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Nawton Parish Council

Annual Parish Meeting

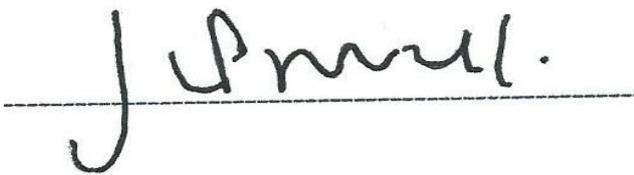
19:30 Monday 18 May 2015 at the Pavilion, Beckett Recreation Ground

Agenda

1. Minutes of the last meeting

2. Chairman's report
 - road safety
 - affordable housing
 - planning and conservation
 - miscellaneous other issues

3. Items raised by electors

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Jo Powell
Chairman
1 April 2015

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Chairman's statement

1. Affordable housing

1.1 The Sidings

Ambleside Homes was delighted to report completion of The Sidings development ahead of schedule in 2014. All but one of the homes is now occupied and work to gardens appears to be almost complete.

1.2 Future affordable housing

The second phase of development, by Yorkshire Housing, on the site at Ashton Green is now complete. 2 x 2 bedroomed houses, 2 x 1 bedroomed flats, 1 x 4 bedroomed house and 2 x 2 bedroomed bungalows have been added to the existing 10 homes.

Given that planning was originally granted for a total of 28 homes on the entire exception site, in accordance with Policy SP3 (Affordable Housing) of Ryedale's Local Plan Strategy in relation to such rural sites, the Council will continue to work closely with Yorkshire Housing and Ryedale District Council to ensure that:

- any further development of Ashton Green will only take place after local need for such development has been proven
- occupancy criteria ensure priority for local people
- properties developed as "affordable housing" remain so in perpetuity.

The Council has worked closely with Sanctuary Housing to fill empty properties as they have become vacant. Again, as in 2013/14, tenants fitting the occupancy criteria have been difficult to find.

Any person interested in securing affordable housing in the village can access all the necessary information on Ryedale District Council's website. Alternatively, they can contact the Housing Options Team on 01653 600666.

For further information about existing or further proposed development or for assistance with any other local housing need, please contact the Clerk.

2 Planning and conservation

2.1 Local Plan Strategy

The Council will strive to ensure that there must not be any further approval of development in Nawton for the whole of the 15 years planning period with the exception of:

- homes, whether affordable or otherwise, that would be restricted in perpetuity to occupancy by households with a proven local need that meets the definition agreed between the Council and Ryedale District Council
- individual conversions
- small scale in-fill

and that any development fulfilling these criteria be in keeping with the rest of the village.

2.1.1 Proposed new development

The Council has recently been contacted by Shepherd Homes seeking to begin community consultation discussions in respect of the potential development of 27 homes on land off Beckett Close. The proposed development will include a mix of 2,3 and 4 bedroomed homes all of 2 storeys in height. 9 of these homes will be designated affordable housing.

It had been the Council's understanding that the village had, in the last few years, taken its quota of housing. An unprecedented show of parishioners at the Council's April meeting presented an early indication of the strength of opposition to the proposed new development.

The Council will carefully monitor the planning application process for the proposed development and will respond, when required to do so, in accordance with the criteria set out in this newsletter.

2.2 Neighbourhood Plan

The Localism Act 2011 encourages neighbourhood plans as a way of allowing communities to have a greater say in the development of their local environment within the local planning strategy. A formally adopted neighbourhood plan has more influence in the planning process than the non-statutory parish plan. Parish councils will not have the power to stop development, but will be allowed, for example, to influence what development should look like and where it should be located, to restrict certain types of development, to protect and create open spaces, to promote renewable energy projects and to plan infrastructure and facilities.

The Council believes that a neighbourhood plan for Nawton would have real benefits for the village. However, considerable time, effort and resources would be required from the wider community in order to effect such a plan.

If you have the time and/or expertise to manage a project like this, please contact the Clerk.

3 Road safety improvements

3.1 Temporary vehicle activated speed signs

Nawton has shared a pair of vehicle activated 30mph signs (VASs) with Hovingham for the last four years. The Council continues to believe that a significant benefit to the village (in road safety terms) is afforded each time the VASs are in place and will support their continued return.

