

**Minutes of the Meeting of Brundish Parish Council, held on 13<sup>th</sup> September 2012 in Brundish Parish Rooms.**

<b>Members present</b>	Anthony Bryant (Chair); Mark Hitchings; Celia Drakard; Arnold Crudginton; Helen Gillingham; Gerald Western
<b>Other persons</b>	Sandra Apps, Clerk; PCSO Steve Long; Matthew Hicks (MSDC)
<b>Apologies</b>	Anthony St. Quinton
<b>Declaration of interests</b>	None
<b>Minutes</b>	Minutes of meeting of 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2012 were read, agreed and signed.
<b>Matters arising</b>	None
<b>Finance</b>	Agenda items agreed Insurance – agreed to 3 year agreement with Aviva, via Came & Co £329.60 this year – Clerk to put into place immediately
<b>Planning</b>	None
<b>Street names</b>	AB has taken photos of where street names may go, has now to go and talk to MSDC at some point in the next couple of weeks to further, and try to resolve the anomalies in current usage eg by the post office. MH suggested possibility of a map in a central location eg the village green. Idea accepted but feeling is that we would still need some street names, even if only limited.
<b>Neighbourhood Watch</b>	PCSO Long reported one crime since last meeting – burglary at a farm on The Street, in July, power tools stolen; no-one apprehended. Prolific burglar has been arrested and sentenced – but is not connected with this crime – some crimes in Stradbroke, Hoxne. Scam currently operating – telephone call claiming to be from Suffolk Police asking for donations to a book of remembrance – public advised to be aware. Eye police station relocating to hospital site, the Lodge – phone numbers remain the same. Robbery in Laxfield last week – armed robbery at the co op, stole about £2,000. Enquiries going forward and hoping for arrest.
<b>Village Green</b>	Tim Gillingham now has his own key to village hall gate and is continuing to keep grass cut.
<b>Correspondence</b>	Had been previously circulated; nothing to discuss.
<b>MSDC councillor's report</b>	MSDC & Green group trying to get groups to persuade householders to take up free insulation; will get £15 for each one. MSDC councillors are trying to get out and get to know communities – visiting village organisations, and set up a conference for groups to go along and answer questions about what goes on in the villages. 2 sessions 4 <sup>th</sup> October, 2 – 5 and evening, with refreshments – MH will email details to clerk, will forward to councillors. Brome waste site now shut because it couldn't pay its way, and now re-opened by former employee as private concern; pay for land fill, other stuff free. Recycling of clothes etc now in place; bags have been distributed to households.
<b>Any other business</b>	HG – re buying and carrying of 20 litre cans of petrol. Tim is attempting to get the situation clarified for those residents who have to buy large amounts for ride on mowers etc. AB would like to put on agenda for next time for discussion and to clarify for the public.

<b>Date &amp; time of next meetings</b>	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> November 2012 Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> January 2013 – Budget & precept Both at 7.45 pm in the Village Hall
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Meeting closed at 8.40 pm