AULT HUCKNALL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Virtual Meeting held 15th July 2020 at 2:00 pm

Present

A Syrett

(Chair) T Clough T Trafford H Perkins

S Poole D Adsetts Moseley T Howell L Adsetts Moseley

In attendance:

R Price - Parish Clerk & RFO

199/20 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from N Darby and Councillor C Moesby

200/20 Declaration of Interests

T Howell declared an interest in Item 13 on the agenda. T Trafford declared an interest in Item 16 of the agenda

201/20 Public Forum

No items were raised

202/20 Minutes of Last Meeting

The minutes of the last meeting of the Parish Council 17th June 2020 were approved and confirmed as a true record

203/20 Police Matters

No items were raised

204/20 Report of County Councillor

Councillor Moesby had submitted his apologies

205/20 Report of District Councillor

Councillor Clough reported that BDC would be having their first full Council meeting on 20th June which people would be able to watch live. Members asked her to pass the thanks of the residents to the refuse collectors who continued to work during the current crisis.

206/20 Lets Get Things Going – Grant funding BDC

The Clerk informed Members that BDC were making funding available to parish councils. The focus for the grant aid was aimed at

- Reviving the local economy by encouraging 'spend local'
- Tackling loneliness and isolation
- Lifting spirits and celebrating our communities

It was agreed that an application be submitted based around a re launch event encouraging the involvement of other partners and the local community

207/20 Derbyshire Environmental Trust – Grant funding

The Clerk reported receipt of availability of funding being made available by Derbyshire Environmental Trust. Examples of types of projects eligible included provision, maintenance and repair of children's plays areas, skate parks, multi use games areas, sports fields and other recreational facilities, nature reserves, footpaths/bridleways, community centres and village halls. It was agreed that there were two particular areas which may be eligible for application – the MUGA at the rear of the Doe Lea Centre, a loop system for the Centre and/or drainage and contouring for spectator areas on the recreation/football ground. It was agreed that the Clerk, in consultation with the Chair and the Centre Manager, complete the application prior to the deadline of 28th September.

208/20 Guidance on Holding Meetings

The Clerk circulated the latest NALC guidance on the holding of meetings for Parish Councils. The advice remained that meetings should continue to be held virtually.

209/20 Colliery Football Ground off A617

It was agreed that, subject to clarification of the teams which would be using the proposed field, the Parish Council confirm that the pitch would be available for the use of Glapwell FC

210/20 Doe Lea Centre

The Manager, Richard Fearn, reported to Members on the following matters: A meeting had been held with staff to go through the ACRE guidance on the re-opening of Centres and Village Halls. No hirers would be starting back in the Centre until September. The hall was being prepared with sanitising stations and a deep clean had been undertaken. All necessary PPE would be available including disposable masks for those visiting the Centre.

Staff were now on part time furlough and were only doing the hours which were needed in response to use. During July and August FairShare would be providing the food as normal for Wednesdays, which staff would make up into packages for collection from the Centre.

211/20 Parish Projects

Garden and Allotments Competition

The Clerk reported that judging had taken place and the winners had been chosen.

The results were 1st - Lorraine Fairfield, 6 West Street and 2nd - Samson Bailey, 38 East Street. Best Allotment was won by Katie Read

Members thanked Steve Jowett of BDC for undertaking the judging.

Stainsby School

The Chair reported on the issue of the continuing deterioration of the fabric of Stainsby School. It was proposed that a Development Plan be constructed for the approval and involvement of a number of partners. This would look at how, by working together, the future of the school could be sustainably preserved. A draft of the plan would be circulated to all members and partners for their comments.

212/20 Allotment Matters

There were no allotment issues

213/20 Applications for Grant Aid

An application was received from Stainsby Folk festival to support their alternative festival of 2020. As the traditional festival was not possible under current restrictions, plans were in place for an online festival. The Folk Festival continued to have ongoing costs and they relied on their annual ticket sales to support these. They were inviting people to donate and asked that the Parish Council consider their annual donation of £1000.

T Trafford took no part in the discussion and left the virtual meeting at this point.

Members agreed unanimously that the Festival should continue to be supported and agreed a grant of £1000.

214/20 Payment of Accounts

The following accounts were approved for payment

Parish Council		
E R Price	Clerk Salary June	£1013.08
	Clerk salary July	£1020.28
K Gent	Parish Warden Salary June	£538.01
	Parish Warden Salary July	£519.82
HMRC	PAYE & NI	£364.18
		£343.38
Vodafone	Parish Mobile	£32.78
		£62.08
AML Midlands Ltd	Microsoft 365 Business & Cloudcare (21405)	£14.28
	Wix Premium Plan annual fee	£100.80
Outdoor Projects	Grass cutting hamlets	£350.00
Clarkes Services	Cut back shrubbery	£250.00
Doe Lea Centre		
AML Midlands Ltd	MS Office & Internet Security	
	(21580)	£43.14
	VOIP Rental and broadband	
	(21677)	£72.60
Martin Bruno	Payroll fee	£180.00
PRS	Music Licence	£289.28
Cathedral Leasing	Hygiene services	£46.02

215/19 Planning Applications

Two decisions were reported

20/00172/FUL – Hall View Cottage, Chesterfield Road, Hardstoft – Erection of summer house, workshop and vehicular access – GRANTED

20/00150/VAR – Manor Farm Cottage, Astwith Lane, Astwith – Removal of Condition 3 (permanent dwelling) of planning permission 16/00028/FUL - GRANTED

216/19 Date of Next Meeting

It was agreed that the next meeting of the Parish Council be held on Wednesday 16TH September at 2:00 p.m. and that a meeting be called in August if any urgent items arise.