

Minutes of Monkton Farleigh Parish Council Meeting No. 9 03/06/20 Using Zoom at 8.00pm

Present: M. Midlane [Chair], A. Moodie, R. McDonald, J. Spiers, B. Marlowe
E. Warrington and S. Rowe [Clerk]

Also present: Trevor Carbin

1. Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest.
There were apologies from A. Tucker. There were no declarations of interest.
2. Minutes of Meeting No. 8 dated 26/02/20 approved and signed by M. Midlane.
The Clerk will have issued these Minutes to ensure that all Councillors have received their copy.
3. Matters Arising
J. Spiers was thanked for all her hard work as emergency coordinator during the coronavirus pandemic.
S. Calpin was thanked for making the notice boards outside the church.
Adie Moodie was thanked for installing the notice boards outside the church.
The clerk was thanked for her work over the year and during the coronavirus pandemic.
Colin Exley was thanked for completing the internal audit.

It was agreed to go ahead with a new website using “NetwiseUK” It was felt that this would be good enough for the Parish Council’s needs and would be fully compliant with WCAG 2.1 and GDPR.
Due to the corona virus pandemic all work on the playgrounds is on hold. The clerk will check the insurance to see where the Parish Council stands with maintaining the play equipment.
4. Summary of Accounts and Signing of External Audit Exemption Form.
The exemption form was agreed and signed.
5. Annual Governance Statement 2019-2020
The Annual Governance Statement was agreed and signed.
6. Accounting Statements 2019-2020
The Accounting Statements were agreed and signed.
7. Current Financial Status
There is currently £11,822.37 in the account. The biggest expenses in May were the insurance at £442.14 and WALC subscription at £182.81.
8. Parish Matters
There has been an increase in people not clearing up after their dogs. The clerk will put notices up around the village reminding people to clean up after their dogs.
People are finding it difficult to put comments on the Wiltshire Council Website regarding planning. The clerk will investigate. Trevor Carbin said it should still be possible to get comments in even if they are a bit late.
The pot holes on the road opposite Church Farm need attention. The clerk will put it on the Parish Steward sheet.

The Parish Council were asked if it were possible to help fund the printing of photos that had been taken of “A Village in Lockdown” so there could be a display in the village hall. It was agreed that as not everyone had taken part that it would not be appropriate but the photos could go on the website as an alternative.

9. Date of Next Meeting
29th July 2020