

Marshfield Parish Council held a meeting on Tuesday 19th November 2019 in Tolzey Hall at 7.15 pm.

Cllrs present: Cllr P Munro-Davies Cllr R Veitch Cllr P Hogben
 Cllr A Christie Cllr S Flint

Cllr S Reade
+ 2 members of the public

Apologies: Cllr R Snow, Cllr H Finnegan, Cllr B Stokes, Cllr G LeMasonry, Cllr T Durnell

Confirmation of previous minutes

Proposed by Cllr Christie, seconded by Cllr Veitch, carried unanimously.

Items from the public

None

Matters arising

- a) Highway Matters – Illuminated crossing warning sign still not working
- b) Marshfield Outdoor Recreation Association – Nothing
- c) Local Housing Requirement – Consultation on 13th November at the Community Centre was well attended with lots of positive comments. Details available on the CLT website www.marshfieldclt.org
- d) Village Biodiversity – Nothing

Planning

- 74A High Street. Installation of 1 side dormer to facilitate loft conversion to form self contained annexe over ground floor garage. (P19/14883/F) (Resubmission of PK18/2746/F). No objection proposed by Cllr Christie, seconded by Cllr Flint, carried unanimously.

- 81A High Street. Works to fell 4 Apple Trees. (P19/16545/TCA)
The Council require clarification on the status of the trees before passing comment.

- 5 West Littleton Road. Demolition of existing garage. Erection of two storey side and single storey front extension. (P19/16140/F)
No objection proposed by Cllr Flint, seconded by Cllr Veitch, carried unanimously.

Approved Planning

- 83 High Street. Works to pollard one Yew Tree (P19/13639/TCA)
- 83 High Street. Works to fell one Bay Tree (P19/13640/TCA)

Correspondence

- Resident at Barn End advised the Council of cutting back of trees and bushes and requested to know who did this. Clerk to contact SGC and obtain a schedule of maintenance for this area.
- The Town and Parish Forum are proposing the development of a website to allow for the circulation of presentations, updates, resulting from the Forum meetings. A grant has been applied for, but the organiser is asking us to agree or not in principle to the contribution of a small amount towards the website development if the application is not successful. Around £10/year per Member Parish Council.
Agreement proposed by Cllr Flint, seconded by Cllr Hogben and carried unanimously.

Allocation of Filming Monies

The council have received the monies from the Agatha Raisin Production Company. It was agreed to offer £500 to Marshfield Community Bees towards the set up of 2 new hives, on the understanding that the remaining amount can be raised. Cllr Reade made suggestion to apply for Member Award Funding. A further £100 to be given towards the purchase of wildflower bulbs for the verge between the Tollhouse and 153 High Street. A working party of volunteers would be required to clear the bramble in that area first.

Proposed by Cllr Veitch, seconded by Cllr Christie and carried unanimously.

Finance

After the following transactions, balances are: C/A.£5,655.31 D/A. £92,872.97
NatWest £24,172.00

British Gas	£70.46	Gas at Pavilion
British Gas DD	£9.31	Electricity at Tolzey Hall
British Gas DD	£36.89	Electricity at Pavilion
Rachel Hollyer	£980.83	Clerks Salary
Nest	£75.04	Pension Contributions

Cheque schedule proposed by Cllr Flint, seconded by Cllr Christie, carried unanimously.

District Councillor Feedback

Cllr Reade updated the Council on the policies around Ash dieback advising that any Ash trees on Marshfield Parish land would need to be paid for, if needed, by the Parish Council.

Matters for Discussion

Cllr Flint had been notified that a street lamp in Weir Lane was staying on until 2am causing a disturbance for a resident. Clerk to advise Streetcare.

Date of Next Meeting – Tuesday 10th December 7.15pm

Meeting closed at 7.45 pm