RAMSBURY & AXFORD PARISH COUNCIL

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You are invited to attend a Meeting of the Parish Council on Monday 16th Oct. 2023 at 7.45pm in the Memorial Hall, High Street, Ramsbury

Apologies to the Clerk please

AGENDA

- 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
- 2 DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST- Councillors to declare any interests
- 3 MINUTES of the meeting held on 18th September (circulated) for approval
- 4 MATTERS ARISING not included in the Agenda
- 5 NEW CORRESPONDENCE –items highlighted for discussion*:

Ref. No	Date Received	Sept-October 2023 Correspondence	Subject Highlighted for Discussion
A7483	13 Sept	Resident	Horses on Springs Hill. Fwd. to Rights Of Way C.
A7490	19 Sept	PKF Littlejohn LLP	Closure/completion of 2022/2023 external audit.
A7491	19 Sept	Isles Court Estate Manager	Cognatum contribution towards the cost of dropped kerbs on Isles Road.
A7493	21 Sept	Resident	Request for PC support in making application to National Lottery Community Fund to build some bike jumps
A7497	22 Sept	Resident	Enquiry about current PO opening hours.
A7498	25 Sept	Resident	Blocked gullies
A7503	27 Sept	Resident	Suggestion for an outdoor Xmas Fair
A7504	28 Sept	Isles Court Estate Manager	Thank you for support re. request for dropped kerbs. For information
A7505	28 Sept	Melissa Camillieri, Wilts Police Community Support Officer	Date options for police surgery in December.
A7506	30 Sept	Resident	Blocked gullies on Stone Lane, Axford

^{*}The full list of incoming correspondence from 8th September – 9th October can be viewed on the parish council website

6 **Committee Reports:**

(i) Planning Diann Barnett

PLANNING REPORT RAMSBURY AND AXFORD PARISH COUNCIL - October 2023 Planning Applications Processed since September 2023 Report

New	apr	lica	tions.

•	PL/2023/02960	33, Oxford St, Ramsbury	Internal work, windows and rear door.		
•	PL/2023/07798	Orchard Cott, Chapel Lane	Single storey rear ext. /external material change		

Still awaiting -

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•	PL/2022/08705	Coombe Farm, Axford	New house, dwelling, Est yard and ancillary. N/O
•	PL/2023/05245	Crown and Anchor	Chalet bungalow, drive, parking, garden. OBJ
•	PL/2023/06108	Land NE Lamplands	Siting of mobile home OBJ
•	PL/2023/06332	14/15 Union St	Side and rear ext., 3 dormer windows N/O
•	PL/2023/07407	1 The Square, Ramsbury	Change of use bowls green-garden + s'house N/O
•	PL/2023/07436	Meadow Fm Stud SN8 2PP	Varying of conditions. N/O
•	PL/2023/07250	Newtown Lodge, Newtown	Treework N/O
•	PL/2023/07297	Hop House, Tankard Lane	Resubmission of 18/00532/FUL N/O
•	PL/2023/07437	Land south of Back Lane	Single storey eco house, access, boundary wall work

Decisions-

•	PL/2022/05380	Ramsbury Manor SN8 2RG	Exhibition centre, estate yard and car park APP
•	PL/2022/04972	Ramsbury Manor SN8 2RG	Exhibition centre, estate yard and car park APP
•	PL/2023/04271	Ramsbury Methodist Chapel	Amendments to change of use
		SN8 2PG	privacy boundary windows. APP
•	PL/2023/05852	3 Maslin Close, Back Lane	Roof conversion with dormer. APP
•	PL/2023/06141	Peach Tree Cott, Lamplands	Conversion of garage and link extension APP
•	PL/2023/05902	Snellswood Dairy, Whittonditch	Build farmhouse for agricultural workers W'DRAWN

A-7081 Red Lion, Axford Planning contravention notice served.

Local Plan consultation

(ii) Finance Erica Hodgson

Completion of audit posted

Public loo – progress report

The Finance Committee meeting held on 5th October.

