

Minutes of the meeting of Stackpole and Castlemartin Community Council held at Castlemartin Community Hall on Monday, September 6th 2021, at 7.30pm.

Update on current issues

1. **Stackpole VC School**- Councillor Alderman is going to raise the matter regarding the plans for Stackpole VC School at the next services meeting.
2. **St. Twynnels Bus Shelter** – Helen McLeod-Baikie is looking into the matter as Rod Thomas is on sick leave.
3. **Pot Hole Cheriton** – Due to the pot hole depth, not exceeding 25mm Pembrokeshire County Council stated it does not warrant a temporary repair. The matter is being passed to the Highway Asset management team for consideration if a permanent repair is required. At the time of the meeting, the pothole remains unrepaired.
4. **Visually Assisted Sign** – Councillor Alderman is draft a report for Steve Thornton to request funding for a VAS sign at the entrance to Stackpole Village. The councillors asked the clerk to write to Steve Thornton to request funding for the VAS sign for Stackpole.
5. **The Pound Castlemartin** – Councillor Alderman will look into obtaining quotations to replace the missing cast iron sign. Since the last meeting, the missing sign has been found in the bushes within the pound. Councillor Alderman will arrange to reinstate the sign in the pound.
6. **St Twynnels Play Area** – Pembrokeshire County Council are unable to cut back at present as the hedges as it is bird-nesting period (Feb - August). Pembrokeshire County Council will send the inspector to investigate the slippery path and programme the appropriate works. At the time of the meeting there is no further update, the councillors asked the clerk to chase the matters up with the relevant Pembrokeshire County Council Officers.
7. **Army Tanks** – Councillor Steve Alderman is going to arrange an appointment to speak to Steve Harries regarding the complaints received about the tanks in Castlemartin.
8. **Street Lights** – The streetlights between Jason's corner and the Stackpole Arms is still not working, Councillor Edwards to report to Pembrokeshire County Council. The street light has now been repaired.
9. **Parking Stackpole Quay/Bosherston**– Councillor Alderman is going to speak to Phil Baker and make enquiries regarding installing yellow lines. At the time of the meeting, Councillor Alderman is in the process of arranging a meeting with Pembrokeshire County Council officers and National Trust Officers to discuss the matter.
10. **Parking Freshwater West/Bosherston** – The overnight parking signs are not working Councillor Alderman is going to request a meeting with Pembrokeshire County Council, The National Trust and the police to discuss the issue of parking in both Freshwater West and Bosherston.

- 11. The Green walk Way** - Councillor Alderman to meet with Arabella Von Friesen to discuss the green walkway. At the time of the meeting, there was no update but Councillor Alderman is arranging a meeting with Arabella to discuss the matter.
- 12. Stackpole Church Hall** - The reverend Josh Maynard attended the meeting and gave an update to the current position of Stackpole Church Hall. The current position is the church are having a report drawn up to detail the specification of works required on the church hall which will be put out to tender.
- 13. Stackpole Cheriton Slow Sign** - The councillors asked the clerk to contact Darren Thomas of Pembrokeshire County Council and request a slow sign for Stackpole Cheriton. At the time of the meeting, there was no further update on the matter. The councillors asked the clerk to chase the matter up with Pembrokeshire County Council.
- 14. Notice Board Stackpole** - Councillor David Edwards requested a new notice board for Stackpole. Councillor Hayden Garlick is going to see if he can source one from the National Trust. At the time of the meeting, there was no further update.
- 15. Pot Hole Stackpole 30mph sign** - Councillor David Edwards reported a large pot hole near the 30 mph sign in Stackpole and is to forward a photograph to the clerk in order to report the matter to Pembrokeshire County Council. This pothole has now been repaired.
- 16. Deer Park View** - The councillors have received numerous complaints in relation to business vehicles being parked in Deer Park View. The matter has now been referred to trading standards at Pembrokeshire County Council.
- 17. Swaying Tree Jason's Corner** - Councillor David Edwards reported a tree swaying near properties 14.15 and 16 Jason's Corner and asked the clerk to report the matter to Pembrokeshire County Council. At the time of the meeting, there was no further update.
- 18. Oil Leak Jason's Corner** - Councillor Alderman has received a complaint in relation to an oil leak in the communal oil tank at Jason's Corner; councillor Alderman will report the matter to Barry Harding of Pembrokeshire County Council. Pembrokeshire County Council are offering options to tenants for non-carbonised alternative.
- 19. Jason's Corner Pot Hole** – A new pothole has developed at Jason's Corner the councillors asked the clerk to report it to Pembrokeshire County Council.
- 20. Penrhyn School Governor's Update** – Councillor Edwards requested a quarterly update from the councillors involved as governor's for Penrhyn School.
- 21. Axton Hill Deep Drain** – The councillors asked the clerk to report the deep drain on Axton Hill near the gate to Pembrokeshire County Council highways department as car wheels could be damaged.
- 22. Thorn Chapel sign** – The councillors asked the clerk to make enquires with Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to having improved signage in relation to excessive traffic looking for the Green Bridge of Wales up Thorne Chapel Road.
- 23. Clerk CILCA Course** – The councillors decided it would be beneficial for the clerk to complete the CILCA qualification and asked the clerk to look into the bursary funding for the course. The clerk has booked onto the next available course.

