Building Consent for internal alterations. The Parish Council have no objections – subsequently approved by Babergh Planning.
2. Accidents on the B1115 – There were no recorded accidents on road since the last meeting.
3. Annual Accounts to 31st March 2016 – These were read and approved. Clerk will publish on the website.
4. Insurance - Two quotes were received – Aon - £167 and Zurich (Community Action Suffolk) - £150. We have accepted the lower quote.
5. Church Meadow - Work will start in Mid-July to open up the walkway between the Church Yard and the Mere by completing the Bridge and clearing some of the debris and dead branches on the willow trees. Richard will erect a Dog Fouling Notice at the Church Meadow entrance.
6. East Bergholt propose alliance of councils in Babergh – It was agreed that we would not be involved with this.
7. E-mail correspondence – the Clerk reported that more correspondence was being received by e-mail. It was agreed that we would purchase a memory stick to store correspondence and this would be available to council members.
8. Trailer and Tractor ride – James Buckle has offered a tractor and trailer around Dairy Farm on 5th July at 6.30pm. It was agreed that the PC would provide refreshments.

There was no other correspondence to discuss and no other business.

The meeting closed at 8.10pm.

The next meeting will be held at Tudor House on Thursday 15th September 2016 at 7pm.

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