Minutes for Radwinter Annual Parish Meeting and Parish Council Meeting Monday April 22nd 2013

(these minutes have been split into two parts for the web version)

Parish Council Meeting started at approx. 8:15pm

Those Present:

Chairman Mark Halls, Vice Chairman Stephen Graves. Councillors: Rob Rains, Jill Mary, Eileen Duck, Vicky Boyden, Kevin Moore.

District Councillors report Summary:

District Councillor Howell apologised for issing the Annual Parish Meeting and then read his report at the beginning of the Parish Council Meeting. Councillor Howell maintained that there is not really a need for a Traveller site at Anso corner Farm and for Residents to object if they felt it necessary. Council tax is again reduced this year.

Minutes

were signed as correct and Clerk asked to include cheque numbers in financial standings. Cheques were signed for Vicars gift and PC Bureau for Fixing the Parish Council's Laptop.

Purchase order shown to the Council by the clerk for the Hedge Cutting and the Clerk has received correspondence for the supplier who has confirmed that it will be the same price as last year.

Village Sign Repair

Chairman suggested that paint be used as a quick fix to the sign this should rectify the wearing on the sign and he will investigate further into repairs.

The Big Lunch:

James Briggs came back with updated information and quotes and said they would happily put a small amount towards the amount required but thought that this may be better suited to ask support for the Village Hall Charity. James Briggs said that he would speak to them at the Village Hall AGM and remained hopeful that the Big Lunch could go ahead. Decision was made that the Parish Council would support the Big Lunch by up to £200.

Parish Council agreed that although they did not get the Grant for the Radwinter information Pack they would still cover the cost of the production.

Matters for the Clerk to report to the Highways Rangers Service:

Suzanne Walker in an email to the Clerk mentioned that the Roadside Drain opposite the Bus shelter has dropped a lot and will need rectifying as this may damage someones car or cause an accident. The Leaning sign needs to be fixed at the top of Eastview Close, Pot holes on the Great Sampford Road outside Hill Farm and the Large pothole on the pinch point near the crossroads. Also the End of Maple Lane needs a lot of attention and there is Water coming out of Golden Lane and it looks as though the Water has made a hole in the Road. There is a low Branch between the fords down Water Lane that will also need to be trimmed back.

Recommendations regarding the development at the Mushroom Farm have been passed on to the Planning Officer.

James Briggs has had notification that no Data Protection will be broken by giving the information from the Radwinter Information Pack to another Resident.

After showing the Questionnaire it was decided that the answers should go into the PC post box outside the Village Hall and then action will be considered.

The Council was not covered by Insurance last year but that has now been rectified and will continue to be by Suffolk Acre.

Agenda matters for the next meeting.

Date for meeting for the Village Development and updates.

Matters for the Next meeting to be held on Monday May 20th at the Village Hall.