

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
ALDRINGHAM-CUM-THORPE
ON HELD ON 5TH SEPTEMBER 2016
THORPENESS SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB PAVILION**

MINUTES

PRESENT:

**MRS M JONES, MR D MAYHEW, MRS P MCLARDY, MR S SQUIRRELL
& MR M STURMEY**

PARISHIONERS FORUM – 10 MINUTE ALLOCATION

None

1. APOLOGIES

Mr E Atkinson

2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

3. MINUTES

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 1st August 2016 were signed as a true record by the Chairman.

4. REPORTS

a) SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL – COUNCILLOR RICHARD SMITH

He commented on the latest with the proposed 40 mph speed limit changes to reduce speeds and improve road safety along a section of the B1122 Aldringham to Aldeburgh. This proposal was requested some while ago following concerns from the local residents that live along this section of the B1122. Formal representations, specifying the grounds on which they are made must reach enquiries@suffolkhighways.co.uk by Monday 26th September 2016. Councillor Smith has held reserve funding to assist this project.

The Consultation period has now ended on Devolution for East Anglia.

Awaiting the results from the public on what they views are on this, and then the Government will make their decision on the deal.

b) SUFFOLK COASTAL DISTRICT COUNCIL – COUNCILLORS T.J. HAWORTH & MAUREEN JONES
Don't be a victim of fraud

Residents are being urged to think carefully before giving out card details either in person or over the telephone to anyone claiming to be a Council Representative. If you think you have been targeted by a scam, or know someone who has, then call Action Fraud on 0300 1323 2040 or report it online.

Last chance to enter Great British High Street Competition

There is just over two weeks left to enter the Great British High Street Competition 2016, including a special award for Best Coastal Community High Street.

Now in its third year, the competition celebrates the great work that is being done to revive, adapt and diversify the nation's high streets and is an opportunity for councils, businesses, community groups and volunteers to learn from the very best.

The deadline for entries is Friday 9th September 2016

Community Groups clean up for east Suffolk

The 'Love East Suffolk' litter pick scheme designed to encourage more community groups to get involved in taking care of their environment by collecting litter has been hailed a success by Suffolk Coastal and Waveney District Councils.

Each community group that took part were rewarded with £20 and were then entered into a draw with the chance of winning £200 for the benefit of their community.

Police Crimes etc.

Although only showing the month of June at present you can view the crime Map at

www.police.uk/suffolk/k34/crime/

Devolution Consultation draws to conclusion

The majority of councils across Norfolk and all in Suffolk, along with the New Local Enterprise Partnership supported the deal and agreed to ask the public their views.

If the Secretary of State does agree to proceed, all local Councils that signed up in June and the LEP would have to give their final approval in late October/early November before plans would proceed.

c) SIZEWELL POWER STATIONS

Mrs Jones reported she will be attending the SSG meeting scheduled for this coming Thursday morning 8th September 2016.

c) NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

The "Drop In Event" held on Tuesday 23rd August 2016 was very successful with around 100 visitors attending. The information received on the day will all now be collated and reported at a later date.

ACTION: Neighbourhood Plan Group
& Parish Council

5. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

A. PARISH ACTIONS

a) Bus Shelter – Aldringham.

No further action to report on the proposed bus stop/shelter.

ACTION: Parish Council/Manager

b) Mrs Jones reported on the highway issues that she had talked about with Mr Bob Chenery from Suffolk County Council when they recently met up in the village.

B) GROUP ACTIONS

a) Heritage Group

Heritage Centre

It was agreed that the Parish Council will take on the sublease for the piece of land on the Car Park, Thorpeness. Suffolk Coastal District Council will draw up an agreement between themselves and the Parish Council.

ACTION: SCDC, Parish Council &
Heritage Group

6. PLANNING

DC/16/3180/FUL Millmead, Aldeburgh Road, Aldringham Single storey extension to existing dwelling, support this application.

DC/16/3161/FUL Mill House, Uplands Road, Thorpeness Erection of new rear single storey glazed verandah (alternative proposal to that approved under 12/2564) and insertion of new roof windows, support this application.

DC/16/3195/FUL The Dolphin Inn, Old Homes Road, Thorpeness Single storey extension incorporating pergola, support this application.

7. FINANCE

BUSINESS SAVER ACCOUNT	£20464.55*
------------------------	------------

*includes interest £2.42

COMMUNITY ACCOUNT	£492.55**
-------------------	-----------

**includes £20.00 (Norse)

TO PAY

Leiston Press Newsletter	£153.00
--------------------------	---------

Clerks Salary £516.00 + £5.00 travel + postage/tel £7.86 =	£528.86
---	---------

BDO Annual Audit	£30.00
------------------	--------

Transfer £2000.00 from BSA to CA

All agreed Mr Squirrell, seconded Mrs Jones.

8. CORRESPONDENCE AND NEW ITEMS

a) Babergh and Mid Suffolk Public Rights of Way Services Confirmation that the Part of footpath No 41 Diversion Order 2016 came into effect on 22nd July 2016.

DISTRIBUTION

Psn/Suffolk Mind posters

COUNCILLORS ROUNDUP

9. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING – MONDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2016

Signed
Chairman

17TH OCTOBER 2016