

Nawton Parish Council
Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting
19:30 Monday 21st May 2018 at the Pavilion, Beckett Recreation Ground

Attendees:	Chairman	Russ Dickinson
	Councillors	Debbie Swift, John Windress, Andrew Edwards, Sam Jones, Mike Jackson, Lorraine Hugill
	Clerk	Anne Twine
	Parishioners	Three

1. Minutes of the meeting of 8th May 2017

The minutes of the meeting of 8th May 2017 were made available to the meeting by the Clerk. There were no comments. The Chairman signed the minutes and instructed the Clerk to add them to the minute book.

The Chairman thanked the parishioners for attending the meeting. The Chair invited the attendees to have their say.

2. Items raised by electors

2.1 The resurfacing of School Lane was mentioned and The Chair replied that the Council was aware that this was proposed at the end of May and that we were waiting for notification. He also said that NYCC were looking into adopting the road.

2.2 A parishioner commented on the attractiveness of the village and thanked the Council for all the bulbs that had been planted.

2.3 A parishioner commented on dog fouling along the snicket to school. The Council discussed the possibility of a dogbin at the south side of the snicket and leaflets along the snicket.

2.4 Road safety was mentioned along Gale Lane when Ryedale School starts in the morning and when the students leave in the afternoon. The Councillors agreed to meet with the Head again to try and resolve this issue.

3. Chairman's report

The Chair then presented his report. The Chair focused on the main items that had occurred in the last year.

The specific Topics

Bus Shelter

The Chair explained that The Council is considering a bus shelter at Colley Pond and that it would be a long term project. The Council is looking into the possibility of having a shelter similar to the one on the Green. The Chair explained that this project was on hold due to the high cost of replacing all the streetlights to LED.

Mast

The Chair reported on the situation of the mobile mast and explained that the application had been approved for a mast at Calverts carpets. The proposal has to be accepted by Calverts before any work goes ahead.

Housing

The Chair explained that no housing development was expected in the 15 year plan and that if necessary there is a site for social housing on the east side of Station Road.

Dog Fouling

The Chair explained that we had a complaint about dog fouling along Highfield Lane. The Clerk was asked to research whether or not a dog bin could be put at the southern end of the snicket by the school

Finances

The Chair explained that the Council had £12,552 on the balance sheet.

The Council decided to maintain the precept at its current level to ensure sufficient funds.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 20.00.

Signed: _____ Chairman