

RUMBURGH PARISH COUNCIL
MEETING – 4th November 2015
Start 7.30pm

1. The chairman, Pieter van Dijk, welcomed councillors Charlotte Binder, Stephen Stannard, Robert Myhill, Roger Davis, Julie Flatt, Paul Spill. The clerk Stephen Wilson was in attendance.
2. Apologies: None
3. Public Forum – No members of the public in attendance.
4. Declarations of interest: All members of the council present declared an interest in Section 7 Budget & Precept and were given dispensation by the Clerk.
5. Minutes of previous meetings 2nd September 2015 & 10th September (Planning) were approved and signed as a true record.
6. Parish Clerks report on matters arising and Council action points:
The Clerk advised that he had attended a parish meeting at St Margarets on the 21st September to discuss possible link up between villages to fund the sharing of speed indicators. The Clerk followed up on this meeting with the Chairman Philip Kidner on 28th October and was advised that no feedback had been received from the attending council representatives.
After discussion councillors decided that if possible, and subject to the promised grant from District Councillor David Ritchie, Rumburgh P.C. would fund the 50% balance. Clerk to contact David Ritchie to discuss.
7. Finances – balances as follows – C/Acct: £4706.33; BP/Acct: £2297.14.
Cheques were approved as follows: 100452 “Rumburgh Village Hall” Room Hire. £60.00. 100453 “PlaySafety” RoSPA £81.60. 100455 Children’s Xmas Party £50.00. 100454 IRD Harris, Grass & Hedge Cutting, £638.40. 100456 Clerks PAYE £65.00. December.
The Budget for 2016/17 was discussed and approved, it being agreed to keep our precept @ £3500.00. Proposed Robert Myhill, Seconded Paul Spill. Unanimous.
The Annual return was discussed and approved and minor issues noted. Proposed Stephen Stannard, Seconded Paul Spill. Unanimous.
7. Planning: Approval only DC/15/3198/FUL “Low Farm” Storage Barn, granted WDC.
8. RoSPA safety inspection report on the Pleasure Ground having been previously circulated to the council was discussed. It was agreed that a working party be organised for spring 2016 with details to be discussed at the February meeting 2016.
9. Correspondence: Letter from Katherine Wilson requesting donation of £50.00 towards the Children’s Xmas Party, Approved, See finances above.
10. Matters to be brought to the attention of the council at the next meeting. None.
11. 2016 Meetings Calendar. A copy of next years meetings calendar was given to councillors in attendance.
12. Date & Time of next meeting: January 6th @ 7.30pm

The meeting closed 20.13

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