

Brean Parish Council

Minutes

Minutes of the Brean Parish Council held on Monday 6TH March 2006 in the Brean Village Hall at 7pm.

PRESENT

Councillor Mrs Jackman M.B.E Chairman

Councillor J Harris Vice Chairman

Councillors H Guy, D Petrie, D Scott, C Mason, T Hicks.

Electors of Brean totalling 2 persons

In attendance B Hunt, Clerk of the Council

APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from the following:--

NONE

ELECTORS OF BREAN ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

The following issues were raised by the electors of Brean :-

NONE

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

The minutes of the last meeting held on Monday 6th Feb 2006 were approved without amendment by the members and signed by the Chairman

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

The following issues arose from the last meeting :-

ST BRIDGETS CHURCH

Agreed that a donation of £400 should be made to the Church

SEWAGE WORKS

A meeting to be held with David Heathcoat- Amory MP on Friday 10th March.

LIGHTING ON CHURCH ROAD

The chairman to report this problem again.

PLANNING

The following applications were reviewed by members and following responses sent:-

06/06/00002 San Remo Visit to be arranged

06/06/00001 Three Acres – Approved (Cllr Scott declared an interest)

06/06/00003 Cardon - Approved

MATTERS DEALT WITH BY SEDGEMOOR DISTRICT COUNCIL

The following applications were reviewed by SDC

05/05/00035 Coast Road Berrow – fencing approved

BEACH MANAGEMENT 2006

There was discussion regarding the Concession for Beach cleaning held by Mr Bigwood and the conditions for this concession were agreed and would be communicated in writing to Mr Bigwood.

ACTION 020306

The Clerk confirmed that signed contracts had been received for ICE CREAM, REFRESHMENTS & PONY RIDES.

An additional concession would be offered to the BOUNCY CASTLE concession in respect of food..... this would be based on a trial period up to Whitsun. ACTION 030306

The beach would be cleaned prior to the land yacht regatta this weekend and again before Easter.

Applications for the role of Beach warden were discussed and initial interviews would be held on Tuesday.

OTHER CURRENT MATTERS

The following current matters were reviewed by the meeting :-

Report from POLICE –NONE

The Clerk advised that the introduction of the street drinking ban signs was imminent.

Cllr Harris expressed his concern at the location of the signs.

Report from SALC – Cllr Mrs Guy reported on the latest correspondence and advised that she would be attending a meeting shortly. The output of this meeting would be put on circulation.

FINANCE

The following cheque payments were approved by the meeting and signed by the authorised signatories.

Cheque No.	Payee	Amount
327	Clerk Salary	£ 250.00
328	H M Customs (VAT)	£ 139.86
329	St Bridgets Church	£ 400.00

CORRESPONDENCE

The following correspondence was reviewed for action/filing or circulation

NEWSLETTERS – CIRC

ST Bridgets Church - Request for donation

RT Hon David Heathcoat Amory – Sewage Farm

SDC – Tenants Newsletter

Brean Land Yacht Club – Regatta 11th / 12th March (beach cleaning ???)

Mr R Chatterton – Cars speeding on Brean Beach

This letter was discussed at length and continuing discussion regarding how this could be resolved was considering a number of options including extra wardens, segregating the beach and possible closure to cars in the winter.

This topic would be put on the agenda as a separate discussion item at the next meeting.

A reply to be sent to Mr Chatterton

ACTION 010306

Three B's SAA Open Competition October/December 2006

SDC – Alcohol Designation Sign – format and size

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Members raised the following issues for attention

Cllr Mrs Jackman M.B.E raised the following issues:-

Advised details of Computer Classes to be held in September.

Cllr J Harris raised the following issues :-

Provided information on Charity Golf Event- after discussion it was agreed that this could not be properly supervised and was not appropriate for the beach due to proximity of housing and danger to the public.

Advised that all issues regarding Pontins security and the Bus Shelter had been resolved.

Cllr D Petrie raised the following issues :-

Continuing problems with STREET LIGHTING to be reported by Chairman

Cllr D Scott raised the following issues:-

NONE

Cllr C Mason raised the following issues :-

NONE

Cllr T Hicks raised the following issues

NONE

Cllr Mrs Guy raised the following issues:-

NONE

DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Monday 3rd April 2006 at 7pm in the village hall.

ACTION LIST

The list of outstanding actions is attached to the current copy of the minutes