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**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF ST MARY IN THE MARSH PARISH COUNCIL
ON THURSDAY 7th MARCH, 2019 AT THE VILLAGE HALL, JEFFERSTONE
LANE, ST MARYS BAY, AT 7.00PM.**

PRESENT: Cllr. G. Allison, Chairman
Cllr. T. Wilson, Vice-Chairman
Cllr. T. Cooper
Cllr. P. Millen
Cllr. R. Tillson
Clerk to the Parish Council

APOLOGIES:

M. Wilson – recuperating

MINUTES:

Proposed by Cllr. Cooper, seconded by Cllr. Tillson, that the Minutes of the meeting held on 7th February, 2019, be approved. All agreed

DECLARATION OF INTEREST:

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

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

Parking Services has confirmed installation of vertical yellow lines at Jefferstone Lane has been approved and is on the list for work to be carried out.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Folkestone-Hythe District Council:

Notification received that officer Victoria Coltart has started working with the Planning team as a designated point of contact for any progress enquiries regarding planning applications, pre-applications and enforcement complaints.

Notification received that the Places and Policies Local Plan Examination will commence on Tuesday 14th May, 2019.

Kent Highways:

Notification received that parking in Hythe High Street outside number 82 to 86 will be prohibited for 21 days. Also, Roberts Road, Greatstone will be part closed from 18th – 27th March.

Channel Rotary Club:

Request received for use of 7-acre field for Sunday 7th July for the purpose of car parking for the annual charity bike ride, based at the Star Inn. Clerk read letter.

The Fifth Continent:

Project update newsletter received. Clerk read projects update.

All Saints Church:

A Flower Festival will be arranged over the weekend of 21st, 22nd & 23rd June, 2019.

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The main aim is to raise funds to help continue the work of the church within the community. Matter considered under Finance.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS:

- Y18/0030/PA** Whether prior approval of LPA is required for change of use.
Goose Farm District Council resolved Prior Approval Approved.
- Y19/0001/FH** Side and rear extension and relocation of access.
17 Orchard Road Approved by District Council
- Y18/0793/FH** Erection of a replacement dwelling.
15 Raymoor Ave. Notification received an appeal has been made against the decision.
- Y19/0134/FH** Erection of a 2.4mm high timber fence between rear gardens
2-22 Pippin Close & Proposed by Cllr. Wilson, Seconded by Cllr. Tillson, that
2-14 Bramley Way No Objection be raised. Voting: Unanimous.

Clerk informed Cllr. Peall is of the view that the Sands Motel development is not under his remit but a response is expected from Dr. Susan Priest.

Kent County Council has written to Brazier & Co., to request resurfacing at the top of Teelin Close. Clerk read letter.

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

Clerk has requested KCC Landscape Services to undertake maintenance and replacement parts to the swings at the recreation ground. Ongoing, awaiting parts.

MATTERS RELATING TO SLIPWAY, SEAWALL AND FORESHORE:

EA has informed it will sweep the pathway prior to Easter. A gentleman has requested a key to the slipway for launching a dingy.

FINANCE:

Proposed by Cllr. Tillson, seconded by Cllr. Wilson, that the accounts be accepted. Agreed
Total expenditure for month £ 1801.55
Current Account balance: 20,459.23
Business Account balance: 14,767.34

Proposed by Cllr. Wilson, seconded by Cllr. Millen that £50 donation be made to All Saints Church towards the Flower Festival. Voting: Unanimous.

SPECIAL PROJECTS:

COMMEMORATIVE STONE:

Bugler for Monday 11th Service may be in doubt as he is currently recuperating.
Bugler for Sunday 10th has been confirmed.

TWINNING:

Arrangements are being made for a small group to attend St. Andre on 11th November.

USE OF 7-ACRE FIELD:

Confirmation that a wedding will be held on 1st June,

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Fun-fair yet to submit application.

Request received from the Channel Rotary Club to use the field for parking during a bike ride event.

Proposed by Cllr. Tillson, seconded by Cllr. Cooper that the field be offered free of charge for the charity event, subject to the Channel Rotary Club agreeing to the terms and conditions that requires the condition of the ground to be reinstated if required. Voting: Unanimous.

NATIONAL PARK STATUS:

Cllr. Cooper informed the Romney Marsh Forum is discussing the potential of national park status and requested council's view on the matter. After discussion the general consensus is council shares the view that there are more pressing needs on the Marsh such as improved health facilities, transport and banking.

COUNCILLOR REPORTS:

Cllr. Cooper informed he was due to attend a meeting at the Civic Centre re Youth but he was unable to attend. Also, the leaking drain on the corner of Grassmere has not been attended to.

Cllr. Millen informed a car has been parked in Taylors Lane for some considerable time.

Cllr. Allison made reference to the dyke in Seaway Road which is becoming an eye-sore.

Cllr. Cooper agreed to take photos and clerk will request district council to take action.

Meeting closed at 8.53pm.

Signed.....Chairman

Date.....

TO ALL ELECTORS OF ST MARY IN THE MARSH PARISH

NOTICE IS GIVEN OF

THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING OF ST MARY IN THE MARSH

PARISH COUNCIL

TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 3rd APRIL, 2019 AT 7pm.

AT THE VILLAGE HALL JEFFERSTONE LANE ST MARY'S BAY
UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF
CLLR. GRAHAM ALLISON
CHAIRMAN OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

THE PARISH MEETING MAY, BY LAW, DISCUSS ALL PARISH AFFAIRS.
IT MAY PASS RESOLUTIONS ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY.

ITEMS SO FAR PLACED ON THE AGENDA ARE:

1. To approve the Minutes of the Parish Meeting held on Thursday 5th April, 2018.
2. Chairman's Report
3. Any other information items.

Graham Allison

Chairman,
St. Mary in the Marsh Parish Council.

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PARISH COUNCIL ON WEDNESDAY 3rd APRIL, 2019,
AT THE VILLAGE HALL JEFFERSTONE LANE, ST. MARY'S BAY
THE MEETING WILL COMMENCE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE ANNUAL
PARISH MEETING AT 7pm**

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Approve Minutes of the Meeting held on 7th March, 2019.
3. Receive any declarations of interest. (*Councillors should disclose prejudicial interest/s in any item/s on this agenda. Councillors with a prejudicial interest must describe and give details of the interest*).
4. Consider any matters arising from previous Minutes which are not covered elsewhere on the Agenda.
5. Consider correspondence
6. Consider planning applications
7. Consider any matters relating to the Playing Field, Jefferstone Lane, and Glebe Land, St. Mary in the Marsh.
8. Consider any matters relating to the slipway, seawall and foreshore
9. Consider finance.
10. Special Projects:
11. Drop Kerbs
12. Councillor Reports.

Gillian Smith

Clerk to the Council