

WONERSH PARISH COUNCIL

Matters Arising Update for Wonersh Parish Council Meeting on Thursday 8th November 2007

- 06/85 Lease at Lordshill Playground – The lease as amended by the Parish Council has been sent back to WBC for consideration. 05/11/07 The Clerk has spoken with Ailsa Rhodes who said that she would look into this and report back.
- 07/011 Lowering of speed limit in The Street, Wonersh – this matter needs further discussion following the report from the recently formed Traffic Committee of Wonersh residents. The Clerk understands that they will be reporting soon.
- 07/109 Conservation Areas – Clerk has received a reply from Geraldine Moloney, WBC Planning Dept, saying that she will discuss the matter of reviewing Wonersh parish with senior colleagues 05.11.07. The clerk has spoken with Geraldine Molony and the present procedure for an extension of a conservation area is through an appraisal process. Wonersh is currently on the list but quite some way down. The next areas to be appraised are Cranleigh and Godalming, but there is some question as to when and there could be a halt on actions next year which would delay Wonersh further. Her expectation is that Wonersh would be looking approximately 3 years from now before an appraisal would be done, however we can as a Parish do an appraisal ourselves.
- 07/113 Parish Plan – representatives from the 3 village committees have met in order to incorporate the findings and action plans in to one document.
- 07/115 Reports from Councillors
(b) Shamley Green Pond – Cllr Shareef has informed the Clerk that he has been unable to contact the contractor who was gave an estimate for pipe work at the pond. Still pending.
- 07/128 Village Gateways –
Clerk has written to Highways asking why the village gateway at Wonersh has not been re-instated. The clerk has sent an e-mail to Stuart Copping chasing a response.
- 07/132 Reports from councillors
Highways
the Council were advised that bids have to be made to the Local Committee in Sept but, as there has not been a PC meeting where this could be discussed between the meeting and the deadline for bids, it was discussed between the Chairman, Vice- Chairman and Cllr Morris. A decision was made that a bid of some sort should be made in order to maintain the parish profile. In the time, it was not possible to gather information to make a well thought out bid for lowering the speed limit in The Street and changing the junction at The Pepperpot as discussed in council meetings. However, over the years, the

extension of the pavement beyond Gerald's Wood has been discussed and requested with SCC. It has been possible to put together a bid for this and the report was circulated to councillors for their comments prior to sending to Dr Povey.

The proposal regarding the continuation of the pavement from The Street in Wonersh to link with Gerald's Wood has been forwarded to Andrew Povey and it has now been sent to the next level. The clerk has sent an e-mail to Simon Hall to establish at what stage the decision making process is at. Awaiting response.

- 07/146 Allotments – Increase of Rent
Mr Hichens has replied agreeing to the £300 for the next 3 years, as long as the ownership stays with him. He is possibly going to transfer the land to his daughter, and will recommend that she sticks with the 3 year agreement, but cannot insist.
- 07/147 Community Partnership Group
Nick Morris was nominated for the representative for Wonersh PC following a discussion referring to the meeting in September. This information was incorrect and therefore Nick has agreed to attend the next meeting but cannot represent the Council on an ongoing basis so we need to go back to rolling representative
- 07/165 Resignation of Clerk
The position was advertised in the Surrey Advertiser, the advert went to every mother at Wonersh and Shamley Green School, on the noticeboards and on the SCAPTC Website. Currently 5 people have expressed an interest and 2 have formally applied.
- 07/167 Gerald's Wood
The gate has been fitted. The Clerk is still to sort out a sign for the gate.
- 07/168 Bus Shelter Shamley Green
The Clerk has spoken with contractors and is awaiting a quotation for the repairs to the roof.
- 07/1154 Correspondence
Cllr Healy has spoken with Age Concern and no couples have been identified as celebrating their diamond wedding anniversary this year for the service at the cathedral on the 18th November.
Surrey County Council – Exploring Surrey's Past. – The Clerk has offered the Village Design Statement.
Surrey Police Authority – Local Policing Plan Survey. – the Clerk has sent the results.