

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF HOLCOT PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD ON 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER 2015**

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1. Apologies M Wilson, P Scordellis  
Present: K Buckle, R Hawkins, R Gunnett, J Fountain, D Walker, R Sinclair, A Carter, K Winter (Clerk)
2. Declarations of Interest: None
3. Minutes of Last Meetings  
Minutes agreed and signed .  
Proposed: R Hawkins; seconded K Buckle
- 4 Matters Arising:  
The form for the Washbrook has been forwarded.  
Issue of information sheets will be put on the next agenda  
It was agreed that there was no interest in holding a Holcot Hobble. A suggestion for a village go kart race would be put on the next agenda.  
Work on the old school site would be put on the next agenda.
- 5 Councillor's report  
The ward meeting for 22<sup>nd</sup> October was confirmed. Councillors Gunnett and Buckle would attend. Councillor Gunnett will send agenda items to Councillor Carter.  
Councillor Carter reported on VSOS. This will be put on the next agenda.
- 6 Finance  
Current account 6086.64  
Deposit account 7995.64  
Invoices  

1008917	Park Landscapes	1003.44
100818	Water	25.92
100819	Audit	120.00
100820	Election	1107.43
100821	Insurance	11.18
100822	Wall	558.37
100823	Eon	103.56
100824	Waders	24.98
100825	Allotment rent	71.00
100826	Newsletter	410.00
100827	Salary	375.00

Proposed D Walker, seconded R Sinclair

It was agreed to pay £25.00 for the poppy wreath.

The financial forecast was accepted.

The completed audit was accepted and adopted.

7 Police Matters

Councillor Buckle reported that there had been progress on the hidden dip on Moulton Road. High visibility signs and clear road markings have been proposed.

Three residents have expressed interest in becoming parish constables. One person has applied and will be interviewed.

Further details on speeding issue will be available in the future.

It is possible to get a vehicle recognition camera for two weeks to identify illegal HGV journeys. It was agreed to ask Friends of Holcot to undertake this.

Mr Heaton-Harris will be in the village on 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 4pm.

8 Planning

DA/2015/0758

There was no objection to this application.

9 Highways

No issues

10 Communications

Councillor Walker felt that all the avenues of communication were still not fully successful.

Councillor Fountain felt a door knock should be carried out to get more people to sign up to email communication. It was agreed to put this on the next agenda.

11 Village seat

Money had been left for a village seat. Councillor Gunnett would progress this.

12 Youth matters

It was agreed to provide a grant of £350 to the youth club.

13 Lighting

Waiting for a quote on the Poplars Lane light.

- 14 New Residents  
None
- 15 Washbrook  
Water is still clear and weed growing.
- 16 Parish Clerk  
It was agreed that Lisa Callan should be appointed as the new parish clerk. A letter of appointment would be sent.
- 17 Web site  
Nothing to report.
- 18 NNSUE  
Councillor Sinclair has asked to see plans for roads.
- 19 Village Hall  
No report
- 20 Footpaths  
Councillor Gunnett reported that there would be a meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> October to walk the proposed route.
- 21 Playing Field  
The annual inspection will be carried out by Wicksteed.
- 22 Friends of Holcot  
Nothing to report as they did not meet in August.
- 23 Correspondence  
There will be further discussion on the proposed parish council logo.
- 24 Councillors' comments  
Queen's birthday to be put on next agenda  
Need to sort out numbers of newsletters for each sector.  
Complaint concerning traffic for the car boot sales has been passed to the organisers.
- 24 The date of the next meeting was confirmed as 19<sup>th</sup> October
- The meeting closed at 9.30pm

