

Cllr Osborn reported that cobble setts have been installed on Parish Council land which adjoins the land of Pond Cottage.
Some soil has also been spread on Parish Council land from renovation works at Pond Cottage.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 20.05

The property owner of Pond Cottage informed Council the cobble setts have been laid to stop oil tankers disturbing the soil.
He also confirmed that soil has been put on Parish Council land but he ask the contractors to remove this.

The Chairman re-opened the meeting at 20.12

It was resolved that Cllrs Osborn, Stewart, Hunt and Smith would visit Pond Cottage and make recommendations to Council.

Action – Cllrs Osborn, Stewart, Hunt and Smith

7) Draft Grants and Donations Procedure

Council thanked Cllr Dunning for preparing the document. Council thought it was a very useful guide.

Council already carry out the process of debating questions for each donation request. Each applicant is asked to complete a donation request form and is asked to submit a set of accounts.

Council therefore resolved not to complete a formal proforma for each donation request.

8) Lane End Playing Fields

On 22nd May Cllrs Coulter, Detsiny, Stewart, Osborn, Smith and the Clerk will meet with LEAG. A discussion will take place regarding the lease/license and a process for the future. A report will be given to Council at a future meeting.

Action – Meeting scheduled

9) Clerk’s report

Council noted the report. The Clerk informed Council that:

The Brownie unit in Frieth will be displaying signs around the village about a family fun day scheduled for 27th June.

The Village Hall Committee pointed out that the public section of the noticeboard on Finings Road was messy with all sorts of notices being put in and not taken out. Council resolved to put a lock on the noticeboard. Any notices would be put up by the Clerk.
Cllr Hunt will put the lock on and advise the Clerk of cost.

Action – Cllr Hunt/Clerk

10) Invitations to Meetings, Correspondence & Reports received

The Tree at Cadmore End has applied to TFB for a tourist sign to be installed giving directions to the pub. The Parish Council were asked to comment on this and thought it would set an unhealthy precedence with other public houses probably wanting to do the same.

Action- Clerk

11) Matters raised by Councillors

Cllr Harries raised the issue of speeding vehicles on The Row. The Clerk will contact BCC to obtain a quote to install a speed tube on The Row and also in another location.

Cllr Hunt commented on the road surface outside the entrance to the Shanley Homes development on Finings Road. The road was dug up and a cable or service pipe was laid. The subsequent filling of trench and re-tarmacking was of poor quality and it sank within a few days. Clerk will contact BCC.

Action – Clerk

Cllr Coulter raised the issue of footpath 25. Council has received no further communication from WDC. Clerk to email the case officer.

Action – Clerk

Cllr Detsiny reported that WDC are working on the draft lease/transfer for the Finings Road car park.

Action - Clerk

12) Planning: To consider new applications and receive Wycombe District Council Decisions and Appeals

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Action - Clerk

New Applications

15/06033/CTREE	Lane End Village Hall Finings Road Lane End	Crown raise T1 Sycamore to 5-6 metres by removal or reduction of lower and drooping branches back to a suitable junction or growth point; crown raise T2 Sycamore to 3-4 metres by removal or reduction of lower and drooping branches back to a suitable junction or growth point; crown raise T3 Lime to 5-6 metres by removal or reduction of lower and drooping branches back to a suitable junction or growth point. No Objection.
15/06121/FUL	Victoria Cottage Frieth Road Frieth	Householder application for construction of single storey rear extension. No Objection.
15/06146/FUL	54 The Row Lane End	Householder application for construction of part single, part two storey rear extension and loft conversion incorporating x 4 new rooflights. No Objection.

Closed Session: In accordance with LGA 1972, ss 100 and Public Bodies (Admission to meetings) Act 1960

13) Clarion

14) Orchard Allotments

NEXT MEETING: To confirm the next Parish Council Meeting will be held on Monday 1st June in the Sycamore Room.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting 20.55.

Signed..... (Chair)

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