

**1208/March/2016**

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF ST MARY IN THE MARSH PARISH COUNCIL ON  
THURSDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> MARCH, 2016 AT THE VILLAGE HALL,  
JEFFERSTONE LANE, ST MARYS BAY 7.00pm**

**PRESENT:** Cllr. G. Allison      **Chairman**  
Cllr. D. Evans  
Cllr. P. Millen  
Cllr. R. Moore  
Cllr.M. Wilson  
Clerk to the Parish Council

**APOLOGIES:**

Cllr. T. Wilson – away  
Cllr. A. Sinden - poorly

**MINUTES:**

Proposed by Cllr. Evans, seconded by Cllr. Wilson, that the Minutes of the meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2016, be approved. All agreed.

**DECLARATION OF INTEREST:**

Cllr. Allison declared personal interest in items referring to the Village Hall.  
Cllr. Millen declared personal interest in items referring to the Levin Club.

**CONSIDER ANY MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES WHICH ARE  
NOT COVERED ELSEWHERE ON THE AGENDA:**

Nothing to report.

**ST. MARY IN THE MARSH PROJECT:**

Cllr. Sinden was not present to give a report.

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

**Shepway District Council:**

Briefing meetings will be held for parish and town councillors regarding planning. Meetings will be held on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April, at 2pm-5pm and 6pm-9pm. Spaces are limited to two per council. Councillors Allison and Evans agreed to attend the 2pm sessions.

**KALC:**

Notification received that consultation is being held regarding neighbourhood planning. Full details can be seen at [www.gov.uk/government/consultations/implementation-of-planning-changes-technical-consultation](http://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/implementation-of-planning-changes-technical-consultation)

**Levin Club:**

Request received for use of the recreation ground for a charity fund sports event on Good Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> March (weather permitting). Council agreed.

**PLANNING APPLICATIONS:**

**Y15/1184/SH**      Retrospective application for erection of bungalow.  
1 Dymchurch Rd.      Approved by SDC.

**1209/March/2016****Y15/0778/SH**

Levin Club

Erection of single storey side/rear extension  
Approved by SDC.

**Y07/1566/SH**

Land adjoining  
Pumping Station  
(sand's motel site)

Erection of 85 Dwellings  
to be considered by the Development Control Committee on 8<sup>th</sup> March  
2015.  
Cllr. Evans advised he will be attending as a resident and not in his  
capacity as councillor.

**Y16/0205/SH**

66 Cedar Cresc.

Erection of a first floor side extension  
Proposed by Cllr. Wilson, seconded by Cllr. Moore, that  
No Objection be raised.  
Voting: For:5 Against:0 Abstentions:0 Interest declared:0

**MATTERS RELATING TO PLAYING FIELD, JEFFERSTONE LANE AND GLEBE LAND:**

Mowing has started at the recreation ground. Simone Browne has informed he will commence work end-April, after the frosts, as the area is too big to cover over. A notice at the site will be erected when a date is given for the works to begin.

Zurich Insurance has identified issues at the recreation areas and with the play equipment. It has been suggested that swing areas be enclosed with access gates together with improved signage and the swings need attention.

Clerk requested to obtain quotes for maintenance of the swings.

Zurich Insurance has been notified that Glebe Land and hut is in the parish council's ownership and public liability insurance cover has been applied.

**MATTERS RELATING TO SLIPWAY, SEAWALL AND FORESHORE:**

Nothing to report.

**FINANCE:**

Proposed by Cllr. Millen, seconded by Cllr. Wilson, that the following accounts be authorised for payment: All agreed.

Salaries:	765.19
Village Directory	144.00
Current Account balance:	£10,850.52
Business Account balance:	£17,736.60

**SPECIAL PROJECTS:****Neighbourhood Plan:**

A survey has been handed to the farming community to form part of the evidence base required by the inspectorate. The Plan has been amended.

Once survey results are known, the accompanying submission statement can be updated and submitted to SDC. The plan and accompanying documents will be placed on the council's web-site as soon as they are complete.

**1210/March/2016**

**ANY OTHER BUSINESS:**

Cllr. Wilson enquired if there has been any progress on a flag pole in the village. Cllr. Allison informed the Village Hall Committee has received a quote for £1200. At present, no further action.

Cllr. Wilson informed he was not aware of the Twinning Trip arranged to Le Touquet and neither did Cllr. Millen. Clerk to enquire with Twinning Committee if it notified members of the planned trip.

Cllr. Millen informed she will not be present at the April Council meeting.

Cllr. Allison advised that parishioners had raised concern over dog waste on the Tree Estate, particularly around Holly Road.

Meeting closed 7.53pm.

Signed.....