

**ALKBOROUGH AND WALCOT RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION
MINUTES OF 93rd MEETING
HELD TUESDAY 7 JULY 2015**

PRESENT

Sam Roebuck, Chairman
Sel Yates, Vice Chairman
Anne Jackson, Secretary
Julia Dent, Finance Officer

Ian Hollingsworth, Mike Dean, David Dransfield, Avis Ablott, Peter Wiseman, Helen Stannard, Paul Stannard, Norah Kelsey

APOLOGIES

Ray Dent, Ann Whelpton, Joan Stocks, Sue Roebuck, Jay Brierley,
Jayne Brierley

93.1 **Minutes of previous meeting** were approved as a true record with a note that the petty cash was £40, not £50. Proposed by Paul and seconded by Avis.

93.2 **ACTION POINTS**

90.3.2 Ian has passed on instructions to Sam and Mike.

90.3.3 After a discussion it was decided that the calendar would be printed on glossy paper, which would produce a better quality calendar.

90.7 It was not known whether anyone had requested a hard copy. It was decided that requests would be met and sufficient copies made to also circulate to new residents. Numbers would be decided when hard copy requests were known.

Action - Mike and Sharon

91.3.3 Sam has not yet purchased cartridges for the new printer but will be doing so. No requests for the old printer had been received and Sam suggested VANL may be interested.

92.7.1 No responses on the photo competition logo had been forthcoming so Snapdragon would be used again.

92.7.2 Sam said he had joined the Humber & Wolds Oil Syndicate, which was free of charge for 2015. He thought it would save anyone from the village having to do it. There was also a syndicate for electric. After a discussion, it was clear that opinion was divided over the benefits of the local and Humber syndicates and, as it was difficult to judge during summer, it was decided that prices would be compared in winter.

93.3 **REPORTS**

93.3.1 **Planning and Development**

Ian reported on 3 applications.

Permission is sought by Mr Hansard to erect a horticultural workshop behind Gaunt on Front Street. This is for the bagging and re-selling of mushroom compost. The planning officer had given the go-ahead beforehand and the wooden building has already been erected.

Permission is sought to rebuild a stone wall at Rivers Mead, which had been taken down because it was unsafe.

The Ogg family have applied to make modifications at 1 Huteson Lane. These were to extend the kitchen and build a new garage.

93.3.2 **Website**

Ian had nothing to report, except that he had sent instructions on how to do modifications to Sam and Mike.

93.3.3 **Newsletter**

Mike is looking for articles before 24 July. Mike said that, as the Local Services Directory was on the website, he felt it would be better to take out this information from the Newsletter. It was agreed that this made sense. This would make more room for articles in the Newsletter.

93.3.4 **History Group**

Nothing to report.

93.3.5 **Parish Council**

Mike reported that he had been contacted by the Parish Clerk for clarification on whether information re planning applications would be included in the Newsletter. It was felt that, although Mike should not be constrained from publishing such information, if he felt it was in public interest and already in the public domain, the Newsletter was not the appropriate platform.

93.3.6 **Neighbourhood Watch**

Mike reported on a man in a white van going round asking if anyone had any items which needed to be disposed of. Payment is made to take the items away and then these are fly-tipped rather than disposed of responsibly. If approached, please get as much information as safely as possible, and pass on to the police.

93.4 **FINANCE**

The bank balance stands at £994.55 and petty cash at £12. The June quiz made £25.70. Kim is checking the books.

93.5 **CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**

None.

93.6 **SOCIAL EVENTS**

Quizzes

9 July Sel - raffle Avis

13 Aug Michelle - raffle Helen

10 Sept Jayne - raffle Sam

8 Oct Paul - raffle Sharon (if she agrees)

12 Nov Alan - raffle Sel

10 Dec Sam - raffle Sue

93.7 **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

A discussion took place on the state of the footpath behind Front Street. Avis said that it is overgrown and impassable in places. It was stated that this is the responsibility of the council.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

7.30pm Tuesday 4 August 2015 in the Club