

AULT HUCKNALL PARISH COUNCIL

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Dear Member

I have to inform you that the next meeting of **AULT HUCKNALL PARISH COUNCIL** will be held on **TUESDAY 12th NOVEMBER 2024** at **6:30 p.m. at Doe Lea Centre, Mansfield Road, Doe Lea. (PLEASE NOTE THE TIME OF THE MEETING)**

FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

Members of the public are welcome to join the meeting

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Yours sincerely



Clerk & RFO

A G E N D A

1. Apologies for absence
2. Declaration of Interests and to receive and approve dispensations relating to disclosable pecuniary interests (if any)
3. Exclusion of Public – to determine which items, if any, from the agenda should be taken with the public and press excluded
4. Public Forum
5. To confirm the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 8th October 2024
6. Police Matters
7. To consider a report from the County Councillor
8. To consider a report from the District Councillor
9. National Grid – Chesterfield to Willington – latest consultation (attached)
10. Neighbourhood Plan
11. Cultural Corridor – Report from meeting
12. Doe Lea Centre – Report of the Manager to the Trustees
13. Parish Projects
 - (a) Sculpture – to consider a plan for a celebratory event next year
 - (b) Ramp
14. Allotments Matters – Report of Meeting with Allotment holders held on 28th October
15. Applications for Grant Aid (if any)
16. Financial Matters
 - (a) Payment of Accounts November 2024 (attached)
 - (b) Finance Report to October 2024 (attached)
 - (c) Report of Meeting with Financial Adviser
 - (d) National Salary Award & Budget - impact
17. Planning Matters

18. Items for Information

19. Date and time of Next Meeting – to discuss the cancellation of the December 2024 meeting and arrangement of earlier meeting in January 2025

20. Exclusion of Public

21. Doe Lea Centre – Update on leasehold arrangements

AULT HUCKNALL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Held Tuesday 8th October 2024

At Doe Lea Centre

Present

A Syrett

(Chair)

T Trafford

D Adsetts-Moseley

L Adsetts-Moseley

T Clough

S Poole

In attendance:

Councillor J Ritchie (BDC)

Councillor C Tite (BDC)

Councillor T Kirkham (BDC)

R Price – Parish Clerk & RFO-

1101/24 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors I Grainger-Grimes, R Hill-Harmsworth, T Howell and J Wright

1102/24 Declaration of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

1103/24 Exclusion of Public

No additional items were identified for exclusion of public

1104/24 Public Forum

Councillor Clough informed members about the existence of the Arthur Towndrow Trust which was a charity to assist single females. It was agreed that this would be extremely helpful for those who were struggling with the cost of living and reduction in winter fuel payments and that leaflets should be made available at the Centre to promote the existence of the fund.

1105/24 Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held 10th September 2024

The minutes of the meeting of the Parish Council meeting held on 10th September 2024 were approved and confirmed as a true record.

1106/24 Police Matters

No police were present. There were no matters to report

1107/24 Report of County Councillor

The County Councillor was not present

1108/24 Reports of District Councillors

District Councillors Tom Kirkham, Catherine Tite and John Ritchie were present Councillors Tite and Ritchie had submitted written reports which had been distributed to all members. Councillor Kirkham reported that there was going to be a review of Dragonfly and that Standards Committee had met to consider enabling those with conflicts of interest to obtain dispensations under certain circumstances. Members thanked the district councillors for their reports and they left the meeting at this point.

1109/24 Speedwatch Proposal

It was agreed that, working with Glapwell Parish Council, the first step would be to identify sufficient volunteers to move the proposal forward. There were 2 people interested at Glapwell but it was considered that ideally there needed to be a minimum of 6 between the two parishes.

1109/24 National Grid – Chesterfield - Willington

The first consultation period had now closed and National Grid had provided a timeline which allowed for a second consultation in 2025. Members discussed the submission made by CPRE which, whilst opposing the proposed line, had suggested that a line running along the M1 corridor should be considered. The Parish Council members were totally opposed to this and it was agreed that a letter be sent to CPRE expressing the parish council's disappointment that this had been presented by them as an acceptable alternative.

1110/24 Neighbourhood Plan

Members still required the link to be resent from the Consultant for the list of views as it had expired before they had time to reply. The Clerk to remind the consultant.

1111/24 Doe Lea Centre – Report of Manager to Trustees

A meeting of the Trustees had been held on 23rd September and it was therefore not necessary to resubmit the report to tonight's meeting. A copy of the report had been sent to all members.

