

LANEHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on
Monday 13th May 2019 @ 7:20 pm at the Village Hall, Laneham.

PRESENT: Parish Councillors: Cllr P Beckett(Chair), Cllr B Mason, Cllr S Sones.
In attendance: T Callaghan (Clerk) Cllr K Isard, Cllr S Isard.

1. APOLOGIES

Cllr G Woodfield, Cllr G Kirk.

2. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES DATED 9th July 2018

None

3. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

The ongoing project for the extension and modernisation of the Village Hall continues and is gathering pace. It is hoped that substantial progress can be made in the forthcoming year. The plans have already been drawn up and submitted to Bassetlaw District Council, with amendments as suggested at the public meetings.

During the year both Cllr E Collier and Cllr J Cobb resigned from the council. I would like to thank both for their service to the community over the years they spent on the council and wish them all the best for their endeavours in the future.

It is also with great sadness that we lost one of our longest ever serving councillors and well known and respected members of the community, Cllr Fred Clark. His support for community events and activities will be sorely missed.

I hope that the Parish Council can continue to strive to improve life in the villages, and look forward to the challenges in the coming year, with the support of my fellow councillors.

4. PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCIES

There continues to be two vacancies on the council. As these were not filled in the recent election, the council has the opportunity to co-opt to the casual vacancies without further bureaucracy as long as this is completed by 24th June. Anyone who would like to put themselves forward should contact either the Chairman, Geoff Woodfield or the Parish Clerk, Terry Callaghan in time for the council meeting on 10th June.

5. RESIGNATION OF CHAIRMAN AND APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN FOR COMING YEAR

Cllr Woodfield resigned (in absentia) and was unanimously re-elected as Chair, proposed by Cllr Beckett and seconded by Cllr Mason.

6. RESIGNATION OF VICE CHAIRMAN AND APPOINTMENT OF VICE CHAIRMAN FOR COMING YEAR

Cllr Beckett resigned and was unanimously re-elected as Vice Chair, proposed by Cllr Mason and seconded by Cllr Sones.

7. OTHER REPORTS

Village Hall Committee- Cllr Beckett advised the Village Hall Committee were seeking funding in order to continue with the film nights. Bookies and Cookies continue to be successful. A summer fair had been considered, but there were not the resources available to arrange.

8. ANY OTHER RELEVANT BUSINESS

None

Meeting closed 7:30 pm