

KIRKBURTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD AT BURTON VILLAGE HALL, Highburton ON THURSDAY, 16th MAY 2013 AT 9.00 pm

PRESENT: Cllr S Beresford in the Chair

Cllrs B Armer, R Barraclough, P Brook, R Burton, A Cooper, P Cunnington, S Dunford, K Dunn, R Edmunds, D Hardcastle, J Hirst, I Lumb, A Munro, J Paxton, C Whittingham and B Wightman.
In attendance: Mrs R Perry and Mrs A Royle.

Members noted the minutes of the last Annual Parish meeting.

1 Minutes

Resolved: To approve the minutes of the last Annual Parish meeting held on 17th May 2012 as a true and accurate record.

Apologies were received from Cllrs H Barraclough, N Berry, D Bradbury, P Pankhurst, L Parsley, M Pitts, R Thomas and S Triggs.

2 Apologies

Cllr Beresford addressed the meeting and thanked members for electing him to the post of Chairman for the following year.

3 Chairman's Address

He drew attention to projects that had been undertaken in the previous year with emphasis on the Fruit Trees project, the K9 project and the development of the allotments. He also spoke of the Parish Council's positive involvement in the Shelley Pyramid issue, the fact that the small grants we award make such a difference to community groups and his pride at the Parish Council being awarded the prestigious Quality Council award. He expressed his wish for a productive year with relation to other Parish projects.

Cllr Beresford gave a vote of thanks to the Clerk and the Assistant Clerk for all the advice and support they give.

Cllr Beresford finished by thanking Cllr Burton for all his work throughout the previous year and the help and support he had given to him in his role as Vice Chairman.

There were no members of the public present.

4 Public Discussion

There being no further debate, the Chairman then closed the meeting and invited everyone to join him for refreshments at the Lepton Highlanders Sports and Social Club.