Arising from that meeting it had been established that new lighting was required in several areas in the Centre and the Trustees had requested a grant from the parish council for this purpose. The quote was for £750 and it was Proposed, Seconded and Resolved that the parish council meet the cost.

1112/24 Parish Projects Sculpture

The Clerk reported that the manager was awaiting a response from the school about the children being involved in an event to signify the handing over of the sculpture to the community. It was considered that it would not really be practical to organise anything now before the springtime but that an item be placed on the next agenda to formulate a plan to move this matter forward.

Ramp

The Clerk reported that she had again been chasing Matt Connley concerning the planning application for the ramp. He had promised to meet with the developer the previous week but was now on annual leave, so the Clerk had been unable to obtain an update. It was agreed that the Clerk investigate the possibility of the parish council making the planning application in order to move this matter forward.

Waterloo Street

The Clerk reported that BDC had been in contact asking the parish council for details of their interest in the site of the Waterloo Street allotments. It was agreed that they be asked whether they would be prepared to lease the land to the parish council on a peppercorn rent. The parish council currently had no spare land in the parish to allow them to expand facilities for the community, be that buildings or other leisure facilities, and the availability of this land would allow them the flexibility to better consider plans for the future.

1113/24 Allotment Matters

Due to illness the meeting of allotment holders due to be held on Monday 30th September 2024 had had to be postponed. It was agreed that the meeting be rearranged for Monday 28th October. It was further agreed that proposals for an increase in allotment rents be discussed at the meeting.

1114/24 Applications for Grant Aid

There were no applications for grant aid

1115/24 Report of Income and Expenditure to 30th September 2024 and Payment of Accounts October 2024

It was Proposed, Seconded and Resolved that the Clerk's report on income and expenditure to date be accepted and the following accounts be approved for payment

Parish Council		
E R Price	Clerk Salary Oct	£1204.50
K Gent	Parish Warden Salary Oct	£525.36
HMRC	PAYE & NI September	£452.89
Eon	Electric changing rooms	£43.47
Shelter maintenance	Cleaning of bus shelters (15865)	£51.84
O2	Parish Mobile	£
AML Midlands Ltd	Microsoft Office & BitFender (34177)	£15.36
	Wix Premium Plan annual fee	£154.80
Lees Garden Services	Invoice 284 - £362.50	
	Hamlets	£87.50
	Hedge cutting	£100.00
	Rec Mowing	£125.00
	Pitch marking	£50.00
Clarkes Cemetery Services	Cutting of banking at recreation field (24125)	£300.00

Doe Lea Centre		
AML Midlands Ltd	Office & bitdefender (33792)	£53.72
	Office & Bit defender (34064)	£ 53.72
	VOIP rental & broadband (34218)	£89.40
	VOIP calls (34195)	£0.66
	VOIP calls ()	
Cathedral Leasing	Hygiene services (MI/1621593)	£46.02
Premier	Window cleaning ()	£
Doe Lea Miners Welfare	Rent	£150.00
Mint Security	CCTV maintenance 56279	£150.00
SSE	ELECTRIC	£59.61

Balances at Bank September 2024

Main Account	£41468.37
Deposit	£ 4975.49
Doe Lea Centre	£ 524.54
BDC Investment	£ 2696.72

£49665.12

1116/24 Planning Applications

APPLICATIONS

Consultation on application for Works to Tree(s) in a Conservation Area

Proposal: 2296 - To Fell Holly Tree

Location: Hardwick Old Hall Hardwick Hall Hardwick Hall Drive Hardwick Hall Park

Applicant: Miss Frances Ryder

DECISIONS

Application No: 24/00283/VAR

Proposal: Variation of Condition 2 of Listed Building Consent 22/00466/LBC - To amend approved plans

Location: St Peters School Chesterfield Road Hardstoft Chesterfield

Applicant: Stephen Rye

CONDITIONALLY APPROVED

Application No: 24/00284/VAR

Proposal: Variation of Condition 2 of planning permission 22/00465/FUL - To amend approved plans

Location: St Peters School Chesterfield Road Hardstoft Chesterfield

Applicant: Stephen Rye

CONDITIONALLY APPROVED

1117/24 Items for Information

A member explained that the National Trust provided a newsletter for tenant. Members suggested that NT be asked if the parish council could receive a copy for information

1118/24 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting to be held on Tuesday 12th November 2024 at Doe Lea Centre at 6:30 pm.

1119/24 Exclusion of Public

Resolved that the public be excluded from the meeting during discussion of the following item due to its confidential nature

The following information is not for publication