

CHILTON FOLIAT PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF CHILTON FOLIAT PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2010

PRESENT Nic Coome (Chairman), Tracy Crump, Jim Hynes, Paul Outridge, Lynne Quinton, Stuart Rolfe, Cllr Chris Humphries and Graham Francis (Clerk).
PCSO Jonathan Mills and one member of the public attended

The meeting began with a short presentation by Michael Edmonds, Vice-Chair of MaVCAP

1 **Apologies:** Gary Crumpler

2 **Minutes of the meeting of 13 July 2010**
The minutes of the meeting held on 13 July having been circulated were accepted as a true record and signed by the Chairman

3 **Declarations of Interest:** There were none

4 **Matters arising from the minutes:**
5 Meeting with Sir Seton Wills has been arranged

5 **Correspondence:**
WALC newsletter September;
Best Kept Village report – filed. Better signage required for Recreation Ground
Community First AGM invite – Devizes Corn Exchange, Wednesday 6 October at 5.00pm
North Wessex Downs AONB Annual Review and invitation to Forum – Thursday 7th October
9.00 – 4.00 Hungerford Town Hall
Attachments to street lights – details filed
Nuclear Power stations - circulated;
Wiltshire Council - Grants for countryside access including footpaths and furniture;
Wiltshire Council - Leisure facilities questionnaire;
Wiltshire Standards – opportunity for training on the new Code of Practice.
Wiltshire Council - Flood awareness – Salisbury City Hall, 19 October 1.00 – 4.00pm

The Clerk suggested that in future a Postlog could be provided one week before meetings to allow Councillors time to consider responses if necessary. This suggestion was welcomed.

6 **Planning:**
Plan received from Wiltshire Council
E/10/1151/FUL Demolition of garage and erection of new dwelling at The Weirs – comments:
New garage too close to the road; house is too big and represents over-development of the site;
construction not in keeping with other houses at that end of the village; concerns over the view of the back of the property from the bridge.

7 **Village Hall:**
Group met with Chairman prior to the meeting with the Conservation Officer present. Surveyor has been hired and some issues have been raised which the Property management team are now considering.

8 **Recreation Ground:**
Future plans for this area to be discussed with Sir Seton Wills. Paul Outridge gave an update on problems with the play area and would be contacting Playground Services about the side kick board on the skateboard. No major problems in report from RoSPA

9 Youth Club Funds:

Peter Waite has been contacted but still no cheque for the transfer of funds has yet been issued. Councillors asked to remind Peter at every opportunity.

10 Neighbourhood Watch:

PCSO Jonathan Mills gave an update on the 11 schemes currently operating in Chilton. Facebook website [Marlborough East Policing Team](#) gives details. Suggested that a link is established with Chilton's web site.

11 Charities:

Much debate took place on the future of monies from the Charities. Two propositions were put forward and voted by all in favour:-

1 The Coal Fund would continue for people in the village over the age of 60, living alone and unemployed. Proposed Nick Coome, seconded Lynne Quinton

2 Claims for a lump sum bursary may be made annually by villagers (criteria to be debated and a constitution adopted) Proposed Jim Hynes, seconded Nic Coome

The Clerk was asked to ascertain from the Bank where the money originated and details of the funds that were invested. Nick Coome asked to become a Trustee. **GF**

12 Ongoing problems:

Chris Humphries suggested that any problems over roads, signs, flooding etc should be referred directly to Adrian.hampton@wiltshire.gov.uk who is the Officer responsible

13 Finance

a)	Present financial position:	Parish Account	£0.33p
		BMM Account	£5540.15
		Charity Account	£2441.76
b)	Payments	Scofell Landscapes (July cut)	£192.41 (VAT £28.66) <i>Paid</i>
		Scofell Landscapes (Aug cut)	£192.41 (VAT £28.66) <i>Paid</i>
c)	Receipts	BMM Account interest	£0.15p

Payments at (b) were proposed by Nic Coome and seconded by Paul Outridge

14 Matters for report:

Jim Hynes asked who was taking over responsibility for the Chilton Website. Paul Outridge to ask Darren **PO**

Thanks were expressed to Tracy for the excellent refreshments at the Annual Flower Show.

15 Dates of next meetings:

The next meetings of the Parish Council will be on **Tuesday 9 November** and Tuesday 11 January 2011 at 8.00 pm.

Items with initials in **bold type** require action.

There being no further business Chairman closed the meeting at 21.35

Signed.....Chairmandate