

# Drayton Parslow Parish Meeting

Minutes of the Meeting of Drayton Parslow Parish Meeting held in Greenacre Hall,  
Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2012 at 7.45pm

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**Attendees:** Cllr Perry (Chair), Cllr Lester, Cllr Blair, Cllr Thum, Cllr Wood, Cllr Moore, Cllr Harvey, District Cllr Blake, Sue Mordue (Clerk), Michelle Jackson (Minute secretary) and 4 members of the public attended

1. **Receive Apologies:** to accept apologies for absence - Cllr Lester would be late.
2. **To confirm the minutes** of the last meeting - The minutes of the last meeting held on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2011 were confirmed as a true record
3. **To receive a report from the Chair of the Parish Council**

Review of Significant Events – 2011/12

The MUGA was full of people now that the weather was improving and was being well used without the need for control and booking.

There had been a theft from Denne Engineering and bollards would be installed to prevent access.

DPPC had looked at reducing grass cutting costs over the year.

Dog mess and speeding in the village continued to be issues. Funds had been donated by BCC Cllr Brenda Jennings for the loan of a temporary speed monitoring device and a new GPRS speed camera would be investigated. There had been at least one case of enforcement by the police. Signs had been put up regarding dog fouling and a new dog bin had been installed at Kingston Farm and it was believed that the problem was improving.

CCTV had been installed in the hall and the technical issues were being dealt with. Wifi access had been given to the pre-school and BT OpenZone access available.

The lease on the lower field had been renewed for a further 10 years.

Thanks were given to the VPA for the container which would make more space for pre-school storage in the hall.

A grant had been received from the AVDC Community Chest for the speed bumps up to the hall.

A survey had been undertaken seeking parishioners opinions on the amount of development wanted in village.

A public meeting had been held with a good turnout from the village regarding the wind farm application. DPPC had objected to the application on behalf of a majority vote of the village. The application had been put on hold pending a bat survey and would be reviewed in October.

Wendy Preston had resigned as Cllr after many years as both Chair and Cllr and thanks were expressed for her time and devotion.

4. **To receive reports from other Village Organisations-** none
5. **To agree the date of** the next meeting – May 2013

The meeting closed at 8.10pm. Signed..... Date.....