

NORDELPH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Nordelph Parish Council Parish Assembly held on Wednesday 15th April 2015 at the Village Hall at 6.30pm

Committee Members: Cllr. D Gott, Cllr. R Bailey, Cllr. B Bushnell, Cllr. R Stannard, Cllr. G Cosson, Cllr. Balls

Those Attending: Cllr. Stannard, Cllr. Gott, Cllr. Bailey, Cllr. Balls, Borough Cllr. Pope

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Apologies: Borough Cllr. Spikings, Cllr. Bushnell, Cllr. Free

ASSEMBLY REPORT

1. Welcome

Cllr. Gott welcomed everybody to the meeting.

2. Apologies

Apologies were given as listed above and accepted.

3. To receive a report from the Chairman of the Parish Council

Cllr. Gott reported on the Council's activities this year including,

- The development of the Council's new website.
- The re-opening of the culvert at Footpath 7 along Birchfield Road.
- On going maintenance of the cemetery/churchyard.
- Considering planning applications for the parish.
- The continued efforts to provide garden allotments for the parish.
- The joint purchase of a SAM2 speed sign with neighbouring parishes.

4. To receive a report from the Borough Council

Cllr. Pope reported on the Borough's activities this year including,

- A new ICT Disaster Recovery Centre has been set up in Fakenham.
- There were 100,000 visitors to the Tourist Information Centre last year.
- 663,000 visitors to Lynn Sport, 153,000 to the Fitness Room.
- Free 20 minute parking bays are now available on the Tuesday Market Place.
- Pay-by-Phone parking will soon be available.
- Revenue from parking for the Borough is £3m per annum.
- The BCKLWN have a 3 year contract for the parking at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital.
- New cremators and a new reception area have been installed at Mintlyn Crematorium.
- A £400,000 per annum saving will be made from putting the Borough's leisure services into a Leisure Trust.
- The Borough's toilets have all been upgraded.
- There were 216,000 visitors to Kings Lynn over the Christmas period.
- The town's market stalls are all to be upgraded.
- The Willows Nature Reserve at Downham Market is being restored.
- There were 10,000 visitors to King's Lynn on fireworks night.
- Bepak have underwritten a 3 year contract for the Great East Anglia Run.

5. To receive a report from the County Council

- No report.

6. Open Forum

- The only member of the public present reported of local residents' concerns over the high speeds of vehicles using the Silt Road which is a 40mph zone.

There being no further business, the Assembly closed at 6.55pm.

Signed..... Date