



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL OF EAST STOKE  
HELD ON THURSDAY 4th AUGUST 2022 AT LONGTHORNS CAMPSITE

PRESENT	Cllr Rebecca Cady (Chairman) Cllr Neill Child (Vice Chairman) Cllr Chris Evans Cllr Tessa Wiltshire Cllr Keith Evans
APOLOGIES	Cllr Barry Quinn Cllr Graeme Langley
IN ATTENDANCE	Dorset Councillor Cherry Brooks Liz Maidment (Parish Clerk)

1. **Public participation period for 15 minutes**  
No members of the public were in attendance.
2. **Apologies**  
Apologies were received from Cllr Barry Quinn and Cllr Graeme Langley.
3. **Granting of Dispensation**  
No applications for a dispensation had been made.
4. **Declarations of Interest**  
No declarations of interest were made.
5. **To approve the minutes of the Parish Council meetings held on Thursday 7th July 2022**  
The minutes from 7th July were duly signed and the word "junction" was added to Item 11/d
6. **Matters arising from the minutes**  
There has been no response yet regarding action to be taken to prevent dog fouling.
7. **Planning Applications or Planning Information received**  
None received.
8. **Update on Previous Applications or planning information**
  - a) **P/HOU/2022/03500 - Willowbank Bindon Lane BH20 6AS.** Erection of car port. **Granted. Noted.**
  - b) **P/CLP/2022/01970 - Tumbleholme, Holme Lane, BH20 6AP.** Certificate of Lawfulness for a removal of existing storage shed and approximately 25m2 of 'subsided' concrete hard standing; Installation of 3 bay open fronted car storage garage on concrete base approximately 5m x 9m and replacement of existing plastic grid drive with suitable permeable driveway. **Refused. Noted.**
9. **To receive report from the Dorset Council Councillor**  
Jurassic Coast Catering has now moved and is now located at the Rainbow Garage, East Knighton.
10. **Any Police issues to report or update on issues reported**  
The speed camera van has been parked near Middlefield.
11. **Highways Issues**
  - a) **Update on issues**  
The Middlefield resurfacing has taken place and it was commented upon

that it looked very good.

**b) Speed Indicator Device.**

The device is now up and running and is currently located just outside the Black Dog Inn. Cllr Cady thanked Cllrs Quinn, Langley and Keith Evans for attending the training and reading the risk assessment. It is scheduled to be moved on the 1st September. There were teething issues as it was not working for a few days therefore the Community SID Team had to make a few adjustments. Concern was raised as to whether pedestrians might collide into the SID. It was suggested that a reflective strip could be purchased.

**Action:** The Clerk to investigate purchasing strips and for the SID to be included in the next newsletter. The Community SID Team will be contacted to find out what was wrong with the SID and how they resolved the problem.

**c) Camp Bestival and other Summer Events**

i) There was an accident involving three cars on the B3070/Holme Lane junction on Friday 29th July. Luckily there were no serious injuries. The fire engine that was attending blocked Holme Lane completely which meant traffic including people going to Camp Bestival had to turn around. The Police response was slow as they did not arrive for 30 minutes.

ii) On Monday 1st August there were problems on the B3070/A352 junction as festivalgoers were not following the signage directing them to turn left. With lots of vehicles going right against the flow of traffic it caused major congestion as far back as Holme For Gardens. It was discussed that the presence of a marshall at the junction may have helped although they do not have the authority to forbid drivers from turning as they can only legally have an advisory role. It was also noted that unlike in previous years there weren't any marshalls at the Binnegar Lane turning.

iii) The Tour of Britain will take place on Saturday 10th September. Part of the route will be along Puddletown Road.

**d) Other Issues**

The pot holes in Church Lane have all been filled apart from one.

**12. Hethfelton Woods**

The Clerk has emailed the Forestry Commission but at present, no signage regarding dog fouling has been displayed.

**13. Consultations for consideration or New Items for Discussion/Consideration**

Dorset Council Community Governance Review - Final Recommendations. The report and all associated papers. **Noted.**

**14. Correspondence Received**

a) Road Traffic Regulation Act, 1984 Temporary Traffic Management Order Various Roads, Purbeck Area Camp Bestival 2022. If you would like further information concerning these orders please call Dorset Highways' Traffic Team on 01305 221020. **Noted.**

b) DAPTC E-News 8th July 2022. Resources and communication materials regarding the cost of living crisis are now all in one place on the Dorset Council website. **Noted.**

c) Latest news from Dorset Council - travel, education and BBQs. A Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) came into force on 1 July that prevents people from lighting fires, including BBQs, fireworks, lanterns, and campfires, in many areas across Dorset. **Noted.**

d) DAPTC E-News 15th July 2022. There will be two e-news editions in August and then it will be back to weekly in September. **Noted.**

e) Dorset Shared Prosperity Fund. Statistics on Dorset labour market insights. **Noted.**

- f) SWR announces 27 July strike service level. The RMT union has announced that strike action will take place on Wednesday 27th July 2022. **Noted.**
- g) Tour of Britain - Information for Town and Parish Councils. The cycle race will take place on Saturday 10th September and will be going along the Puddletown Road. **Noted.**
- h) Household Support Fund Information for Pensioners. People can apply either online or by calling in to see Citizens Advice or visit their local library. More information can be found [www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/household-support-fund](http://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/household-support-fund) **Action:** The Clerk to find out if paper versions are available to give to householders and display on noticeboards.
- i) Latest news from Dorset Council. A Gold Award has been given to Dorset Council as part of the Ministry of Defence Employer Recognition Scheme. **Noted.**
- j) DAPTC E-News 22 July 2022. They are currently reviewing the most appropriate and effective means of staging the 2022 AGM. **Noted.**
- k) Working Together Webinars - 1st August 2022 at 4:30pm Dorset Council Libraries Consultation Update. Delegates can register here: [Let's Talk Libraries](#). Cllr Child attended.

## 15. Finance

**The following payments were duly approved and will be paid electronically. Cllr Child and Cllr Cady to approve the payments.**

	Amount
E Maidment Salary	£231.04
Dorset County Pension Fund	£67.24
Dorset Council (solar set ups for SID)	£486.00

## 16. Items for information or next agenda

- a) The Clerk's printer has broken and it was proposed by Cllr Cady and seconded Cllr Chris Evans to purchase another this month. A possible idea is to have an HP one whereby one can sign up for a monthly subscription service for ink.
- b) It was asked if there was an update on the Farrer Estate noticeboard. It was difficult to renovate as the material used underneath the paint has bubbled. It was suggested that either the Holme Sawmill or the Wareham's Men Shed could construct one.
- c) All the noticeboards need varnishing. An advert will be placed in the newsletter asking for volunteers.
- d) The Clerk will be away the weekend before the next meeting so she will be unable to put up the agendas. Cllr Cady volunteered to put them up.

## 17. Date of the Next Parish Council Meeting

The next meeting will be held at Longthorns Campsite on 1st September 2022.

With no further business to transact the Chairman closed the meeting at 19:43

Chairman:

Date.....