

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL**  
**ON**  
**THURSDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2008**

Commenced 7.30pm

Concluded 8.15pm

Present Cllrs Walton, Edwards, Bottomley, Brown, Maddocks, Savage, Trainor and Naylor. PCSO Blood, Press [1]

**Cllr Trainor in the chair**

1. Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs Elsmore, Atkinson and Phillips
2. No declaration of interest was made
3. WEST CRAVEN TASKING Although no meeting PCSO Blood gave the council an overview stating the anti social behaviour was still the main concern and parents were being informed when possible. The police are aware and dealing with complaints about inconsiderate parking causing buses problems on Gloucester Ave.
4. MINUTES – That the minutes of the meeting of Silsdén Town Council held on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2007, were signed as a true and accurate record.
5. ADJOURNMENT – None requested
6. EDWIN BOTTOMLEY SHIELD – The nominee from the Youth council was accepted as the next recipient of the shield.
7. ALLOTMENTS & SILSDEN FLAG – Items to be deferred until ME able to attend. Clerk to find out whether planning permission required, especially in the light that it is considered that an anchoring wire may also be needed.
8. FOREST OF BRADFORD. – funding has been received by this group to plant 100 Oak trees, and they wish to plant some in each parish and town council area. Council suggestions to be forward are: the top of the park where trees have been post due to development, the field at the back of the cemetery on Howden Road, Bradley Green road sides.
9. ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.
  1. Agree payments as below:

Mrs L Corcoran	708	579.41
Ms A Colman	709	56.74
Inland revenue	710	98.35
Small Office	711	2598.43
PC world	712	889.68
CBMDC	713	15000.00
Flying colours	714	98.96
canx	715	0.00
Xmas lights	716	117.50
G Barclay	717	30.00
Hothfield	718	150.00
  2. Request from Hothfield Junior School for donation towards growing club was agreed at £150.00 proposed by Cllr Savage, seconded Cllr Trainor with all in favour.
10. PLANNING.- none

11. REPORTS –

**Christmas lights** – To be taken down on the 12<sup>th</sup> January 2008

**Youth Council** – Launch of the refurbished play area to take place on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2008 all councillors welcome

12. No urgent items brought before council.

13. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING- none at time of the meeting

14. Confirmed the date of the next meeting to be the 7<sup>th</sup> February 2008 at 7.30pm

*Being no further business the chair closed the meeting at 8.15pm*

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*Signed as true  
Chair 7/2/08*