

Arkholme with Cawood Parish Council  
Minutes for meeting Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2016  
In Arkholme Village Hall

Present: Cllrs Charles Waddington, Graham Jackson-Pitt, David Howarth, City Cllr Roger Mace, 1 member of the public and the Clerk Gillian Hodgson.

1. Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs Gibson and Preston.
2. Minutes of meeting held on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June were read and signed as a true record by Cllr Waddington.
3. Clerk's Report (Matters arising)
  - a) Whittington, Arkholme & Gressingham SpID (Speed Indicator Device) meeting with Eric Grubb, Speed Management at Lancashire County Council. The Arkholme situation is more complex. One sign could probably be fixed to the west of the village, but because of the 30/20mph signage, a SpID sign to the east of the village is unlikely. Also the type of sign may not be the LCC approved version. This would mean the other villages also going non-standard if the cost is to be shared. The B6254 is subject to mobile enforcement, a further complication. EG is to check with the County Engineer. Mobile camera enforcement is difficult at present: the site to the west is often occupied by builder's vehicles and to the east there is no suitable site.
  - b) Hopewell Cup competition festive wreath – presentation of Hopewell Cup to the winner Hilary Jagger took place prior to the meeting.
  - c) Correspondence with Andrew Dobson regarding planning developments and Section 106 contribution to a community shop: a meeting to be arranged.
  - d) Blocked stile opposite Cawood House, clerk to ask advice of the Conservation Office.
  - e) Clarification regarding Footpath 4 to the rear of The Willows ref: PRW/11062 requested.
  - f) The Pensions Regulator registration.
  - g) Blocked gullies on Carus Park reported 26/6/16 to Lancaster City Council via <https://www.fixmystreet.com/>
4. **PACT** No crimes were reported during March, April or May; the link to local crime figures online [www.police.uk](http://www.police.uk) Lancashire Constabulary > Kellet and Borwick. Your local neighbourhood policing team may be contacted by telephone on **101** or E-mail [morecambept@lancashire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:morecambept@lancashire.pnn.police.uk) PC 3573 Rob Barnsley Community Beat Manager. If you would like to receive local & relevant information regarding police issues you can register online at <http://www.lancashire.police.uk/intheknow>
5. **Finance**
  - a) Cheque 518 agreed by Cllrs : G.A.Hodgson expenses photocopying £80.10, stationery from Carnforth Bookshop £6.80 & engraving of silver trophy from Classic Engraving £9.00 Total value £95.90
  - b) Clerk to request written confirmation from Lloyds Bank that Cllr Jackson-Pitt is a third signatory.
6. **Planning**
  - a) 16/00170/AD Erection of a steel frame building for Mr Stephen Ward, Higher Broomfield Farm, Kirkby Lonsdale Road, Arkholme, LA6 1AZ **Application withdrawn**
  - b) 16/00767/FUL Proposed engineering works to make improvements to the river bank by R.G.Parkins and Partners Ltd, Low Broomfield, Kirkby Lonsdale Road, Arkholme, LA6 1AZ **Awaiting decision.**Planning applications available for public viewing at <http://planapps.lancaster.gov.uk/publicaccess/>
7. **LALC**
  - a) Future meeting dates: 25<sup>th</sup> July, 26<sup>th</sup> September, 28<sup>th</sup> November venues to be confirmed.
  - b) June newsletter in circulation.

c) 72<sup>nd</sup> AGM Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 10.00am at County Hall, Preston

**8. Lancaster City Council** none this month.

**9. Lancashire County Council** Consultation on where services are provided 18<sup>th</sup> May to 14<sup>th</sup> August  
<http://www3.lancashire.gov.uk/corporate/consultation/responses/response.asp?ID=307>

hard copy available from June in County Libraries and Children Centres. Parishioners are encouraged to complete the consultation.

10. Lune Valley Rural Housing Association Director Nick Egdell attended the meeting and explained the details of letting properties at The Sheilings.

11. Maintenance of Village Green carried out by David Smith and Hilary Jagger. Cllrs publicly thank them. Cllrs agreed to reimburse expenditures made. Village Green Committee in discussion with Arkholme School Governors with a proposal to develop the site. Agreement with school, parish council and village green committee regarding maintenance of village green; eg: gardening strategy and upkeep of furniture to be drafted and approved.

12. Business introduced by Cllrs

a) Strengthening Communities Fund available for community groups with regard to develop community emergency plans. A strategy for a future application to be drafted by the next meeting.

Date of next meeting **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016 at 7.30pm** in Arkholme Village Hall