Little Longstone Parish Meeting
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Minutes of the extraordinary meeting 18th June 2012 held at Little Longstone Chapel at 7pm.

Present
Mrs D Gregory (Chair), Mrs J Mantell, Mr R Gregory, Mrs C Burns, Mrs E Adamson and Mrs S Stokes (Clerk)

44/12 Apologies for absence
Apologies were received from Mr And Mrs J Longsdon, Mr P Davey, Mr K Adamson, Mr and Mrs R Lambe and Miss A Gregory.

45/12 Declarations of business interest
There were no declarations of business interest.

46/12 Minutes of the previous meetings held on 30th April 2012 and 9th May 2012.
The minutes of 30th April and 9th May were proposed by Mrs J Mantell and seconded by Mrs E Adamson.

47/12 Financial Matters

The Chair reported on the following financial matters:

47.1 To approve payments made since the last meeting:

S Stokes (18 jubillee mugs)	£359.10	000376
Bakewell tart shop (bread jubilee)	£81.00	000377
Chatsworth farm shop (meat jubilee)	£477.13	000378
D Gregory (crackers etc jubilee)	£50.59	000379
D Gregory (tablecloths, napkins jubilee)	£67.95	000380

47.2 To approve payments due to be made.

Friends of Little Longstone Chapel (room hire)	£40.00	000381
S Stokes Admin/exp	£351.51	000382
B Cardona – chapel mowing	£99.00	000383

C Barnes – mow/strim £432.00 000384

To note the jubilee mugs were for all children in Little Longstone up to/including aged 18 yrs.
To note awaiting invoice for memorial bench.

Approval of the payments was proposed by Mrs C Burns and seconded by Mrs E Adamson.

48/12 Savings account. Clerk to look into for September meeting.

49/12 Donations for 2012/2013, incorporating request from St Giles, Great Longstone. Parish members to consider for September meeting.

50/12 Planning Matters.

Parish Council consultation. NP/DDD/0510/0473 Parva Cottage, Little Longstone, Kitchen and bedroom extension.

Comments sent in to PDNPA: Would like to see traditional methods maintained, for example random stone, stone head and sills.

51/12 Matters arising.

51.1 Speeding at Monsal Head. The members discussed that DCC are not looking at reducing the speed limit at Monsal Head and this is not satisfactory. It was reported that traffic moves along at a great speed and crossing the road from the Monsal Head Hotel is a challenge both for locals and tourists. Resolved to ask the Clerk to write again to DCC stating that the Parish are not satisfied with the last letter from them, the stretch of road is dangerous,the speed limit should be reduced and any further recommendations they may have.

51.2 Parking. The Chair read out a letter received from DCC regarding parking concerns. The letter stated that the current white lines in the Chapel vicinity should now have been extended. However the request to extend the one nr Parva Cottage a little further in the village direction was not granted. DCC stated that other areas have also been affected by the Peak Parks decision to open the tunnels. DCC have asked the parish to update them on parking, particulary in the tourist high season. Parishoners reported that the village cones are useful, but heavy to manouve, short term solution. Mrs E Adamson/Mrs C Burns to monitor parking in the coming months, with data if possible, with a view to writing to DCC in September with a report.

51.3 Streetlighting/part night. The Clerk reported that the consulatation process for the part night street lighting had come to an end. Parishoners had been given the opportunity the contact DCC direct. No reply had been received from DCC regarding proposed costings for a new street lamp between The Manor and The Stocks section.

51.4 Monsal head short term carpark (benches,interpretation panel,bins, ice cream van). It was noted that under Ashford Parish in the long term car park, memorial gardens are being dug out. Clerk to inform Ashford Parish.

Three letters were read out regarding this area, highlighting the untidiness of the area with regards to the physical car park.

Benches/Interpretation panel. The Clerk reported that both licenses have now been signed. Clerk is awaiting an update on a timescale for the new interpretation panel from PDNPA. Memorial benches, approx six to date are being ordered imminently by DDDC. The plan from both parties was for the panel and benches to be in by the summer holidays at the latest. The members are keen to get the benches in asap as the area is not looking very satisfactory.

