

Kings Clipstone Parish Council



The Royal Heart of Ancient Sherwood

Minutes of the Meeting of Kings Clipstone Parish Council on 5th January 2025, 7.00 pm at The Shed, Squires Lane, Kings Clipstone.

Present: Cllr P Bromley (Chair)
Cllr N Stevens
Cllr Simpson
Cllr Emma Parks
Cllr Depledge
County Cllr Carlton

Public In attendance: 7 members of the public

Welcome The Chair opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

24/120 Apologies for Absence, Councilor Stanley Councilor Depledge

24/121 Declarations of Interest - None

24/122 Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on Monday 11 November 2024
The minutes were approved and signed by the Chair Proposed Cllr Stevens Seconded Cllr Stevens Cllr Parks

24/123 County Councilor Carltons Report
Bus Stop at Sherwood Pines removed has been repositioned. Scott would like to quickly, firstly happy New Year's I've been with via handle and other partners responding to significant floods across the county, I am advised this afternoon that only for potentially about 10 properties have internal flooding, I spend a lot of time going around my division and touching base with Andrew at campsite.

And some good news for the village, qualified for an interactive speed signed now waiting for installation dates,

The point raised around the north pavement fencing near the Dog & Duck I always believed that that fence was a local landowner, it's the county councils. and they are looking to replace it in quarter one of this year. Following storm Barbet, the flood levels are now falling back.

A couple of the things that did come out before Christmas from Central government, was around resurfacing about £75 million pound pledged for the East Midlands.

The one that did catch probably the attention was the devolution England white paper in Nottinghamshire operate a two-tier system county council, district and boroughs.

The city council is what you would describe as Unitary authority and they look after all services, housing, roads etc, whereas within the two-tier system, district councils are responsible housing dog bin collection and several other services, county council looks after schools, adult social care and roads and some other services.

There is quite a conversation going on as you probably expect in Eastern Nottinghamshire, where they are broadly supportive of the proposals, and I'll give you some sort of everyday examples. Over leaves and weeds so if leaves are on the road it falls to the District Council to sweep up, if they are in the drains it falls to the County Council.

Secondly leaves on roads October/November I managed to get Via to do 3 days of work on the drains clearance on Mansfield Road Clipstone turned to 2-2.5 weeks I managed to get on of the machines, I asked the district council to clean up the leaves prior to the work, but didn't turn until after the work had been done. I do think a couple of missed opportunities are on the role of parish and town councils, are taking more responsibility.

Working traffic committee

County Cllr Carlton - Louise from VIA is going to supply dates, I think it would be good idea, to have some good informal conversation, not necessarily to go back home history, and then set out some achievable targets, for example, the pinch point on Goresthorpe or bigger picture footpath into the village. However, county council resisted over last few months so that's why, over September/October I was not able to bring you a picture of what something could look like however, there expectation that around £1.5 billion transport to be transferred to the mayor at some point for the next financial year. I think it is going to be quickly pulled up that respects of Councils will quickly start demanding money City Derbyshire Derby

I think it also helps and just focus on around actually we could estimate that might be £0.5-£1m that it might be important to have it down on paper what the cost would be, we really do not know what we're looking at obtaining data. Also, a conversation with Police Inspector of the local division to make somebody available.

Chair - So, in short, there may be a feasibility study done to look at putting in a footpath in from Sherwood Pines down to the bridge into the village, and if that's already got a costing to it and the mayor receives the money, we could be in a position to say, can we have some time for this particular project? As if we left it till the money was there, then the bottom line would be, well, it takes too long to get it together?

Scott to draw line under that sort of confusion it's just an aspiration,

But it doesn't stop other conversation with Forest Commission saying, this would naturally benefit your side. I think the other thing is, the mayor would have the authority for tourism and the transport.

J Bealey - Bus Stop for Concerts in the Forest, which will not be taking place, how many people use them, rumble strips in strategic locations.

24/124 District Councilors Report –
None

24/125 Questions / Statements from members of the public
C Hunt
Shed program for next meeting.
History group continue with lace making and coffee mornings to continue second Monday in the month, Halloween, and Christmas decoration a possibility.
The WW11 celebration is in May.
J Bealby would like its recording to thank Alan Stanley.
V Severn
Gorethorpe Lane - Would like to look at what effects could be put in place regarding traffic signs.
On issues with the private road up to Cavendish Farm, it was pointed out that the Parish council have no authority on the road.

24/126 Correspondence
We have received Councillor Stanleys resignation with immediate effect. He obviously wants to spend a bit of time with his family down south in Surrey and go caravanning and a further reason given was down to the Santa hats on the solders.

To put this into perspective, the solders are on Highways land, it doesn't belong to the parish council.

Alan Hunt and Alan Stanley had a conversation about it. But as I've pointed out, the Parish Council have no responsibility, we pay for it being cut, I'm led to believe that the brick stone monument, and the wooden seats were put there and agreed with the county councillor I was told there's a plaque on it and it mentions Len Spriggs.

it's not a war memorial, because nobody can own a war memorial other than the public, and it as to be listed on the war memorial listings

Alan, states during my years on the council, we've reached achieved a lot and I hope that that continues, and he did say to me he would still volunteer.

24/127 Village Councilors Report
Cllr Parks
Speed on the B6030 from Cavendish roundabout to the bad bends resulting in Cllr parks being involved in a road traffic accident where a car ran into the back of her.

Following recent traffic surveys for planning applications, they indicated over 14,000 traffic movements per day County Cllr Carlton, and I have had a discussion and decided to ask for more information from the automatic speed counter on that section of road should provide further indication of traffic volumes through the village.

24/128 Planning - No Planning

24/129 Agenda Items - Carol Service

Jane Belaby

70 adults and a large number of children made £325.00.

Donation of £200 for the Parish Council shed funds towards the tables.

Jane was thanked for the donation.

24/130 Finance

Bank Statement presented £956.43.

Vat refund update £3596.51

24/131 Date of Next Meeting, the date of the next meeting will be the 3rd of February 2025 at 7:00pm.

24/132 Meeting Closed - Chairperson thanked all those present for their attendance and closed the meeting at 8:25pm.

Signed

P Bromley

Chair