

DRAFT MINUTES OF THE PAGLESHAM ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

at
ST. PETER'S MISSION HALL, PAGLESHAM ROAD,
on THURSDAY, 9th MAY 2019
at 7.30 pm

1. **Chairman's Opening Remarks:**

The Chairman welcomed all to the meeting.

7 30 pm.

2. **To Record the Members Present:**

Councillors: Mr D Whittingham (Chairman), Mr K Bench and Mrs V McVittie.

Members of the public: Mr R Fance and Mr Robin Slater.

Ward Councillors: Mr G Ioannou and Mr S Wotton.

Parish Clerk: Mr B. Summerfield. [Parish Clerk]

3. **Apologies and reasons for absence:**

Received by the Clerk in person via: email, letter and telephone.

Ward Councillor Mrs L Shaw.

4. **Minutes of the last meeting of 17th May 2018.**

The Minutes were read and resolved to be agreed.

Proposed by Councillors: Mrs V McVittie, seconded by Mr K Bench and agreed by all.

The Chairman duly signed the minutes as a correct record.

5. **Chairman's Annual Report 2018-2019.**

Appendix:

6. **Statement of Balance of Accounts for the year ending 31st March 2019.**

PPC Current Account: £ 2,516-49 (31st March 2019)

PVT Current Account: £ 5,154-92 (31st March 2019).

7. **Visiting Guests, Ward/County Councillors and Questions from the Public.**

Councillors, Guests, visiting Ward/County Councillors and questions/statements from members of the public.

Ward Councillor Mr G Ioannou reported: he is the portfolio holder for Enterprise and Tourism - his congratulations to the new Ward Councillor Mr Simon Wotton at the May Elections - re: the soak away at the Plough and Sail requested a letter from the Council re: progress!? – Will be sending to the Clerk a welcome pack re: Discover 20-20 – Discussed the opportunity to employ with two other Parish Councils, a Special Volunteer Constable – agreed to be discussed later.

New Ward Councillor Mr Simon Wotton thanked all persons in Paglesham who had voted for him and will be fully supporting Paglesham in the future –

Member of the public Mr Robin Slater described his intended planning application to the RDC re: his Farm buildings Change of Use to holiday lets.

8. **Date of the Annual General Meeting and Annual Parish Meeting 2019.**

Agreed: Thursday TBA MAY 2020.

(at the Paglesham Mission Hall, East End, Paglesham commencing at 7.30 P.M.)

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.20 pm.

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Mr B Summerfield Paglesham Parish Clerk.

APPENDIX:

Paglesham PC Chairman's Report AGM & APM May 2019.

1. I would like to thank my fellow Parish Councillors for their attendance and hard work for the Parish in the last year. We are sorry to lose Jeanette Wooding, who does not seek re-election.
2. We had a problem with unauthorised parking/camping at the entrance to the Frances Field, however this problem has been overcome. New no parking/camping signs have been placed on the gate and building.

3. Our BT Broadband Service is proving to be poor in our Parish. We hope for a better and faster service in the near future. I have been contacted by our MP Mark Francois and he suggests a meeting at his office with him and a representative from OpenWorld.
4. Thank you Barry Summerfield our Parish Clerk for all of your hard work and guidance throughout the year.
5. Thanks go to Cllr. Robbie Fance for doing a great job at our Frances Field throughout the past year.
6. I would like to thank The PVPA for their help and financial assistance in the past year.
7. We have no wedding hires booked for this year.
8. The Paglesham Oyster Pits continue to generate a steady income from the mooring fees. I would like to record my thanks to Richard Bessey for overseeing and collecting the mooring fees, without which our income would be minimal.

David Whittingham
Chairman