Bins/Litter/weeds . The three bins were discussed. The Clerk highlighted that if the Parish were to purchase three large capacity covered bins, these would be £300 each, whereby DDDC would remove the old ones and install the new. There was some discussion as to the number of bins, some had been removed, the members presumed these were those with no lids. It was felt there were 6 bins. Clerk to clarify this information. Litter around the area was highlighted both by the letter received and parishioners/visitors. Clerk to write to DCC in the first instance to ask where the old bins are and plans for the summer, if it is the case that the bins have been removed. C Barnes to be asked to do two sessions of weedkilling/strimming/extra through litter pick in the short term car park area, between Middle of June and Middle of September. This is on top of the usual schedule (he currently litter picks every Monday). Strimming also to be carried out on the grass verges leading from the Monsal Head Hotel, ending after last two properties in Wardlow direction (two sessions as above). Strimming etc to be reviewed at the September meeting, looking into the next year.

Ice cream van. It was resolved for N/J Mantell to monitor the ice cream van and its operations during the next two weeks, looking at possible drink sales, noice of van and tidying of litter around van area at end of day. It has been highlighted that the running of the van changes, from the vans used, operater in the van, noice variation, ad hoc drink sales, ad hoc not picking up of litter, with no contintinuity. Lease terms were refered to. Clerk authorised to write to Fredericks following the Mantells period of monitoring, if required.

51.5 Monsal Head Charity/Solicitor visit. Clerk and Chair to arrange a meeting.

51.6 Land Registration – Pinfold. No progress.

51.7 Trees infront of Holiday barns. Trees due to be trimmed during June.

51.8 Wall infront of Longstone Byre towards Great Longstone. Clerk had sent a letter to Bagshaws, no reply received.

51.9 Grit bin cover. Suitable paint being sourced for C Barnes to paint.

52.0 Funds for university fees/transport/school trips/fuel bills for elderly. See 51.5. To be looked at in September meeting.

52.1 Jubillee. The Chair reported that the BBQ event had been a success.
52.3 Welldressing. The Chair reported that the 'titanic' welldressing theme would be going ahead in July. Each household was given an itinery of the event, when invited to the Annual Parish meeting/jubilee.

54/12 Correspondence

1. DALC General circular. Noted.
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3. DAlC neighbourhood plan circular. Noted.
4. DALC General Circular. Noted.
5. GLCC 2012 season. Noted.
6. Resident. Ice cream van noice. See 51.4.
7. Audit commission. Appointment of Grant Thornton to audit annual return, from Sept 2012. Noted.
8. DDCC. Code of conduct. Clerk had contacted DCC regarding this. LL not required to sign up to this, as a Parish 'Meeting'.
9. PDNPA. Community led planning in the Peak District. Noted.

55/12 Late items of correspondence.

1. Resident. Untidy short term car park at MonsalHead and van noice. See 51.4
2. Resident Great Longstone. Walling on Cherpit Lane in Little Longstone Parish, requesting Parish Meeting write to DCC. The Members asked the Clerk to write to DCC on behalf of the landowner regarding a section of walling/supporting bank. The Clerk requested that RTB and GLPC be copied in with the residents approval, P Members approved this.
3. Aon. Confirmation of insurance renewal. Noted.
4. DALC Localism Act training event. Noted.
5. Dalc Training.
6. PDNPA. Adoption of PDNPA revised statement of community involvement. Noted.

7. Resident. Regarding ice cream van selling drinks, not always clearing away rubbish and noisey van. See 51.4.
8. Dalc. President. Clerk reported that Brian Wood is retiring in August.
9. Dalc. New standard regime – code of conduct. See no. 8 54/12.
10. Dalc general circular.
11. PDNPA. PDNPA response to consultation on changes to National Park governance.

56/12 Any other business.

No items under any other business.

57/12 Date of next Meeting.

Subject to any interim planning applications, the next meeting will be held on Monday September 17th at 7pm in The Chapel, Little Longstone.