

ORTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting held on Monday 17th June 2013 in the Market Hall at 7.30pm

Present Cllr Kyle Blue (Chairman) Cllrs S Dunning, M Lewis, P Knowles, M Coates,
E Potter and M Jenkin
Clerk, C J Elphick
County Councillor Libby Bateman
Two members of the public

Apologies for absence had been received from Cllr S Dunning

Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of personal or prejudicial interest in any item on this agenda.

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on Thursday 23rd May 2013 had been circulated and were signed by the chairman as a correct record.

Orton Liberal Club

Cllr Jenkin reported that she had had a meeting with Mr Neville Gibson, son of Katherine Gibson who had left the former Youth Club property in trust for the youth of Orton. Mr Gibson will arrange for the sole remaining Trustee, John Falshaw, to resign and establish his own claim on the property. It is then expected that the building will be gifted for the benefit of Orton residents.
The Parish Council will take no further action at this time.

Planning

No. 13/0201 Wind Turbine at Sproat Ghyll
To be considered at EDC Planning Committee on Thursday 20th June 2013 9.30am.
Chairman will attend the committee meeting

No.13/0252 Replacement of existing timber catering shed with new timber outside catering shed with additional outside undercover porch area.

Type Full Application
Location Tebay Southbound Services CA10 3SB
Applicant Westmorland Ltd
Parish Council No objections GRANTED

Finance

Accounts for payment

C J Elphick (Month 3)	£ 336.00
HMRC (Month 3)	£ 84.00
Lynne Potter (49)	£ 210.00
Orton Stores (cleaning materials)	£ 91.09

The draft Statement of Accounts for the year 2012-2013 had been approved by internal auditor, Jane Arckless and signed by the chairman to be submitted for external audit.

Broadband Hub Co-ordinator

Roger Frank, the newly appointed co-ordinator for Orton is unable to attend the Broadband Conference "Connecting Cumbria" 21st June at Rheged.
Libby Bateman will be attending and offered to collect relevant information and pass it to Roger.

Public Participation

A letter had been received from Kate Arnold, Head Teacher of Orton School, thanking the council for its contribution of £250 towards extra curricular activities and reporting on the activities enjoyed by the children.

Christopher Jenkin produced alternative texts, finishes and costings for additional inscriptions on the monument on Beacon Hill. This would be a joint venture with Crosby Ravensworth Parish Council. Suggested text:

HER GRACIOUS MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II's
GOLDEN JUBILEE ON 3RD JUNE 2002
AND DIAMOND JUBILEE ON 4TM JUNE 2012
WERE EACH CELEBRATED BY THE LOYAL SUBJECTS
OF ORTON AND CROSBY RAVENSWORTH
BY THE KINDLING OF A BEACON
ON THIS ANCIENT SITE

Clerk to contact Crosby Ravensworth Parish Council for their agreement and share of cost.

Correspondence & Publications Received

CALC Circular – May 2013 had been circulated by e-mail

Date of next meeting Monday 15th July 2013

Signed _____ Chairman

Date 15th July 2013