

Kettlewell with Starbotton Parish Council

Meeting held 2016, 7 December 7:30pm in Kettlewell Village Hall

Present: Cllr Harvey (Chairman), Cllr Appleton, Cllr Lister, Cllr Parker, Cllr Spillett (Clerk), and 7 members of the public.

Apologies: District Cllr Graham and County Cllr Marshall

1. **Declaration of interest**

Cllr Appleton declared an interest in any discussion of the low cost housing.

2. **Minutes of the previous meeting**

It was resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on 2 November were a correct record and they were signed.

3. **Report from Craven District Council**

Cllr Graham's report was read to the meeting.

4. **Matters arising from the minutes of the minutes**

- a. There had been no further contact from Home Housing concerning the letting of one of their properties.
- b. MP Julian Smith had written to confirm he has passed on Cllr Harvey's letter on rural fuel duty to the Chancellor.
- c. The wall near the playground was still to be inspected. **Action Cllr Appleton**
- d. Mr R. Lambert has donated a Christmas tree for Kettlewell and would be thanked. **Action Cllr Spillett**
- e. The RoSPA report had been passed to the Playground Committee.
- f. The proposed new dog waste bin in Starbotton would again be followed-up. **Action Cllr Harvey**
- g. Cllr Harvey raised the BT consultation on removing the Starbotton phone box. It was agreed to seek further information and to respond that it was a vital community asset. Support would be encouraged on social media, notice boards and other channels. **Action Cllrs Harvey and Spillett**

5. **Streetlight Update**

Mr Wilkinson reported that there were two lights out in Kettlewell and three in Starbotton. **Action Mr Wilkinson**

6. **Clerks Report**

The report was noted.

Confirmation would be sought as to who was on the Bank mandate, as a past signee had been told that he was still able to sign. **Action Cllr Spillett**

7. **Email and website problems**

It was resolved to spend up to £750 to replace the parish council's website and at the same time, update the domain to '.gov.uk' .

8. **Report on accounts**

- a. It was noted that on 28 October Barclay's Business Saver £8,470 and Barclay's Community Account £3.
- b. It was resolved to set the precept for 2017-18 at £5,000. **Action Cllr Spillett**

9. **Parking Issues in the Parish**

After discussion, it was agreed not to take further action.

10. **Correspondence**

- a. It was resolved not to take forward a bid to BHF/ Dept of Health for further defibrillators for the Parish.
- b. It was agreed no one would attend the NYCC Craven Area Committee.
- c. The NYCC budget conversation and additional bus services were noted.

11. **Planning Matters**

- a. It was noted that C/46/116M and C/46/116N/LB Scargill House (demolition and rebuilding and listed building consent) had been withdrawn.

12. **Matters raised by the public**

- a. Some of the white road markings in Kettlewell were now faded and this would be brought to Highway's attention. **Action Cllr Harvey**
- b. Bins were again being left out on Starbotton village green and residents would be reminded not to do so. **Action Cllr Harvey and Cllr Lister**