3.2 Potholes

North Yorkshire County Council responded promptly to the Council's requests and has carried out repairs to a number of potholes in the village.

3.3 Future road safety improvements

For some years now, the Council has been aware of the potential threat to the safety of all pedestrians using Gale Lane. Of particular concern is the stretch of footpath leading to Ryedale School.

Discussion has taken place during the course of the year with the Head Teacher of Ryedale School in relation to the feasibility of creating a new entrance to the school via an existing track on the Western boundary of Beadlam village. The School has had several meetings with interested parties and has sought funding through various avenues. It has now been confirmed that the School will not be eligible for funds from North Yorkshire County Council's capital funding programme for schools. The School proposes to continue to explore alternative options for funding this proposal whilst working closely with the Council in an effort significantly to improve safety for all.

The Council will continue to mark Gale Lane (together with School Lane) as priorities in its winter snow clearing and gritting programme.

4 Other activities

4.1 Caretaker

The Council was not able to submit a claim for the funding of a caretaker under the guidelines of the second LEADER grant programme of funding. Having successfully co-funded a caretaker for Nawton for a period of three years, the Council will continue, for as long as it is able, to fund a scaled down Caretaker service in order to maintain current village standards.

4.2 Grass Cutting

The Council loses its grass cutting subsidy with effect from April 2015. The Council will endeavour to account for this loss without having to increase existing contributions to the precept. Since Ian Wood has decided to move on, Phil Gospel has been awarded the contract for grass cutting and ad hoc Caretaker services in the village for 2015/16.

4.3 Nawton Quarry Clearance and Tree Planting

The saplings continue to grow well in the cleared site at the quarry. Some additional planting will take place during the year, to be funded from the grant set aside for this purpose.

4.4 Bulb Planting

The newly planted crocus bulbs together with the additional daffodils once again produced a fine spring display along the boundaries of the A170.

The Council proposes to continue enhancing the existing displays in the village by funding the planting of additional bulbs in the Autumn.

Please contact the Clerk with any suggestions you may have for other sites in the village which could be planted with bulbs.

4.5 Bus Shelter

The Sycamore has now been removed and repairs to the bus shelter have begun. A new flagged floor has been laid and oak benches will be restored in due course. A new roof piece will be crafted by a local builder to seal the central hole.

Lady Clarissa Collin has generously agreed to fund a new Field Maple, which will be planted on the grassy area adjacent to the bus shelter. All efforts will be made in the

meantime to provide optimum conditions on the site for the new tree to thrive in the years to come.

Any one interested in helping to maintain the young tree in the first few years should contact the Clerk.

4.6 Highfield Lane

The Council's attention was again drawn to Highfield Lane when concerns were raised by parishioners in relation to:

- the destruction of grass verges
- flooding
- significant increase in traffic use
- noise pollution

The Council wrote, at length, to Ryedale District Council to voice its concerns but was informed that there is currently no funding available to provide remedial action. The Council will continue to raise the matter regularly with Highways in an attempt to try to improve conditions for residents.

4.7 Neighbourhood Watch

The Council continues to be updated weekly, by Terry Wallis (area NHW coordinator for Kirkbymoorside and the surrounding villages), with all current alerts in relation to village safety.

Anyone interested in receiving these alerts or in volunteering to act as a local NHW coordinator should contact the Clerk.

4.8 Street Lighting

North Yorkshire County Council no longer operates an ad hoc repair service for street lighting. As a result, in 2013, the Council subscribed to North Yorkshire County Council's formal Maintenance Plan. All streetlights owned by the Council are now routinely inspected, cleaned and have replacement bulbs fitted on a 2 yearly basis. Repairs carried out in the interim period are charged individually at a rate set out in the Maintenance Plan.

The Council has been advised that, by opting to switch off village streetlights between the hours of midnight and 5am, it could reduce electricity usage by up to one third. The Council has elected to follow this advice and all but the 7 streetlights along the

A170 will be switched off during these hours. During the next maintenance service the photocells in each light will be replaced in readiness for the switch off.

Posters have been placed around the village during the year to explain the proposals in more detail.

4.9 Footpaths

The Council has applied for a definitive footpath modification order in respect of:

- the path from Pinfold Hill to the Memorial Hall
- the path from School Lane to Beckett Recreation Ground.

