

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON THE 7th
December 2006

Commenced 7.40pm

Concluded 9.15pm

Present: Cllrs Bottomley, Edwards, Brown, Naylor, Elsmore, Atkinson & Savage. Ward Cllr Mallinson. Press [1], The Clerk.

Cllr Elsmore in the chair.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE- received and accepted from Cllrs Coward, Phillips, Trainor, Walton and Garrett. The Mayor on behalf of the TC offered congratulations to the organisers of the Xmas Extravaganza, The Christmas lights team for the town lights and the clerk on obtaining qualified status.
2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST IN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA – None
3. CRAVEN TASKING GROUP UPDATE –No update available
4. MINUTES – Resolved that the minutes of Silsden Town Council held on Thursday 2nd November 2006 were signed as a true and accurate record.
5. ITEMS FROM Cllrs :-
KS – **Resolved** to invite Cllr Hawkesworth and Alan Mainwaring to a future meeting to discuss conservation planning regulations and enforcement.
ME – **Resolved** That this council now seek quality status ME and clerk to action.
CA – **Resolved** in principal that this council grants permission for a funday for raising of funds for the Silsden gala to take place within the park subject to agreement of conditions
6. CORRESPONDENCE TO NOTE
Noted – LDF for the Craven District
7. ADJOURNMENT – None requested
8. Request from member of public that STC buy kerb stones to be placed around the green Bradley Road to stop cars from driving onto the green and also a request for an access only sign to be place along the access to the Skip Yard. Council unable to agree funding but have Resolved to forward these requests to BMDC.
9. ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.
 1. Resolved to make payments as listed below:
From Current Account

Mrs L Corcoran	612	567.24
Mrs K Wood	613	54.99
Inl Rev	614	95.29
swimstart	615	1000.00
gloucester ta	616	500.00
1st silsden	617	500.00
faxsol	618	152.75
slcc	619	80.00
Mrs L Corcoran	620	32.00

From Youth Council Account

stamps	26	7.68
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 2. Documentation to open a reserve account for the Youth Council was completed.

10. PLANNING:

06/08217 11 Spencer Ave
06/08388 4 Bracken Ghyll Drive
06/08694 15 Spencer Ave
06/07810 Airedale Toyota [requested amendments]

No objections were raised on the above.

S106 monies for Fourfolds was paid over last month and going towards a new surface in children's play area and in partnership with the youth council looking at updating and replacing equipment. Hand rail for steps by Rocks and Ramp has also been requested from this funding.

STC support Ward Councillors on their request for Hub money funding towards Wesley place.

Request the BMDC knock a small hole in the bridge over the beck at the park entrance to allow the surface water to run off.

11. REPORTS – To note WRITTEN reports of the following:

MUGA – verbal update given by Cllr Edwards including the appointment of a Maintenance manager and agreement of opening times. **Road safety** –none received
YLCA – Report noted. **Christmas lights**- Report noted **Silsden Environmental Group**,- update noted. **Keighley Anti Crime Partnership**-None received. **BMDC** – Noted parish liaison meeting on 13th December, CCTV trail will be taking place in the New Year. **Youth Council**-Minutes and agenda's can now be viewed on www.silsden.net.

12. Agenda items for next meeting- None from the meeting.

13. CONFIRMED THE DATE OF THE NEXT MAIN MEETING AS 4th January 2007.

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Chair 4/1/07