

Pattingham & Patshull Parish Council
meeting held at Pattingham Village Hall
Wednesday 7th May 2008

Minutes

Present

Cllr K Whalley
Cllr S Ponder
Cllr A Baugh
Cllr J Burton
Cllr D Morgans
Cllr J Tomlinson
Cllr C Roberts

Also present, Mrs B Hodgetts (clerk)

Public Forum

- No members of the public present

43/08 Apologies

Cllr J Morgans, Cllr S Brinkman, Cllr S Evans, Cllr D Baldwin

44/08 Police

Pattingham Reported Crime Figures 9/04/2007 – 7/05/2007.

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0.....	Criminal Damage	
0.....	Assault	
1.....	Theft of M/V	(Note 1)
0.....	Theft from M/V	
1.....	Burglary Dwelling	(Note 1)
1.....	Attempt Burglary Other	(Note 3)
1.....	Nuisance Rowdy Behaviour = ASB	(Note 2)
0.....	Theft Other	
1.....	Road Traffic Collisions	(Note 3)
0.....	Suspicious Incidents	

Note 1

The burglary dwelling and the theft of motor vehicle are linked. The offenders burgled the house stealing the car keys, and subsequently the car.

Note 2

The Nuisance Rowdy Behaviour figures are excellent for this period. Only one report and that was more of a neighbour dispute. Whether the figures are good because parishioners are just not calling the incidents in is another matter.

Note 3

The attempted burglary other was where offenders attempted to gain access to a shed.

Note 3

Again one nasty Road Traffic Collision, this time along the Wolverhampton Rd

Any questions or info contact the Neighbourhood Police Team on voicemail box no. 08453 302010, PC Duncan Lampitt x04259, PC Hossack x03537 or PCSO'S Rachael Street x 08862 , Teresa Wilkes x8861

- 45/08 Election of Chairman
Resolved K Whalley to become Chairman
- 46/08 Election of Vice Chairman
Resolved S Ponder to become Vice Chairman
- 47/08 Signing of minutes
Minutes of meeting held on 12th March and 9th April 2008 were signed a true and correct record.
- 48/08 Declarations of Interest
A Baugh declared an interest in item 64/08 – cheque no. 701397
- 49/08 Committees for 2008

3	Pattingham Village Hall	D Baldwin, S Evans, S Brinkman
3	Pattingham Playing Fields	S Brinkman, C Roberts, J Tomlinson
4	Old Peoples Welfare	J Burton, D Baldwin, J Tomlinson, J Morgans
1	School Governor	B Hodgetts
2	Education Foundation Trust	A Baugh, D Morgans
2	Local Transport	J Burton
1	Sports Council/Inter Parish Games	D Morgans, J Morgans
2	Burnhill Green Residents Committee	A Baugh, S Ponder

- 50/08 Clerks Report
Report distributed previously as attached.
- 51/08 Chairmans Correspondence
Young Champions questionnaire
Resolved Cllr Roberts to complete with clerk
- 52/08 Newsletter
Next issue to go to print at the end of May.
- 53/08 Christmas lighting
Resolved Clerk to contact Goodwin & Sons to ensure installation and switch on dates will be covered by them.
- 54/08 Highways
Minor road works at cross roads of High Street/Westbeech Road/Wolverhampton Road have been delayed. Should be completed soon.
- 55/08 Footpaths
There is some difficulty in getting accurate information on the progress of the footpaths.
Resolved: Clerk to continue obtaining updates
- 56/08 Burnhill Green
Assurances have been given that the 'Pattingham' sign will be removed within 6 weeks.

The Crown Estates will be putting some temporary fencing around the development site. The hedges had to be removed early to ensure that there were no nesting birds. A meeting is being held on 12th June 2008.

57/08 CCTV

Resolved to accept the quotation from Richards.

Resolved Clerk to apply for Local Member Initiative grant

58/08 Freedom of Information Act

Resolved to adopt the model scheme until 2012.

59/08 Insurance

Resolved to renew insurance with the cheapest option following further contact with companies.

60/08 Website

The annual cost will be approximately £50.

Resolved Clerk to set up a new site

61/08 Annual Subscriptions

Sanctioned renewal of Local Council Review £13.50

62/08 Campaign to Protect Rural England

Volunteers/committee members are requested

Resolved to forward copy of letter to Historical society

63/08 Planning

	Applications for comments
08/00372/REN	Pattingham Village Hall, High Street, Pattingham Renewal of permission 03/01291/FUL extension to village hall for storeroom

	Applications under appeal
08/00826/FUL	57 High Street, Pattingham Change of use to a two bedroom residential unit - Dismissed
07/00647/FUL	The Coppice, Pattingham Road, Nurton Bank Extension to a bedroom/bay window - Allowed
07/01037/FUL	The Coppice, Pattingham Road, Nurton Bank Bay window and recess in living room - Dismissed

	Planning application approval
08/00182/FUL	West Wing, Patshull Hall, Patshull Park, Patshull Free Standing Garage
08/00084/FUL	10 Yew Tree Road, Pattingham Single storey side and rear extension

64/08

Finance

(a) To sanction cheque payments as listed below:

Chq No.	Payee	Amount
701389	Pattingham Playing Fields precept	835.00
701390	R Hodgetts	265.44
701391	Pattingham Playing Fields Fabric fund	1500.00
701392	A Horton	60.00
701393	South Staffs Council - Easter Sussed	180.00
701395	Inland Revenue	45.65
701396	Inland Revenue	2.24
701397	If Sol	525.00
701398	Pattingham Playing Fields Committee (football)	200.00
701399	E.on – electricity for xmas lights	41.91
701400	Staffordshire County Council	2986.11
701401	Pattingham Village Hall (mtgs + Easter sussed)	70.08
701402	R Hodgetts	721.94
701403	A Horton	72.00
701405	Local Council Review	13.50
701406	Inland Revenue	102.00
701407	R Taylor	6.00
	total	7626.87

(b) **Resolved** to accept end of year accounts as previously distributedIncome

£3112.61 - V.A.T. reclaimed for 2007/08

65/08

Councillor ReportsCounty Council

- Cllr Marshall has been on a 'Community Speed Watch' course that teaches volunteers to use the laser speed gun. It can be used at police approved sites. It is being piloted in Codsall and Bilbrook. Cllr Marshall to find out when the next training day is being held.
- LMI forms to be completed if any funding is required.
- The county council are giving advice and hopefully some funding towards the Pattingham Youth Club due to be started in the Autumn.
- The Pattingham 516/517 bus service is currently out to tender there should be some results by the end of June.
- Members of St. Chad's School Council are going to quiz Cllr Marshall on 4th June, good luck, hope they aren't too hard on him!!

District Council

Matters of interest reported by Cllr J Burton

- West beech Road is classed as the worst road for fly tipping
- Alan Hinton is the new Chairman of District Council
- The dog warden has visited the area 3 times and is concerned with the amount of dog mess.
- All new houses being built must be 'green' increasing the cost of each property by £1,500 - £6,000
- South Staffordshire is now collecting recycling from all properties in the district.

66/08 Any Other Business

- A pot hole has re-appeared at the bottom of Marlbook Lane/High Street. Clerk to report
- Stop valve cover is missing in Letchmere Lane. Clerk to report

67/08 Date of next meeting
25th June 2008 Pattingham Village Hall

Meeting Closed 9.40pm

Signed Dated