At the last enquiry, the Council was informed that the Recreation Ground ranked 41 of 95 and Pinfold Hill, 40 of 95.

In the past national parks have looked after their own definitive maps and footpath modification applications. The parks have now handed this responsibility back to the County Council. Consequently the added burden has pushed Nawton's applications further down the list as other new applications have scored more highly.

4.10 Community Garden

The development of the Community Garden on the site at Ryedale School was taken over by the Head Teacher of the school in 2014. Thanks to the input of the Clerk and a small team of volunteers, a substantial lottery grant was successfully obtained towards the cost of building the garden and the school matched the funding. The structure of the garden is now in place and being used by pupils at the school to enhance their learning.

Anyone interested in volunteering at the Community Garden should contact Ryedale School on **01439 771665** for details of how they can become involved.

4.11 Open Space Funding

In accordance with the terms of the Section 106 Agreement to which Ambleside Homes (the developer of The Sidings) was subject, an Open Space Payment was required to be made to Ryedale District Council. Applications were invited, by the Council, from all relevant local organisations in need of funds for recreational/leisure purposes.

Both the Sports and Recreation Committee and the Millennium Garden Committee have made successful applications for a share of these funds. Chris Rymer reported to the Council that vital outdoor machinery and sports equipment has already been repaired or replaced; improvements made to the Pavilion kitchen and a redecoration

of the entire Pavilion is in progress. In addition, new play equipment (to include a sizeable basket swing) has been ordered for the play area together with two large picnic tables and extra seating. The committee is also considering other pieces of equipment for the future and has set aside some funds for possible drainage works.

The Millennium Garden Committee proposes to erect a series of information boards throughout the Garden to afford visitors a better understanding of the garden and all that it contains.

The funding is provided over a five year period. Both Committees are run by volunteers and welcome input from parishioners. Details of how to contact each, with any ideas you may have, appear at the back of this newsletter.

4.12 Dog Fouling

The Council continues to notice a significant improvement to the state of the pavements in the village following the installation of a bag dispenser on the dog waste bin on the main road. The Council replenishes bags regularly and villagers are encouraged to use them responsibly.

Nevertheless, the Council would still be grateful if you could report any incident of dog fouling that you witness to the Dog Warden at Ryedale District Council, giving the time, date, place and description of the dog and its owner, and if possible the name and address of the dog owner. All information given by complainants will be treated in the strictest confidence.

4.13 Collective Switch Scheme

A notice has been displayed on the Council notice board advertising a Collective Switch Scheme whereby parishioners may be able to access more competitive deals for the supply of energy by joining a collective.

Full details are contained in the notice but for any further queries please contact the Clerk.

4.14 Oil Cooperative

Yorkshire Energy Partnership has teamed up with Scarborough and Ryedale District Council to form oil clubs which will bulk buy fuel in order to keep prices down and help to reduce fuel bills.

Any one interested in joining an oil club can call 01904 545 020 or email oilryedaleandscarborough@energypartnership.org.uk.

4.15 Snow Clearance

Another mild winter has enabled the Council to retain more than adequate stores of grit and equipment for Winter 2015/16.

As in previous years, the Council is indebted to the small group of volunteers who continue to ensure that paths are kept clear and that those most in need can get in and out of their homes safely. If you would like to join the list of volunteers, please contact the Clerk.

4.16 Parish Council App

The Council has been approached by Boud Digital, a company creating mobile device apps for Parish Councils to enable them more effectively to share information and engage with the communities they serve. The Council will seek guidance from Ryedale District Council before fully considering the potential benefits to the village of such an application.

The Council would also welcome contact from anyone interested, as a possible alternative, in building a web site for all Parish Council content. Please contact the Clerk should you have the necessary skills and enthusiasm.

4.17 Internet Connection

The Council is encouraged that a majority of the village is now able to access high speed fibre optic broadband.

Further information can be found at superfastnorthyorkshire.com.

4.18 War Memorial

The Council was approached during the year in relation to the potential restoration of the war memorial. The Clerk contacted Beadlam Parish Council, which has agreed to take responsibility for the process.

4.19 Parish Notice Board

The left hand side of the notice board remains unlocked, so that parishioners can display appropriate posters/notices. Please respect other users and only remove items when the event has expired.

