

Frank Sheldon, Clerk

HUNSHELF PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 20th July 1988
in the School Room, Greenmoor at 7.00 p.m.

Present:-

Councillor D.B. Horsfall (Chairman)
Councillor Mrs J. Firth
Councillor Mrs C. Godley
Councillor Mrs D. Stubbs
Councillor M.D. Flanagan

and 3 parishioners

1. Apologies for Absence

1.1 There were no apologies for absence.

2. Minutes of the Meeting held on 20th June 1988

2.1 The minutes of the meeting held on the 20th June 1988 were confirmed as a true record.

3. Matters Arising

3.1 Appointment of Clerk: At a Special Meeting of the Council held on 20th June 1988, Frank Sheldon was appointed Clerk to the Council, his duties taking effect from 1st July 1988. It was agreed that a mandate should be sent to the bank adding his name to the authorised signatories.

3.2 Archives Letter: The Clerk was asked to write to Mr Spencer seeking his help in ascertaining what Hunsheff records are held in Sheffield as part of the Wharncliffe Trust.

3.3 Senior Citizens Coach Party: Councillor Mrs Godley reported that 22 people had booked for the outing. It was agreed that the tour should go ahead and any extra monies required would be funded by the Parish Council. Groups in Thurgoland are to be contacted for any interested parties.

3.4 Poll Tax/Community Charge: The Clerk reported that he had attended an informative and well received talk on the Poll Tax given by the Chairman. 15 Parishioners also attended.

3.5 Stone Trough: The Clerk reported that a claim form had been sent to the insurers.

3.6 Stone Wall-Rock Inn: The Clerk was asked to write to Bass North expressing a wish that they expediate the repairs.

4. School Title

4.1 A report was given on the meeting held with our solicitors on 14th July 1988.

4.2 The solicitor thought that we had been precipitous in suggesting an injunction and thought that a "caution" registered at the Land Registry would be a better form of action. This was agreed.

4.3 It was suggested that a Statutory Declaration by someone with a long-standing knowledge of the situation would be useful. It was agreed that Mr Spencer should be asked if he

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was willing to provide this support

4.4 Questions were asked as to "How strong is Barnsley's case"? The answer was thought to be about the same as ours, but they have a "bottomless purse" and a strong "adverse possession" case as we have never asked for rent.

4.5 Concern was expressed over the fact that Barnsley are removing access from the building. The solicitor was asked to write asking for continued community use whilst the dispute prevailed, "without prejudice". The Clerk was instructed to inform Councillors of the outcome of this request as soon as it was communicated to him, so that further action, if necessary, could be considered.

4.6 It was suggested that the views of the villagers should be sought by distributing a questionnaire. Councillor Mrs Firth and the Clerk were asked to prepare a questionnaire and arrange for it to be distributed.

5. C.A.R.E.

5.1 The financial contribution of our Parish for the year 1988/89 is 116.00. Payment was agreed.

5.2 Acorn Antics: Environmental and Conservation activities for 7-14 year olds are to be held at Northern College, Stainborough during the month of August. Interested parties are aware of the scheme.

5.3 CARE Information: Survey Sheets to aid the compiling of village facilities/group statistics were handed to Coun Mrs Firth for distribution and compilation.

5.4 CARE Steering Committee was held at Greenmoor on Monday 18th July 1988.

5.4.1 The Notice Boards are ready for collection. Councillor Flanagan was asked to collect ours.

5.4.2 Event Sheets were distributed to villagers and posted on the Notice Board and inside School Hall.

5.4.3 It was pointed out that monies were available for the planting of trees and bulbs etc. by interested parties.

5.4.4 The loan of the strimmer was to be requested for use in the Parish.

5.4.5 The Hunshélf Parish Walk led by Mr W.E.Spencer is to take place on Tuesday 16th August 1988 commencing from Mucky Lane at 6.30 p.m. The Chairman asked for our support.

5.4.6 Support was requested by Tankersley Parish Council to prevent Henry Boot filling in a pond inhabited by newts and other beasties. The Clerk was asked to ascertain from Tankersley what action was required.

6. Payments

6.1 It was agreed that 500.00 should be transferred from the deposit account.

6.2 Payments:

B.M.B.C.- CARE Subscription	116.00
B.M.B.C.- Hire of Room 09.06.88	
20.06.88, 29.06.88 and	
04.07.88	26.32

8th Aug 1988 2.2. Replying to BMBC letter of 13.07.88

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Our solicitor's brief is to reply to any correspondence from BM.BC

2.4 Register land with Charity Commission

The members agreed that the Solicitor's suggestion of registering the land with the Charity Commission should be investigated. The clerk was asked to inform

2.1 The financial contribution of our Parish for the year 1988/89 is £100. Payment was agreed.
2.2 A Horn Antics, Environmental and Conservation activities for 7-14 year olds are to be held at Northern College, Bournemouth during the month of August. Interested parties are aware of the scheme.
2.3 CARE Information. Survey sheets to aid the compiling of village facilities/group statistics were handed to Coun. Mrs. Titch for distribution and completion.
2.4 CARE Steering Committee was held at Greenmoor on Monday 12th July 1988.
2.4.1 The Notice Boards are ready for collection. Councilor Finnanhan was asked to collect ours.
2.4.2 Event Sheets were distributed to villagers and posted on the Notice Board and inside School Hall.
2.4.3 It was pointed out that notices were available for the planting of trees and paths etc. by interested parties.
2.4.4 The loan of the strimmer was to be requested for use in the Parish.
2.4.5 The Sunnyside Parish W.M. led by M. W. E. Spencer is to take place on Tuesday 10th August 1988 commencing from Nucky Lane at 8.30 p.m. The Chairman asked for our support.
2.4.6 Support was requested by Tankersley Parish Council to prevent Henry Boat filling in a pond situated by new and other houses. The Clerk was asked to ascertain from Tankersley what action was required.

2.1 It was agreed that 500.00 should be transferred from the Special account.
2.2 Payments
M.B.C. - CARE Subscription 110.00
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20.00.88 22.00.88 and 04.07.88 25.32

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Action to be taken

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form the Solicitor of their agreement.

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2.5 Plan of Site for Land Registry

The Clerk had obtained a suitable plan and promised to forward it to the Solicitors.

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2.6 Questionnaire to Residents

The format of the questionnaire was agreed, after a small amendment. The Clerk was asked to obtain 110 copies and these will be distributed by the Councillors and the Clerk as soon as possible.

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Councillors

2.7 Affidavit

The Clerk was asked to contact the Solicitors to ascertain when this was required.

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3. The Meeting closed at 8.15 p.m.