

DALBURY LEES PARISH COUNCIL (DLPC)

Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Dalbury Lees Parish Council held on
Monday 9th January 2023 in the Village Hall.

Attendance: Cllr S Trowbridge (Chair); Cllr S Morris; Cllr C Timmins; Cllr J Archer,
C Crossley (Parish Council Clerk); Cllr J Patten (SDDC & DCC) & one member of the public.

001/23 Apologies – Cllr D Muller (SDDC), Cllr L Brown (SDDC), Cllr K Smith

002/23 Declaration of Councillors Interests – None.

003/23 Public Speaking.

Thanks made by Cllr Trowbridge for those litter picking in the village recently.

Report from Cllr J Pattern (SDDC)

Emerging Local Plan

The recent Emerging Local Plan drop-in event kindly run by the Parish Council and supported by SDDC was very well attended. Despite the efforts of Julie, Gillian and Peter seeking further rural events the Chairman of Environmental and Development Services refused to agree to these requests. However, the three of us will continue to lobby for more rural events (and especially one in Hilton) at the next stage of this process which should be spring/summer 2023.

New Strategic Director

We are pleased to announce the appointment of Heidi McDougall to the position of Strategic Director for Service Delivery. Heidi has already joined the SDDC Management Team from Lancashire. Heidi has taken on the role vacated by Allison Thomas when she left the Council to become the new Chief Executive of North West Leicestershire.

Learn something new in 2023!

Residents are invited to sign up to learn something new with our Adult Community Education Service.

Bookings for the new year term are open now and residents can view the courses online or pick up a brochure from their local adult community education centre or library. Residents can book on to a qualifications and skills course by calling, emailing or visiting the centre where their chosen course is being held.

Free support for vaccinations and screening appointments

We want to make sure that health care appointments are as easy to access as possible for Derbyshire residents, that's why we are running a new scheme offering free transport to a variety of routine health appointments.

The Grab a Cab project is running until 31st March 2023.

The offer is open to all ages and is not means tested, so you do not need to be receiving benefits to be eligible. The support will cover a prepaid taxi journey to and from your health appointment.

The free transport offer will cover the following pre-arranged health appointments:

COVID 19, Flu, Shingles and other NHS provided vaccinations, Abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA) screening, Cervical cancer screening, Bowel cancer screening, Diabetic eye screening.

You must be a Derbyshire County Council resident to be eligible. Please contact one of the team on 01629 536173 if you would like to arrange free transport. Phone lines are open Monday to Friday between 9am and 5pm or you can go on the DCC website.

004/23 Items under exclusion of the public. – None.

005/23 Approval of the minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of DLPC held on Monday 14th Nov 2022.

The date to be amended in the agenda

Seven areas with the German pole trust, description of the process to be re-written. Village maps to note unanimous approval of the purchase

Dog waste bins – Chair confirmed that he spoke to the cow and confirmed residents were informed there was a waste bin available.

006/23 Chairman's Comments.

New defibrillator signs were ordered and installed on the green.

Comments of thanks were noted from a member of public. Thank you for Cllr Archer for sorting the compost bins.

Invoice to be sent for fuel used during the job.

007/23 German Pole Trust

A list of houses to be sent to George Giles and Denise of those eligible within the village. Further details required to put on the website.

008/23 Community speed watch

Delays due to the police availability

009/23 Village green finger sign replacement

Footpath details to be sent to Clerk to report on the SDDC portal (location of footpath by telephone box on village green, next to notice board by the cow).

010/23 Defibrillator

Cllr Trowbridge has been contacted about the location of the defibrillators. It was agreed to continue to upload the details.

011/23 Allotments

Allotment rates to remain at £17 per year proposed by Cllr Timmins and seconded by Cllr Morris, all agreed.

The grazing field to remain the same with the same agreement.

Cllr Archer and Cllr Trowbridge have checked the fence and 30-40% posts are rotten. Cllr Archer to obtain 3 quotes to replace the fence between allotment and the grazing field. Clerk to Email DCC Pattern for green space fundings.

012/23 Speeding in Lees

Clerk has received email from Chris Smith to apply for funding.

013/23 Pavement incursion

On going situation to monitor.

014/23 Footpath surface vegetation.

Clerk has emailed SDDC and asked when the routine spraying of the gutters will be carried out.

015/23 Local area planning

No new information.

016/23 Parish Email list

Email list confirmed and stored on Clerk laptop.

017/23 Village Maps

Cllr Trowbridge to contact and purchase.

018/23 Planning

Cllr Trowbridge has been approached by a local resident regarding the stoneycroft site. The specification of the hedge planted is not in line with what is stipulated in the report. It was also raised that the second plot purchased has not had planning permission for change from agriculture land to residential. Clerk to report to the planning department. All agreed with comments raised.

019/23 Coronation Tree

Discussion held regarding planting a Coronation tree.

Cllrs to research what type of tree to plant, and discussed in the next meeting.

020/23 Precept

All agreed the precept to remain the same at £1600.00.

021/23 Yearly planning

Cllr Timmins to do an early mow on the green. It was agreed that Cllr Trowbridge and Cllr Archer to visit the green before the next meeting and decide if weed killer is required.

Clerk confirmed that ICO is Information Commissioner Office, annual payments are due in March of £40.00.

022/23 Banking

Mandate has been amended successfully to include the Clerk and Cllr Trowbridge, but still awaiting online banking access.

023/23 Accounts to pay

In abeyance due to access.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE FOR MEETING 09.01.23

Parish Clerk	Salary Nov/Dec	241.78
HMRC	PAYE	60.60
Reflex	Printing of Maps (awaiting Inv)	147.94
Dalbury Lees Millenium Hall	PC Meeting hall booking (invoice 3)	24.00
TOTAL		474.32

024/23 Date of next meeting – Monday 13th March 2023

Please note; Cllr Trowbridge will not available for March 13th

Meeting finished at 8.39pm