A copy of the signed minutes of the previous Council meeting is displayed each month on this part of the board.

It has been suggested that the village notice board is not very well placed within the village. The Council will consider relocating the board to a more accessible position later in the year. Anyone who has any suggestions is encouraged to contact the Clerk.

5 Planning applications

The following applications for planning permission within the parish of Nawton have been made to Ryedale District Council during the period 1 April 2014 to 31 March 2015. The status of the application is that as at 31 March 2014.

- Erection of a three bedroom dwelling

Land North East Of Kirkdale House Highfield Lane Nawton Helmsley

Ref. No: 14/01316/FUL Received: Mon 01 Dec 2014 | Validated: Mon 19 Jan 2015

Status: Refusal

- Erection of a three bedroom dwelling

Land to the rear of No 1 Chapel Street Nawton

Ref. No: 13/01143/FUL

Status: Refusal -Appeal Dismissed

- Variation of Condition 04 by replacement of drawing Reference 0610103 Amendment B by drawing no. PL/156/03, Variation of Condition 12 by replacement of drawing 0610103 Amendment B by drawing nos PL/156/03 and PL/156/01 and Variation of Condition 13 to list the following approved plan(s): drawing nos. 0610102 Amendment A, PL/156/01, PL/156/02 and PL/156/03 amendment to Ashtree House south elevation.

Outbuildings At Ashtree House High Street Nawton Helmsley YO62 7TT

Ref. No: 14/01292/73A | Received: Mon 24 Nov 2014 | Validated: Tue 09 Dec

Status: Approval

- Change of use of agricultural building to a four bedroom dwelling house (use Class C3) with associated operational development

Building At The Barn Holly Park Guncroft Lane Nawton Helmsley

Ref. No: 14/01204/GPAGB | Received: Tue 04 Nov 2014 | Validated: Mon 10 Nov

2014 | Status: Approval

- Erection of pre-fabricated building for use as camp kitchen to serve camp cafe (retrospective application).

Canadian Fields Gale Lane Nawton York YO62 7SD

Ref. No: 14/00949/FUL | Received: Fri 29 Aug 2014 | Validated: Fri 12 Sep 2014 |

Status: Pending Decision

- Change of use of reception, toilet, office and laundry store building to reception, toilet, office, laundry store and first floor wardens accommodation for use solely in connection with the operation of Canadian Fields campsite (retrospective application).

Canadian Fields Gale Lane Nawton York YO62 7SD

Ref. No: 14/00779/FUL | Received: Tue 15 Jul 2014 | Validated: Thu 17 Jul 2014 |

Status: Approval

- Demolition of existing four bedroom dwelling, garaging storage, tack room, American barn and Dutch barn and erection of replacement six bedroom (Inc. guest bedroom) dwelling with attached pool house, triple garage/workshop/store and detached block of 9no. stables with feed store and office and detached relocated tack room (revised details to refusal 13/01404/FUL dated 10.02.2014)

Longwood Highfield Lane Nawton Helmsley YO62 7TU

Ref. No: 14/00744/FUL | Received: Fri 04 Jul 2014 | Validated: Wed 30 Jul 2014 |

Status: Approval

- Erection of part two storey/part single storey rear extension and carport to the side together with formation of vehicular access.

12 Station Road Nawton Helmsley YO62 7RG

Ref. No: 14/00668/HOUSE | Received: Thu 12 Jun 2014 | Validated: Thu 12 Jun

2014 | Status: Approval

- Erection of detached garage and alterations to existing vehicular access

Southfields Main Road Nawton York YO62 7ST

Ref. No: 14/00636/HOUSE | Received: Tue 03 Jun 2014 | Validated: Thu 12 Jun

2014 | Status: Approval

- Change of use and alteration of detached out building to form a one bedroom holiday let

Southfields Main Road Nawton York YO62 7ST

Ref. No: 14/00533/FUL | Received: Mon 12 May 2014 | Validated: Tue 01 Jul 2014

Status: Approval

A variety of conditions were attached to the approvals made.

The Council commented to Ryedale District Council on all of the applications.

6 Governance

6.1 Code of Conduct

Transitional arrangements (confirmed in the Localism Act 2011 (Commencement Order No.6 and Transitional, Savings and Transitional Provisions Order 2012) SI 2012/1463 brought into force on 7 June 2012 confirmed that a parish council must adopt a new code of conduct to take effect on or after 1 July 2012.

