

ABBOTS BROMLEY PARISH COUNCIL  
Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting  
Held on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2014 at 7.00 pm  
At the Village Hall, Abbots Bromley, pursuant to notice having been given

**Present:** Cllrs R Bell, P Charles; Cllr R Jarman (Chair), Mrs K Johns, Mrs M Moore, Mr E Roy, Mr P Ryan

**In attendance:** Mrs S Meads (Clerk),

**Members of the Public Attending:** 1

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21. **Apologies for absence**  
Cllrs Mrs D Burrows and Mr C Cook

22. **Public Session**  
None

23. **Declarations of Interest**  
None

24. **Minutes of Previous Meetings**  
***RESOLVED:** that the minutes of meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2014 be approved with one amend. Proposed Cllrs R Bell and P Charles.*

25. **Matters of Report**

i. **Wild Flower Planting**

Mrs Emmerson spoke to the council regarding the opportunity to plant wild flowers near the Rugeley turn to commemorate World War I and also to mark the anniversary of the Ladies' Group. Cllr Jarman confirmed that the British Legion were enthusiastic to help as were the Parish Council.

***RESOLVED:** that the Clerk would liaise with Highways to gain authority for planting on the grass verge. The Clerk would also contact the grounds man to ascertain if he would be willing to help with preparing the land ready for planting the seeds. The Parish Council confirmed that the cost for preparing the land would be met by the council. Cllr Jarman agreed that the British Legion would split the costs of the purchase of the seeds with the Ladies' Group.*

## 26. Planning

**854 - P/2013/01460: Nursery Lodge, Lichfield Road, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire, WS15**

**3DN** Erection of a two storey side extension, formation of a driveway and parking area and extension to domestic curtilage to incorporate garage complex.

Received: 10/01/14 Replied: No Objections

**855 - P/2014/00018: Coach and Horses, High Street, Abbots Bromley, Staffs, WS15 3BN**

Listed building consent for the retention of a satellite dish

Received: 21/01/14 Replied: No objections

**857 - P/2014/00119: College Farm, Lichfield Road, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire, WS15 3DH**

Erection of a 1.1 metre high wall and railings with 1.4 metre high brick pillars.

Received: 10/02/14 Reply due: 03/03/14 Response : No Objections

**858 - P/2014/00151: Poplar Farm, Poplar Farm Road, Bromley Hurst, Abbots Bromley, WS15 3AY**

Erection of a two storey rear extension with canopy, detached garage and change of use of existing access from agricultural to form part of the domestic curtilage.

Received: 14/02/14 Reply due: 07/03/14 Response : No Objections

**859 - P/2014/00194: Fishers Pit Farm, Ashbrook Lane, Bromley Wood, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire, WS15 3AL** Erection of a part two storey part single storey side extension and two storey rear extension with balcony and porch (non material amendment - design of the garden room amended)

Received: 19/02/14 Reply due: 12/03/14 Response : No Objections

**860 - P/2014/00160: Froggy's Farm, Ashbrook Lane, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire**

Erection of an agricultural building and information of a slurry store

Received: 19/02/14 Reply due: 12/03/14 Response : No Objections

**861 - P/2014/00159: Froggy's Farm, Ashbrook Lane, Abbots Bromley, Staffs**

Formation of an earth banded silage pit and installation of an underground tank

Received: 19/02/14 Reply due: 12/03/14 Response : No Objections

**862 - P/2014/00171: Hall Hill, Hall Hill Lane, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire, WS15 3DG**

Listed Building Consent for the internal and external alterations including the installation of a staircase from the first or second floor installation of additional second floor window to the east gable relocation of partition wall between bedroom and ensuite, installation of new partition walls on the second floor, installation of a suspended floor to all of the second floor, amended colour to front door, installation of fire alarm system.

Received: 19/02/14 Reply due: 12/03/14 Response : No Objections

**863 - P/2014/00214: Ashleigh, Uttoxeter Road, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire, WS15 3EQ**

Erection of a Porch

Received: 24/02/14 Reply due: 10/03/14 Response : No Objections

## Decisions

### Agreed

**856 - P/2014/00126: Froggy's Farm, Ashbrook Lane, Abbots Bromley, Staffordshire**

Prior notification for the formation of an earth banded silage pit

**27. Finance****A Record of payments made after discussion with Chairman or Vice Chairman****B Record of payments for which authorisation will be sought at meeting**

<i>Vch/Chq</i>	<i>Payee</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Powers</i>
201/1420	Mrs S Meads	408.71	Salary and taxable expenses	
202/1421	Mrs S Meads	11.80	Non taxable expenses	
203/1422	G McCulloch	400.00	Highways work	Highways Act 1980
204/1423	Abbots Bromley Village Hall	162.00	Meeting Rooms	
205/1424	E Roy	42.17	Printing of notice for Butter Cross	
206/1425	William Salt Library	10.00	Donation for use of	
207/1426	SLCC	184.00	drawing	
208/1427	Reprotec	9.25	Subscription Printer costs	

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**ii. Finance Report**

The report for 31<sup>st</sup> January 2014 was presented.

**RESOLVED:** that the finance report was approved.

**28. Group Reports****i. Recreation**

Nothing to report

**ii. Village Property**

**RESOLVED:** that the new notice for the Butter Cross would be put up at 9.15 the following Monday.

**iii. Traffic, Parking & Highways**

The Clerk provided an update on highways issues and said that an update had been requested from Highways but this was still to be received. Cllr Charles reported that there was mud on the Uttoxeter Road again just outside the village and also a milestone was lying down on the Uttoxeter Road near to the wood.

**iv. Competitions**

The Clerk reported that the school competitions were in hand.

**v. Newsletter**

**RESOLVED:** that the next issue would include articles on BKV, Parish Assembly, Dog Fouling, Satellite Dishes, HS2, Church Fundraising, update on playing fields. The Clerk said that the newsletter would be ready for the last week in March.

**vi. Village Hall**

Cllr Ryan provided an update on the Village Hall and said that the committee had offered the Village Hall for an event to commemorate the Great War. The Council discussed what could be done. Cllr Ryan said that one suggestion had been to hold a photographic display of how Abbots Bromley used to be.

**29. Correspondence, bulletins and report**

Email from J Hayley was circulated.

**30. HS2**

Nothing to Report

**31. Parish Assembly/Jubilee Cup**

A recipient for the Jubilee Cup was discussed. Cllr Jarman agreed to speak to the suggested recipient. Cllr Charles said that he would arrange for the plaque for last year's winner and the Clerk agreed to contact last year's winner regarding the return of the cup.

**32. Agenda Items for the next meeting**

**RESOLVED:** *that the following items be added to the next agenda:-  
HS2, Wild Flower Planting, Mini Bus, Jubilee Cup, Parish Assembly, Parish Surgery*

**33. Date, time and place of future meetings**

March Parish Council Meeting, 7.00pm Wed 26<sup>th</sup> March 2014 – Village Hall

There being no other business the chairman declared the meeting closed at 20.42.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date 26<sup>th</sup> March 2014