

Shenington with Alkerton Parish Council Meeting
Wednesday 29th January 2020 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

The meeting commenced at 7.30pm

Present: Cllrs, S Porter, G Smith, G Marshall, R Anderson, County Cllr G Reynolds & David Best, Parish Clerk. No members of the public attended the meeting

19/099	Apologies for absence: Cllrs D Brummell, L Gosney J Woodcock & District Cllr Douglas Webb
19/100	Declarations of Interest: Cllr G Marshall – 7a
19/101 19/101/1 19/101/2 19/101/3 19/101/4 19/101/5	Open Forum: Cllr L Gosney – Best wishes were expressed to Cllr Lyn Gosney who was staying in Somerset with her parents as her Father is in hospital. Pot holes – These have been reported in Kenhill Road and have been repaired Dog Poo – There has been an increasing incidence of dog poo being left around the village by dog owners instead of picking it up. Stocking Lane and the Airfield are particularly bad. It was agreed that an email will be sent to residents asking dog owners to use poo bags to collect waste after their dog. It was agreed that the Clerk would also contact the dog warden. Bulging Wall at The Old School House – Residents have pointed out that this is bulging badly. It was agreed that the Clerk would write to the owners to request that they repair it before it collapses. Karting Noise Complaints – a large number of complaints had been received about noise from go karting, particularly from the public address system. It is believed that the owner of the land may be liable to prosecution rather than the karting club. It was agreed that the Clerk would write to the karting club and Cllr S Porter and Cllr R Anderson would speak to Richard Cole to get more background.
19/102	Acceptance of minutes: It was RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on 18 th December 2019 were a correct record (unanimous) and signed by the Chairman, Cllr S Porter.
19/103 19/103/1 19/103/2 19/103/3 19/103/4 19/103/5 19/103/6	Councillor's Reports: a) Village Hall – Cllr G Marshall reported that the heaters in Tysoe Village Hall which appear to be very effective are Consort Heaters. Mr Robin Furneaux has investigated Wi-Fi controls for Village Hall heating. Various forms of disabled lift access were discussed, and it was agreed to carry out further research. b) Highways – No new report c) Defibrillator – No new report d) Emergency Planning – Cllr R Anderson had obtained details of the notice for vulnerable members of the community displayed in the Tysoe surgery. It was agreed that the Clerk would contact the Tysoe Clerk and/or David Roach to obtain permission to use the same wording for a sign in the Shenington Surgery. Cllr G Marshall had contacted the Lions to get details of the Message in a Bottle scheme but had not received a response back. e) Website – Accessibility had been checked and there were no issues. It was agreed that Cllr G Marshall would try to divert the old website to the new one. f) Village Assets – no new report.
19/104 19/104/1 19/104/2 19/104/3	District and County Councillor Reports: Council Tax – It was reported that Council Tax is likely to go up. Precept/ Reserves – District Cllr G Reynolds advised that it is generally accepted that Parish Councils hold reserves equivalent to two times the Precept. Karting Club Noise - Noise from the Karting Club was discussed and County Cllr G Reynolds agreed to talk to District Cllr G Webb about the issue. It was agreed that it is important for residents to complain to Cherwell District Council when the noise is a nuisance.
19/105 19/105/1 19/105/2	Planning Applications: 19/02923/F & 19/02924/LB – Lanes End – No objections. 20/00089/F – Land NW of Fabis House – No objections

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19/106 19/106/1 19/106/2	Planning Decisions: 19/02736/F & 19/02737/LB – Cherwell District Council permitted 23/12/2019. 19/02600/LB – Cherwell District Council permitted 27/01/2020
19/107 19/1107	Financial/Administration: Bank Balances – The bank balances at 30 th December were £17,691.91 (£10,441.11 in the current account and £7,250.80 in the deposit account). Online Banking – It was agreed that the Clerk would contact Barclays to obtain details of the application process
19/108	Second Open Forum: No discussion
19/109	Passing of accounts for payment: The following were approved for payment: £37.40 to HMRC for PAYE for December £149.42 to the clerk for December £30.00 to Village Hall for hire £49.97 to N Brooks for mower fuel
19/110	Any Other Business: None
19/111	Closure of the meeting: The meeting ended at 9:20pm

The next Parish Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday 19th February at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Signed by Chairman.....

Date.....

Minutes are marked as draft until the Parish Council agrees that they are a correct record at the next meeting.