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The Langford Parish Council Meeting

21st May 2015
Minutes

Present:

Cllr Mr Richard Kemp - Chairman

Cllr Mr Andrew Clemons

Cllr Mr Mark Harris

Clerk Mrs A Tyldesley

One member of the public

1. Apologies:

Mrs Catherine Jones

Mr Andrew Bushell

2. Declarations of Interest - none recorded

3. Correspondence

A letter was received from Mr Richard Parsons – Chairman of Langford Cricket Club concerning the Developer of The Wickets (adjacent) intention to raise the present drop kerb to a normal kerb. Mr Parsons reports that this would in turn cause a problem of vehicular access to the Cricket Club and at the same time create a parking nuisance for residents.

It was agreed by all, that letters to be sent to Cotsway, Leadbetters, Highways, both District and County Councillors requesting that the existing dropped kerb remains. Cllr MH agreed to follow up.

3. Minutes of December 2014

The minutes of December 2014 Langford Parish Council meeting were agreed and duly signed

4. Planning

An application received for tennis court at Lower Farm Barn – Cllr Kemp to review and circulate


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5. Highways and environment

- **Speed signs** – the site has now been agreed and will be erected at Leys View
- **Broadband** - nothing to report
- **Defibrillators** – Cllr MH reported that a unit would cost in the region of £1400 and that a grant is available for 50% of the cost.

LPC agreed that a unit should be in place and that the ideal situation would be the Village Hall, where most events are held and is in the centre of the village. It is also at the entrance to the village by two of the three road access points. Cllr MH to apply for grant and conversations to be had with the Village Hall Committee

6. Finance

Bank Status – as of the 24th March the current bank account closed with a balance of £10,696.15. This figure included provision for the cost of the speed sign to be erected in May/June and included a precept payment of £5k.

7. Annual Litter Pick

Date set for Sunday 19th April at 9.00am. AT to organise for pickers, High Viz jackets etc. to be sent from WODC and also for the removal of rubbish collected.

8. May Elections

Election forms and information packs given to members present and AT agreed to hand deliver to the councillors unable to attend

AOB

Although he agreed in principle concerning communications throughout the Parish of Community events, Mr Kemp showed concern that a Langford Community Newsletter and content appeared to be endorsed by LPC. – Further discussions required.

Signed.....
Mr Richard Kemp – Chairman

The meeting closed at 8.30pm

Ann Tyldesley – Langford Parish Clerk

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