Consequently, pursuant to section 27 of the Localism Act 2011, the Council has adopted the National Association of Local Council's final template Code of Conduct to promote and maintain high standards of behavior by its members whenever they conduct the business of the Council.

6.2 Attendance at Council meetings

A Council meeting was held every month from April 2013 to March 2014, with the exception of August 2013. One exceptional Meeting was held in February. Attendance by Councillors was as follows:

	Number of Council meetings held	Number of Council meetings attended
Jo Powell	11	11
Andrew Edwards	11	7
Liz Ives	11	4
Nick Smith	11	4
Debbie Swift	11	9
John Windress	11	10
Russ Dickinson	11	8

6.3 Transactions with Councillors

No Councillor received any remuneration directly or indirectly in respect of fulfilling their role as Councillor.

6.4 Transactions with the Clerk

The Clerk was remunerated according to salary scales recommended by the National Association of Local Councils and Society of Local Council Clerks, salary point 21. She was paid monthly in arrears by the Council, and received a total of £1,272 up to 31 March 2015. In addition, she received £36 as reimbursement for expenses incurred on behalf of the Council. This related to postage, stationery, use of private vehicle for Council business and calls to mobile phones.

7 Changes in officials

I was re-elected Chair in May 2014 and Liz Ives was re-elected Vice Chair at the same time.

Nick Smith has decided not to seek re-election on to the Council in May 2015. The Council would like to thank him for his years of service and to wish him well.

After several years of extraordinary service to the community, Liz Ives resigned from the Council in January 2015. The Council would like to extend its thanks to her for her exceptional contribution and wish her a long and fulfilling retirement.

It is with mixed emotions that I too have decided to resign from the Parish Council with effect from the AGM in May 2015. I have thoroughly enjoyed my years as a Councillor and have benefitted enormously from the experience.

As always, thank you to all the Councillors for their continued efforts and commitment to the community.

8 Finance

8.1 Precept

The Council has decided to maintain the precept at £5,393.

From April 2015, the Council will no longer benefit from the small shortfall subsidy or the grass cutting subsidy.

The Council will continue to identify areas in which it is able to make savings in order to ensure that, where possible, it will not increase the burden to local council tax payers.

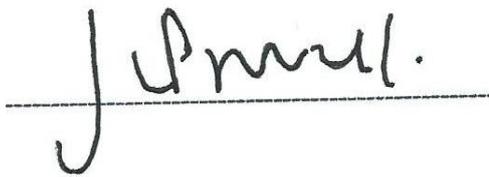
8.2 Accounts

The Council's financial position is set out in the financial statements on the following pages.

9 Annual Parish Meeting

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held at 7:30pm on Monday 18th May in the Pavilion at the Beckett Recreation Ground. The agenda is inside the front cover of this newsletter.

I look forward to seeing you there and to answering any questions you may have about the Council's stewardship of the Parish in the past year and its plans for the future.

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Jo Powell
Chairman
1 April 2015

Financial statements

Bank balances

Year end

The bank balances at 31 March 2015 in aggregate were £13,641. Of this amount, £13,540 was held in the Council's current account and £101 was held in the Council's Business Money Manager Account. Both of these accounts are with HSBC. All figures have been rounded to the nearest pound.

Year end bank balances compared to 2013/14

The bank balances at 31 March 2015 in aggregate were £699 more than a year earlier. The reasons for the increase are explained in the receipts and payments sections.

Year end bank balances compared to target

The Council's objective is that the year end bank balances in aggregate should, in the absence of any known special projects for the following year, approximate to the annual precept from Ryedale District Council. The annual precept in 2014/15 was £5,522. In 2015/16 it will be £5,393.

The bank balances at 31 March 2015 in aggregate were £8,119 greater than the target. The Council anticipates that it may need to spend the following on special projects in 2015/16 and subsequent years:

- Repairs to the shelter and seating and resurfacing of the ground beneath the shelter with flagstones and planting of new tree estimated at £5,000
- up to £2,000 for improvements to Colley Pond when needed
- up to £500 on additional bulbs

After taking account of these anticipated projects, the bank balances in aggregate are greater than the target. This will provide the Council with an added contingency to account for the small loss in precept subsidy, the loss of the grass cutting subsidy and in anticipation of reduced income from grants and subsidies in the current austere economic climate.

