Michaelston-Y-Fedw Community Council

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Minutes of the meeting held at the Village Hall, Michaelston Y Fedw on Wednesday 2nd October 2013.

Members Present

Councillor Mr G Davies
Councillor Mr J Sainsbury
Councillor Mr L Meringolo
Councillor Mr V Davies
Councillor Dr C Rowlands
Councillor Mrs A Huckle
Councillor Mr C Walford

Ward Councillors

Councillor Mr R White Councillor Mr T Suller

Agenda Item and Comments

10/13/01 – Minutes of the previous meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting held on Wednesday September 4th 2013 were proposed by Cllr. V. Davies and seconded by Cllr. Davies.

10/13/02 - Police Matters

There were no police matters to from Michaelston Y Fedw although the investigation that is currently going on in Marshfield and St Brides was discussed.

10/13/03 - Matters Arising

Tirzah Baptist Chapel

The Clerk received a phone call and follow up email from The Powells of Michaelstone Y Fedw Historic Trust in arranging a possible grant towards the graveyard. As the residents of Chapel Cottage are purchasing the land the Clerk agreed to pass the correspondence on to them to pursue if appropriate.

Action: Clerk to contact Mr and Mrs James.

10/13/04 - Planning

No Applications were received.

Travellers Paddock

Shawn Cullen in now representing the Community Council as agreed at the last meeting. He reported that he is now awaiting an update from the Planning Department.

Cllr. White informed the meeting that Pound Hill has been resubmitted as a site for the Traveller Community in the LDP. As the site has already been rejected once it was agreed that a response would be sent restating our list of objections: the topography of the ground, the absence of services, no sewerage, highway safety etc.

Action: The Chair to send a response.

10/13/05 – Roads, Hedges, Verges and Bridges

The right of way at the junction at the top of Began Road was discussed – Cllr. V. Davies has spoken to residents at the top of Began Road who would consider cutting back the shrubs that are overgrown and are obscuring the view at the junction.

10/13/06 - Correspondence

St Michaels Church

A letter was received from the Church Warden requesting financial aid due to increased costs of maintenance and running of the PCC and particularly rotten beams in the bell chamber and stolen lightening conductors.

All members agreed that a sum of £1000.00 should be granted to help the Church.

Village Hall Committee

A request was made from the Village Hall Committee for a grant as the boiler desperately needs to be replaced. As three members of the Community Council are also on the village hall committee they declared their interest and abstained from voting. As the village hall is a focal point for the village and used by many members of the community all were agreed to provide the cost of the boiler of £1800.00

09/13/07 - Finance Matters

The following cheque was written:

Aon insurance

£358.04 payment for insurance renewal, cheque no:000385

Mazars

£72.00 payment for External Audit, cheque no: 000386

Clerk's Wages

£55.00 payment for October, cheque no:000387.

St Michaels's Church

£1000.00 payment for a grant towards repairs, cheque no:000388

Village Hall Committee

£1800.00 payment for a grant for a new boiler, cheque no:000389

10/13/08 - Meeting Reports

No meetings were attended this month.

10/13/09 - Chairman's Business

<u>Fingerposts</u>

This matter is still on going.

Action: Cllr. Davies to make arrangements.

Church pathway

Cllr. V. Davies informed the meeting that there is a problem with the pathway that runs alongside the pub and down to the Church. It is in need of resurfacing, it is the Church's responsibility to maintain it. It was agreed that issue would be looked at again in the Spring.

There being no further business the meeting concluded at 8.15pm. The next meeting is to be held on Wednesday, November 6th 2013 at the Village Hall, Michaelston-Y-Fedw.