
1. Apologies for absence.
   Cllr Swiers SBC. Cllr. T. Randerson NYCC.

2. Quorate. The Chairman pronounced the meeting quorate.

3. Declaration of Conflict of Interest.
   There were no declarations.

   **Police matters**
   The Clerk reported that the February Report had been received and there were no recorded crimes in Osgodby.

   **Borough and County Council reports.**
   Cllr. Randerson’s report has been circulated to the Parish Councillors. There were no matters arising from the report.
   Cllr. Green reported that meetings were being held by the Borough Council to discuss ways of improving the economy of Scarborough with a view to applying to the Government for the funds required to meet the proposals. The Borough Cabinet had now been increased from four to six members. A complaint by an Osgodby resident who had just moved into the area regarding the pollution created by the McCains factory was discussed. Cllr. Green said the work which was being undertaken to prevent the pollution would be completed in August. The Department for the Environment had been involved in solving this problem Cllr. Green is to make contact with the owner of the land on Seafield Avenue which had now been cleared. He is to enquire of the owner what her intentions are for the land and to suggest she has the area treated to prevent any further uncontrolled growth.
   A resident from Seafield Avenue thanked the Parish Council for arranging to have the area cleared. The total cost of the clearing was £675.

   **Public open Forum.**
   The state of the road surface of Osgodby Crescent was raised by a resident. The County Council had patched the road following representation by the Parish Council but the road had deteriorated substantially. The resident stated that there had been no resurfacing for at least forty years to her knowledge. Cllr. Grant is to contact the County Council to request that action is taken to redress this situation. Cllr. Randerson will also be contacted to try and obtain a decision into when this matter will be resolved.

5. Minutes.
   The Minutes of the meeting held on the 7th January 2020 were agreed as a correct record proposed by Cllr. Dalby and seconded by Cllr. Grant and agreed unanimously.

There were no matters arising.

7. Planning.
There were no planning applications.

8. Amenities.
Cllr. Dalby proposed that a picnic table should be placed on the Filey Road grassed area close to the Litter Bin. This proposal was seconded by Cllr. Robinson and agreed unanimously. The cost of the picnic table which would have concrete supports and be made of recycled plastic was £634. Cllr. Dalby proposed that a flag pole be obtained for the Memorial Garden. The proposal was seconded by Cllr. Jones and agreed. Which flags would be displayed will be further discussed at the next meeting. Suggestions were made that a Yorkshire flag on Yorkshire day and the Union Jack on National celebrations would be appropriate.

Cllr. Jones reported that the paths on the Intake Park have been repaired by the Borough Council who have accepted responsibility for the maintenance of the paths. A meeting is to take place with Chris. Roe of SBC to discuss further development of the Park. More trees and the Wild Flowers will be planted in the Spring. Cllr. Robinson has cleared large areas of the Poachers Path with the help of a local resident. More clearing is to be done. The dog Box on the Poachers path will have paving stones placed on the approach. Cllr. F. Theakston offered some unused paving stones which will be placed at the Dog Box.

10. Memorial Garden,
Cllr. Robinson reported that shrubs have been cut back and general maintenance and preparation for Spring planting is on going. Arrangements are being made to employ local gardeners to replace Green Thumb in the near future. They will also assist on the Intake Park bed.

11 Maintenance and Highway Issues.
The second Vehicle Activated Speed sign will be erected soon on the down side of Osgodby Lane. Responsible drivers are taking heed of the first sign and reducing speed on approach when reminded by the illuminated sign. Cllr. Robinson suggested that independent 30 mph signs would also remind motorists of the speed limit in the Village. Enquiries will be made to see if these can be made available.

12. Finance.
Cllr. Robinson presented the last Bank Statement for signature. There were no outstanding invoices. The current balance available is £3570.15.

The next Newsletter will be distributed in May. Cllr. Grant reported on the progress of Facebook. Response has been limited and it is now open to all the public which may help to widen its appeal.

14. Correspondence.
No correspondence had been received

15. Any other business. Cllr. Dalby reported that complaints had been made to him regarding a dog owner not keeping the dog under supervision and not picking up. A letter will be sent to known dog owners to bring this to their notice and also the heavy fines imposed on those reported for the offence. Cllr. Dalby asked if the Minutes of the Parish Council Meetings could be sent to the Scarborough News. The Clerk did not have them
published as they were not passed until the following meeting. It was agreed that the Minutes would be circulated to the Councillors when completed. If they were agreed as a correct record they could be forwarded to the Scarborough News for publication.

6. **Date and time of next meeting.**

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 5th May 2020 at 7.pm. The Assembly meeting will be held followed by the Annual General Meeting followed by the Ordinary Meeting.