Adequacy of funds

The Council believes that the bank balances at 31 March 2015 together with the expected precept receipts from Ryedale District Council will be adequate to meet the Council's planned expenditure for 2015/16 and that the insurance policies in the name of the Council will be sufficient to cover any other unavoidable expenditure.

Receipts

Receipts in 2014/15

Gross receipts for the year were £6,424. The receipts came from the following sources (figures rounded to the nearest pound):

- the precept from Ryedale District Council (£5,522)
- grass-cutting subsidy from North Yorkshire County Council (£531)
- payment from Nawton Shoot in consideration for shooting in Howl Wood and Nawton Quarry (£50)
- VAT refund (£321)

Receipts in 2014/15 compared to 2013/14

Gross receipts for the year were £353 more than in 2013/14. The main reasons for this net increase are as follows (figures rounded to the nearest pound):

- £265 more from the precept (top up contribution from Ryedale District Council)
- £321 VAT refund

Payments

Payments in 2014/15

Total payments for the year were £5724

All figures are inclusive of VAT and rounded to the nearest pound.

- Stationery, printing, postage and sundry expenditure £171 (of which the cost of printing the April 2014 newsletter was £135)
- dog bags £35
- streetlighting energy used in 2013/14 £901
- maintenance of streetlights in 2014/15 £729
- insurance £376
- rent of the Pavilion at the Beckett Recreation Club for Council meetings and the Annual General Meeting £135
- Clerk's salary £1,272
- Grass cutting and caretaker activities £1,005
- Tree work £1,100

Payments in 2014/15 compared with those in 2013/14

Gross payments in the year were £310 more than in 2013/14. The main reasons for this net increase were as follows (figures rounded to the nearest pound):

- £1145 more spent on grass cutting and tree surgery
- £15 more spent on rental of pavilion
- £961 more spent on street lighting and maintenance
- £35 more on dog bags
- £7 less spent on stationary, printing, postage and sundries
- £332 less spent on donations
- £78 less spent on the Clerk's salary
- £8 less on insurance
- £852 less on caretakers
- £569 less on other payments

VAT

At 31 March 2015 there was a debit balance on the VAT account. This will be recovered during the course of 2015/16 once a cumulative balance of £100 has built up.

Fixed assets

In 2014/15 the full depreciation of the accounting value of fixed assets other than land has been applied.

**Nawton Parish Council
Financial Summary
31/03/2014**

	<u>31/03/2011</u>	<u>31/03/2012</u>	<u>31/03/2013</u>	<u>31/03/2014</u>	31/03/2015	<u>Change</u>
Net financial assets:						
Bank accounts	11,318	10,801	12,201	12,942	13,641	699
Other net financial assets		43	34			
Net financial assets	<u>11,318</u>	<u>10,844</u>	<u>12,235</u>	<u>12,942</u>	<u>13,641</u>	<u>699</u>
Tangible fixed assets	<u>12,013</u>	<u>10,805</u>	<u>9,604</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>2010/11</u>	<u>2011/12</u>	<u>2012/13</u>	<u>2013/2014</u>	<u>2014/2015</u>	<u>Change</u>
Income	7,830	7,028	6,618	6,171	6,103	-68
Expenditure	-6,090	-7,502	-5,209	-5,414	-5,452	-38
Net income and expenditure	<u>1,740</u>	<u>-474</u>	<u>1,409</u>	<u>757</u>	<u>651</u>	<u>-106</u>
Movement on the VAT account	17	-43	-9	-16	49	33
Net receipts and payments	<u>1,757</u>	<u>-517</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>741</u>	<u>699</u>	<u>42</u>

Nawton Parish Council
Net Financial Assets

31-Mar-14

	<u>Mar-12</u>	<u>Mar-13</u>	<u>Mar-14</u>	<u>Mar 15</u>	<i>Change</i>
Net financial assets	<u>10,844</u>	<u>12,201</u>	<u>12,942</u>	<u>13,641</u>	<i>699</i>
Tangible fixed assets	<u>9,606</u>	<u>9,604</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<i>0</i>

