

KIRKBY THORE PARISH COUNCIL

The minutes of the proceedings of the **FULL COUNCIL MEETING** of Kirkby Thore Parish Council (KTPC) held on **Monday 7th of October 2024** at 19:30hrs in Kirkby Thore Memorial Hall.

Present

Chairman: Lorna Baker (LB)
Councillors: Jacky York (JY), and Steve Ormerod (SO)

Clerk/RFO: Lindsay Nicholson (LN)

Also in attendance: None

Members of the Public: 2

2024/142	Apologies for Absence Apologies were received from Dan Pattimore. Resolved: to receive the apologies and the reasons given						
2024/142	Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensation None						
2024/143	Public Participation An update on the recent Cumbria Celebration event was received from a resident. There were over 250 residents from different parts of Cumbria in attendance. All had been nominated from local communities in celebration of their significant voluntary contributions to their area. The resident had been nominated by the Parish Council to represent Kirkby Thore. The resident wished to thank the Parish Council for their nomination. Representation was made to the council regarding dogs on the Recreation Field. It was noted that the recreation ground was subject to a Public Spaces Protection Order. The recreation ground is not the responsibility of the Parish Council as it is the property of the Memorial Hall Committee. The Parish Council would raise the issues with the Memorial Hall Committee. It was reported by a resident that the waste bin next to the play equipment behind the Memorial Hall had been removed. Further representation was made about the bin off Main Street that had also recently been removed.						
2024/144	Minutes of the Last Meeting of Kirkby Thore Parish Council The chairman was authorised to sign, as a correct record, the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday the 2 nd of September 2024. Resolved: to accept the minutes of the previous meeting and the recommendations therein.						
2024/145	Finance 2024/145.1 Accounts for Payment The accounts listed below were presented for payment. <table border="1" data-bbox="280 1977 1422 2060"><thead><tr><th>Payee</th><th>Description</th><th>Amount</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>L Nicholson</td><td>Clerk Salary</td><td>£379.40</td></tr></tbody></table>	Payee	Description	Amount	L Nicholson	Clerk Salary	£379.40
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	HMRC	PAYE	£5.80
	Resolved: to approve the above payment		Action: LN
	Switch back to the standard one		
	2024/145.2 Balances		
	The balances at bank on the 1 st of October 2024 were noted.		
	Resolved: to receive the information.		Action: LN
	2024/145.3 Signature of Cashbook Reconciliation		
	The chair was authorised to sign the cashbook reconciled to the bank statement.		
	Resolved: to receive the information		
2024/146	Correspondence		
	2024/146.01 CALC: Annual General Meeting 12th of October		
	The correspondence and date of the AGM was duly noted.		
	Resolved: to receive the information		
	2024/146.02 CALC: CALC Surveys 2024		
	The correspondence was duly noted.		
	Resolved: to receive the information		
	2024/146.03 CALC: Electoral Review of Westmorland & Furness		
	The correspondence was noted. JY indicated that she would respond to the review.		
	Resolved: to receive the information		
2024/147	Planning Applications & Decisions		
	2024/147.1 Applications		
	2024/1352/FPA: Holme Lea Kirkby Thore PENRITH CA10 1UP: Removal of existing garage and rear porch and erection of proposed front and side extension.		
	The application was outlined and discussed. Councillors concluded that they did not wish to make comment or observation.		
	Resolved: not to make comment or observation.		Action: LN
	2024/147.2 Decisions		
	None		
2024/148	Outside Body Reports		
	2024/148.1 Memorial Hall Committee		
	LB briefed the meeting regarding the latest meeting of the committee. It was noted that a quiz night had been successfully delivered. Further prices for the toilet refurbishment had been sought. The Big Breakfast has been re-scheduled to Sunday the 17 th of November. There would be tidy up event of the recreation field on Tuesday the 8 th of October. There would also be a children's Halloween event on the 31 st of October.		
	Resolved: to receive the information		
	2024/148.2 Appleby Transport Group		
	LB reported on the proceedings of the group. It was noted that the MP attended the meeting. JY indicated that the usefulness of the service was limited by the fact the latest return bus leaves Penrith at 1.00pm.		

	<p>A discussion was held about the £2.00 price cap. An extension to the scheme is being considered but it is likely that the cap will be increased to £2.50.</p> <p>Resolved: to receive the information</p>
2024/149	<p>Highways Matters</p> <p>Councillors discussed the information released by Westmorland & Furness Council in relation to Lengthsmen agreements. It was noted that Parish Councils would be able to undertake agreements to provide services in the local community. Any agreement would be to provide a service that was in addition to current services. It was noted that no additional funds would be provided that any additionality would need to fund from the parish council precept. SO indicated that he would attend the face-to-face event to seek additional information later in the week.</p> <p>Resolved: to receive the information</p>
2024/150	<p>Footpath Matters</p> <p>None</p>
2024/151	<p>Village Noticeboard</p> <p>To receive an update</p>
2024/152	<p>Social Value Fund Heritage Project / School Project</p> <p>The working group reported that the bid needed to be revised as the fund was oversubscribed. The bid would deliver a simple interpretation board and leaflet. Some of the Parish Councillors expressed their interest in undertaking a larger heritage project.</p> <p>Resolved: to receive the information</p>
2024/153	<p>Unity Trust</p> <p>Item deferred to the next meeting</p>
2024/154	<p>Project Reports</p> <p>None</p>
2024/155	<p>Items for the Next Meeting of the Parish Council</p> <p>The following items to be added to the agenda for consideration at the next meeting of the council</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Co-option
2024/156	<p>Date and Time of Next Meeting</p> <p>The next meeting is scheduled to be held on Monday 4th November 2024 at 7.30pm. Meeting to be held in Kirkby Thore Memorial Hall.</p>

LB closed the meeting at 21:40 hrs

Please note: all Parish Council meetings are open to members of the Public.

Chair Signature: _____

Date: _____

Clerk Signature: _____

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