

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF HINXWORTH PARISH COUNCIL HELD
IN THE VILLAGE HALL ON THURSDAY 3rd MARCH 2022 AT 7.00 PM.**

Present:

Mr R. Cobb (Chairman)
Mr N. Tiffin (Vice-Chairman)
Mr A. Lloyd
Mr A. Dawson
Mr B. Higgins
Mrs W. Kitchener (Clerk)

Other Councillor present: Tom Tyson, District Councillor.

Apologies: Steve Jarvis, County Councillor,

1. The Minutes of the last meeting: The minutes of the meeting of 3rd February 2022 were agreed by the Parish Councillors. Proposed by Tony Lloyd and seconded by Nick Tiffin

2. Matters arising not elsewhere on the Agenda: Nothing to report.

3. Correspondence:

Email from Les Whitfield:- An email has been received from Les Whitfield regarding the minutes of 6th January 2022 which report on Planning Application 21/03121/FP: Land Adjoining Christy's Yard. Mr Whitfield suggests that the minutes are factually incorrect. The Chairman will respond.

4. Finance:

Current Parish Council Funds: The Councillors agreed to the expenditure for the current month. Proposed by Richard Cobb and Nick Tiffin.

5. Planning:- North Hertfordshire District Council Planning Application 22/00547/PNQ.

Marshfield Barn, New Inn Road, Hinxworth, SG7 5HB. The Parish Council has received this Planning Application. They have until March 24th to respond to NHDC.

6. Highways:

Parking on the Pavement at the North End of the High Street. It has been brought to the attention of the Parish Councillors that some of the residents are parking across the pavement in this area making it difficult for pedestrians. The Chairman is to write to the residents notifying them of this concern.

.7. Village Hall:

Water Heaters. A new water heater has been installed.

8. Recreation Ground:

The Gate/Pedestrian Entrance. Due to the wet conditions over the past months this area has become a quagmire. The Parish Councillors therefore have decided to get this rectified by having the area dug out and then filled in with suitable material.

The Archery Club: The agreement commencing April 2022 will be ready for signature within the next few weeks.

.9. The Tennis Court: *Nothing to report.*

10. Allotments: Nothing to report.

11. Any Other Urgent Business:

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee:

Plans for the Street Party in the Close on June 5th are underway. Sylvia Scales is taking bookings. To date there has been forty six bookings. Tony Lloyd is to order the "bunting" ready for the day.

Unknown "Tommy" for Hinxworth: This has now been ordered by Richard Cobb.

12: Date of the Next Meeting: The Annual Parish Meeting, Thursday 7th April 2022 in the Village Hall at 8.00pm. The meeting closed at 7.55 pm.