

# Bolton Le Sands Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2020 at 7pm at the Old Free Grammar School.

**Present:** Cllr Archer, Cllr Bell, Cllr Bolton, Cllr Budden, Cllr Chaplin, Cllr Fothergill, Cllr Kitching, Cllr Leak, Cllr Parkinson and Cllr Wilson.

## **Open forum**

No parishioners were present.

## **1/20 Apologies**

None.

## **2/20 Declarations of interest**

None.

## **3/30 To approve the minutes of the meeting held on the Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020.**

Proposed Cllr Parkinson.

Seconded Cllr Archer.

## **4/20 Lengthsman Report.**

No report received.

The post and rail have been concreted in on the recreation field. The lock for the gate is still to go on. New timbers have been sited at the top of the bowling green.

There has been a delay with the delivery of the wood chip and sand for the playpark.

## **5/20 To consider the update on the tree works at Parsons Moss and The Hollows.**

The work to the trees has been completed and the invoice received.

## **6/20 To consider the update on the Eco bricks project.**

Several sacks of eco bricks were collected and are being stored – the school is not collecting the bricks anymore. Councillors were asked what project can be completed with the eco bricks.

## **7/20 To consider the update on the proposal of Lancaster City Council undertaking the annual grass cutting schedule.**

The parish council discussed what costs would be incurred if a mower was purchased for the lengthsman to cut the grass. Cllr Archer will enquire with a local supplier/ servicer what approximate costs there would be for annual maintenance. A trailer would also need to be considered to transport the mower.

## **8/20 Teen Shelter**

The clerk was asked to forward the information on the teen shelter with a bluetooth facility. The parish council need to also consider where the shelter would be sited.

## **9/20 Finance**

K Budden – Christmas Tree reimbursement	£30.00
Westmorland Tree Care Service	£1836.00

Waterplus	£32.64
Agrovista	£804.00

**10/20 To consider and resolve to escalate the issue with the temporary closure of Footpath 9.**

Footpath 9 is still closed and has been since the work to the Coop roof. The clerk was asked to contact Lancashire County Council regarding the reinstatement of the footpath.

**11/20 Reports and Correspondence (information only)**

Report of sleepers on the shore being slippery – LCC to be contacted – noted.

The bronze sword draft needs checking and approving – noted.

Bowling Club correspondence - noted.

**12/20 Date and time of the next meeting.**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at 7pm.

The meeting closed at 8.55pm