

PRESTON BROOK PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the meeting held at
Preston Brook Village Hall**

17st March 2015 7:30pm – 9:00pm

Present: Andy Miller (Clerk), David Felix (Chair), Cllrs. Mike Byrne, J. Tickle & J. Hickman, ~~Jean Sampson~~ & Garry Littler, Cllrs. Bradshaw, 4 members of the public & 2 PSO

1) **Apologies:** Stuart Rutter(Illness)

2) **To Consider Declarations of interest**

There were no declarations of interest made.

3) **Approve the minutes of the last meeting**

The minutes of the meeting held on 17th March 2015 were approved as a correct record. These were proposed by Cllr. Mike Byrne and seconded by Cllr. Garry Littler.

4) **Consider matters arising from the minutes**

None

5) **Items for discussion**

5.1 Village Hall Update –

5.1.1 Agreed to keep the Union Flag as the standard pennant for the flagpole in the Parish.

5.1.2 Village Hall AGM 23rd April 2015, Plant sale on the 16/05/2015 & Village Fair 13/06/2015.

5.2 Bridgewater Green –

5.2.1 Waste problems to be monitored (Belfour Beatty McDonald) ^{M 071} ~~by Cllr. Littler~~. Double netting had been installed around their site.

5.3 AMD Tenure continuing.

5.4 Agreed to have a cherry tree (to be used as an all-round Xmas tree) in place of a new Xmas tree on a site to be determined. It was agreed the Parish Council would support the installation of this to a maximum of £1,500.

5.5 Agreed to purchase 1kg bag of mixed wild flower seed in-place of poppies area to be planted to be decided. Suggested areas Hilltop embankment/A56 lane near the bridge.

6) Financial Statement

- 6.1) None
- 6.2) None
- 6.3) Balance
Balance at Natwest £4455.35
Balance at Unity 13,281.03

7) Planning application –

Agreed planning application for 7-10 Fair Oak Court Runcorn.

8) Correspondence

None

9) Any Other Business

9.1 Reports for Cllrs. –

Cllr. Bradshaw to ascertain litter picking schedule for the Parish.

T. Swain
Cllrs ~~Mike Byrne~~ to ascertain bus timetables and the possibility of an extra stop being placed at the top of Chester road Northwich Roundabout.

Also to ascertain when instillation of no left and right hand turns at the top of Windmill Lane and Hill Top.

10) Date and time of next meeting

Tuesday 21st April 2015 at 7:30pm.

Signed by Chair: _____