Q2 report

18 S137 Grant applications are being considered

(iii) Rights of Way

Lynn Jauncey

One of the rocks remains on the highway in Union Street Reinstating a monthly local walk Quotes to remove dangerous ash tree on Mill Lane

(iv) Play Areas and Seats

Denise Edwards

RoSPA Inspection

(v) Emergency Committee

Alison Foale

Arranging a Committee meeting

Winter preparations

Newcomers pack

Arrange an emergency wardens' meeting

(vi) Environment Committee

Maggie Waugh

Plastic-free Ramsbury

Great Bedwyn green open homes event

Website page

Public Forum - Parish Council Standing Orders temporarily suspended for this item

7 AXFORD Diann Barnett

8 LOCAL HIGHWAYS & FOOTWAYS IMPROVEMENT GROUP

Sheila Glass

Next meeting will be held on 19/10/23

9 MARLBOROUGH AREA BOARD

Sheila Glass

Report of meeting held on 10/10/23

10 ALLOTMENTS Denise Edwards

11 WEBSITE

Denise Edwards/Sheila Glass

12 VILLAGE MAINTENANCE

Sheila Glass/Lynn Jauncey

Blocked gullies

White gates on Newtown Road

SIDs

Christmas lights

13 MEMORIAL GARDEN

New gate

Poppies

14 PARISH STEWARDS' ROTA

Sheila Glass

No-show on 28th September Next visit Thursday 26th October

15 LIBRARY Alice Charlwood

16 PUBLIC CONVENIENCES

Progress update

Sheila Glass/ Roger Greasley/Ron Young

17 MEMORIAL HALL Sheila Glass/George Hawes

Kitchen refurbishment

18 NATURE RESERVE Chris Morgan

19 POLICE SURGERY

Next police surgery will be held on Thursday 7/12/23 at 7pm in the Lychgate Room

20 RECREATION CENTRE George Hawes

21 RAMSBURY SCHOOL Roger Greasley

22 VANDALISM

23 PATIENTS' REPRESENTATIVE

George Hawes

24 ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT IN OCTOBER

Invoice No	Payments to Suppliers – October 2023	Amount	Net	VAT	Paid By	S137
13908	JRB Enterprises – dog poo bags. Paid in Sept	100.74	83.95	16.79	VisaDebit	No
13909	J.Parker Dutch Bulbs Ltd. – Spring bulbs for tubs. Paid in Sept	293.88	244.90	48.98	VisaDebit	No
13910	PKF Littlejohn LLP – External audit & AGAR fee	378.00	315.00	63.00	BACS	No
13911	Amazon - Uplighters for tree	50.56	42.13	8.43	VisaDebit	No
13912	Amazon Uplighters for tree (returned)	33.14	27.62	5.52	VisaDebit	No
13913	Idverde Ltd – bin emptying in Sept	15.00	12.50	2.50	BACS	No
13914	M J Baker Accountancy – payroll processing in Aug.	11.25	11.25	0.00	DD	No
13915	Community Heartbeat – two defib. electrodes	106.74	88.95	17.79	BACS	No
13916	Community Heartbeat – G3 battery	357.00	297.50	59.50	BACS	No
13917	Coral Westall – public loo cleaning in October	180.00	180.00	0.00	BACS	No
	TOTAL OUTGOINGS excluding Clerk's salary (Ref. I3918)	£1526.31	£1303.80	£222.51		
	TOTAL AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT*	£151,366.14				
	*incl. gross interest earned to 30 th Sept 2023	£1,366.14				
	MONIES RECEIVED					
	Wilts C. C. – precept (2 nd tranche)	£34,972.50				
	TOTAL INCOME	£34,972.50				
	Current A/c balance at 30 th Sept 2023 – £5,113.78					

^{*}This includes monies held in reserve for parish initiatives such as the Ramsbury Flyer, refurbishment of the old public loos, defibrillators, provision of play equipment, pavement and road repairs, etc.