Analysis of net financial assets

	<u>Mar-12</u>	<u>Mar-13</u>	<u>Mar-14</u>	<u>Mar 15</u>	<i>Change</i>
Current account: HSBC Community Account	10,701	12,100	12,841	13,540	<i>699</i>
Savings account: HSBC Business Money Manager Account	<u>101</u>	<u>101</u>	<u>101</u>	<u>101</u>	<i>0</i>
Sub-total bank accounts	10,801	12,201	12,942	13,641	<i>699</i>
VAT account	43	34	49	6	
Total	<u>10,844</u>	<u>12,235</u>	<u>12,991</u>	<u>13,647</u>	<i>656</i>

Analysis of tangible fixed assets

Land:					
Nawton Quarry	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	
Marr Pond	250	250	250	250	
Howl Wood	2,100	2,100	2,100	2,100	
The Green	500	500	500	500	
Colley Pond	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	
Pinfold Hill	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	
	8,350	8,350	8,350	8,350	
Amenities: street lighting and bus shelter			12,045	12,045	
Accumulated depreciation - 50% as at 31/03/09, 10%pa thereafter					
Filing cabinet	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	
Total	<u>10,805</u>	<u>9,604</u>	<u>8,400</u>	<u>8,400</u>	

Nawton Parish Council
Income and Expenditure 2013/14
31-Mar-14

	<u>2011/12</u>	<u>2012/13</u>	<u>2013/14</u>	<u>2014/2015</u>	<i>Change</i>
Income:					
Precept from Ryedale District Council	5,000	5,000	5,257	5,522	265
Interest (gross)	0				0
LEADER funding and Countryside Agency	1,329	648	118	-	-118
Grass cutting subsidy from NYCC	570	570	496	531	35
Income from Nawton Shoot	50	50	50	50	
Other receipts	78	350	250	-	-250
Total income	<u><u>7,028</u></u>	<u><u>6,618</u></u>	<u><u>6,171</u></u>	<u><u>6,103</u></u>	<u><u>-68</u></u>
Expenditure:					
Grass cutting and tree surgery	-1,675	-1,450	-960	-2,105	1,145
Stationery, printing, postage	-232	-177	-178	-171	-7
Street lighting: maintenance and power	-1,643	-626	-669	-1,358	689
Insurance	-394	-393	-384	-376	-8
Audit	-120	-120	0	0	
Rent of memorial hall and pavilion at the Beckett Recreation Ground	-200	-90	-120	-135	15
Donation to recreation ground and to the Parish of Kirkdale	-400	-262	-332	0	-332
Donation to memorial hall					
Dog bins	-70	-29		-35	35
Subscriptions (SLCC, etc)	-178				
Fencing at the tip / Benches					
Poppy appeal					
Repairs					
Clerk's salary	-1,476	-1,411	-1,350	-1,272	-78
Caretaker activities	-920	-605	-852	0	-852
Other payments	-194	-46	-569	0	-569
Total expenditure	<u><u>-7,502</u></u>	<u><u>-5,209</u></u>	<u><u>-5,414</u></u>	<u><u>-5,452</u></u>	<u><u>38</u></u>

Information from village organisations

The Nawton and Beadlam Millennium Wildlife Garden

The Nawton & Beadlam Millennium Wildlife Garden can be found at the north side of the Recreation Field. The Garden is managed as a charity and all fund raising and maintenance is undertaken by a committee of local volunteers. We are always eager to welcome new helpers, whatever your level of experience or expertise.

Please contact Amanda Carroll on 01439 771838 for further details.

HELP! Your Village Hall needs you

Volunteers are urgently needed to join the Village Hall Management Committee. If you are interested, please call Mr Bernard Simpson on 01439 771668 for more information.

If you would like to hire the hall for an event, please call Sylvia Jones on 01439 771235.

Beckett Recreation Ground

The children's play area continues to be well used and will be enhanced because of extra funding from the Open Space Fund. This fund has also meant that the Recreation Ground can replace worn out equipment.

Junior cricket coaching has started and is on Wednesdays from 6.30-7.30 pm for children aged 6 and over. Boys and girls are welcome.

For further information about activities at the Beckett Recreation Ground, or to hire the meeting room at the pavilion, contact Chris Rymer (Chair) on 01439 771660, or Gordon Harrison (Treasurer) on 01439 771498.

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