NEW CORRESPONDENCE

Email received from One Voice Wales in relation to operation London Bridge.

Email received from Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to Waste and Recycling consultation.

Email received from Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to Traffic & Highways Community Works Fund.

Email received from Helen McLeod-Baikie of Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to the bus shelter at St. Twynnells.

Email received from Councillor David Edwards containing photographs of the pothole in Stackpole.

Email received from Neil McCarthy of Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to the trimming hedge by the gate between Meadow Bank and Woodland Rise to path to play park.

Email received from Alun Harries of One Voice Wales in relation to the forthcoming committee meeting.

Email received from Andrew Rees re the Stackpole Luncheon Club.

Email received from Shan Williams re parking in Angle.

Email received from Dan Shaw of Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to Pembrokeshire Community Hub plans.

Email received from Jessica Morgan regarding the Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Sustainable Development Fund:

- A. Install renewable energy generation facilities to a community building i.e., solar panels.
- B. An initiative to promote reduction in carbon emissions in transport i.e., installing an electric charging point for bikes or cars or by supporting access to non- individual travel.
- C. Install a community facility that minimises waste. I.e., a water fountain.
- D. Any other community-based carbon reduction initiative.

Email from Wendi Patience regarding the National Lottery Heritage Fund is launching the Welsh Government funded Local Places for Nature: Breaking Barriers grant programme.

Email received from Darren Thomas of Pembrokeshire County Council regarding parking issues in Angle and Freshwater West.

Email received from Wendi Patience regarding available training spaces for One Voice Wales courses.

Email received from Paul Davies relating to the community cohesion fund.

Email received from Tylee. Perry in relation to community council responses to a consultation on draft local elections rules 2021.

Email from Councillor Alderman in relation to military exercise during September 21.

Email from Pembrokeshire County Council Creditors department detailing payment of August precept.

Email received from Catherine Kay Audit Wales requesting copy of minutes where the annual return was approved.

Email received from Wendi Patience detailing available remote training sessions.

Email received from Kelly Morris of Pembrokeshire County Council detailing plans to erect a new directional sign to Greenbridge of Wales in advance of additional sign in advance of Thorne Chapel Road which is to be placed at the end of the boundary wall to the property known as Treforce.

PLANNING

194889-197678 - Notification of planning decision reference– Garage conversion 2 Woodlands Rise, St. Twynnels, Pembroke, Pembrokeshire, SA71 5HX

NP/21/0432/LBA - Ye Old World Café & Premises, demolition of part of the existing rear kitchen extension, garage and shed. Construction of new kitchen and dining room, replace flat roof to gents' toilets with pitched roof.

NP/21/046/FUL – Thorne Cottage, Merrion, Pembroke, Pembrokeshire, SA71 5EA, erection of 4 bay oak framed garage on existing plinth, extension of domestic curtilage, provision of underground array in agricultural field with associated ground source heat pump 9 partially retrospective).

NP/21/0529/FUL – The Old Gas House, Stackpole, Pembroke, Pembrokeshire, SA71 5DE, proposed Dormer Window extension and repair works to Listed Dwelling.

21/0413/PA – Summerhill, St. Twynnels, Pembroke, SA71 5HX proposal use of barn for events.

AOB

Claire and Mathew Arnold attended the meeting to discuss their planning application to allow the use of their barn at Summerhill, St. Twynnels as an events venue. All councillors present voted to object to the planning.

The councillors asked the clerk to contact Pembrokeshire County Council in relation to the hedge of number 11 Meadow Bank as it is growing over the path preventing children walking safely on the public footpath to go to the play park.

Range firing the noise detector has been out in relation to the complaint received. The tactical invasion force will be firing between 8pm and 2am starting on the 13th September 2021.

The telephone box in Stackpole has been removed.

The councillors asked the clerk to write to Royal Mail and ask if the post box can be relocated and sited where the telephone box used to be.

Next Meeting: The meeting closed at 9.30 pm. The council will next meet at Bosherston Church Hall on the 4th October 2021 at 7.30pm.