

**MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING  
HELD BY COLEORTON PARISH COUNCIL  
AT THE VISCOUNT BEAUMONT SCHOOL  
ON THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2010 AT 7.30PM**

**PRESENT:-**

Councillor Grainne Kelly (Chairman)  
Councillor Paul Brader  
Councillor Emma Kate Fletcher  
Mr John McDonald - Heritage Warden

- 118/2009 APOLOGIES**  
Apologies were received from Cllrs Buswell, Betts and Mrs Cowin, Clerk to the Council.
- 119/2009 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**  
There were no Declarations of Interest.
- 120/2009 REPORT FROM THE POLICE**  
There were no representatives from the Police in attendance at the meeting.
- 121/2009 PERIOD FOR PARISHIONERS PARTICIPATION**  
There were no Members of the public present at the meeting.
- 122/2009 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**  
The minutes of the last Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> 2009, which had previously been circulated to all Members, were approved and signed by the Chairman, Councillor Grainne Kelly. It was asked that the December minutes reflect the fact that the Minutes from the meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2009, had not been signed off due to the Clerks absence.
- 123/2009 REPORT FROM THE HERITAGE WARDEN**  
Mr McDonald reported that LCC had now made a decision in relation to the sale of Coleorton Wood but as he was not a Member of the Parish Council they would not give him any further information. It was suggested that Cllr Fletcher contact Elaine Derrick to enquire what decisions have been made. Mr McDonald reported that New Lount Nature Reserve will be advertised as LCC want to sell this off but they have not had any interest shown.
- A cheque for £300.00 was raised for Ashby Museum towards the information board that has been produced by them in relation to Coleorton. It is thought that the formal opening is likely to be in March.
- A quotation for works to the War Memorial was tabled. It was agreed that this quotation would be accepted. Mr McDonald stated that the works would need to be carried out before the end of the financial year so that a grant from LCC can be obtained. The Clerk will contact the stonemason.
- 124/2009 MATTERS ARISING NOT APPEARING ELSEWHERE ON THE AGENDA**  
**What's Around Magazine** - It was agreed that the Parish Council will send information for free publication in this magazine every two months. Persons as listed below are to write one paragraph and submit to the Chairman before the next meeting:-  
Mr McDonald - Heritage Issues  
Cllr Brader - Recreation  
Cllr Fletcher - Planning  
Cllr Kelly - Beaumont Centre

Cllr Buswell - Parish Plan  
Cllr Betts - Footpaths

**Speedwatch** - Cllr Brader had collected the last of the signatories list from the New Inn. The Clerk will try and push this project forward.

**Bus Shelter on Ashby Road** - The graffiti on the bus shelter has been reported to LCC highways and it is believed that this is on their schedule of works.

**Road Surface at The Moor** - This has also been brought to the attention of LCC Highways.

**125/2009 PLANNING APPLICATION FOR GYPSY CARAVAN SITE**

The Clerk had been informed that it was possible that this application would be heard at the Planning Committee due to be held on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2010.

**126/2009 PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE**

Mrs Dillon was not present at the meeting but it would seem that all is working well.

**127/2009 PEGGS GREEN RECREATION GROUND  
UPDATE ON PLAY EQUIPMENT PROVISION AND DISABLED ACCESS**

The Clerk had again chased Sue Brown at NWLDC and whilst she had received a response, it was only to say that she would chase the issue at their end. Unfortunately, until the Council receive any further information/progress from NWLDC this project can not be moved forward.

**UPDATE ON THE HOLE**

Cllr Brader confirmed that the signs around the hole keep being ripped out and that when this happens they are replaced.

Mr McDonald suggested that the Deeds for this parcel of land may well be at Ashby Museum, he will check this.

**128/2009 PARISH PLAN**

It had been agreed at the last Parish Council meeting that a letter would be written to LCC expressing the Parish Councils annoyance at the lack of response being received in relation to the points raised in the plan.

**129/2009 COLEORTON WOOD**

This item was covered with the Heritage Warden report, see Minute 123/2009.

**130/2009 BEAUMONT CENTRE**

Cllr Kelly informed Members that the AGM for the Beaumont Centre was organised for 10<sup>th</sup> February 1020 at 8.00pm. It was felt that as Trustees all Parish Councillors should try and attend.

**131/2009 SETTING OF THE PRECEPT FOR 2010/2011**

The Clerk has circulated calculations and figures prior to the meeting to perusal. On the basis of this report the Clerk suggested that the precept remain as it had for the previous year. It was therefore agreed that the precept would remain at £15,450.00. The Clerk will write with confirmation to NWLDC.

**132/2009 CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**

There were no items of correspondence to discuss.

**133/2009 ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT**

The following accounts were presented for payment

Ashby Museum	£300.00
Clement Keys	£155.25
Brian Mee Associates	£

**134/2009 PLANNING MATTERS**

Cllrs to check applications via NWLDC website and comment if appropriate.

**135/2009 HIGHWAYS AND FOOTPATHS**

There were no reports on highways or footpaths.

**136/2009 REPORTS FROM OTHER MEETINGS**

There were no reports from other meetings.

**137/2009 DATES OF NEXT THREE MEETINGS**

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2010 - Beaumont Centre

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2010 - Venue TBC

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2010 - Venue TBC

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**SIGNED BY CHAIRMAN OF COLEORTON PARISH COUNCIL / DATED**