



LAVENDON PARISH COUNCIL

The Minutes of the Monthly Meeting of the Parish Council held in the Old School Building, High Street, on Monday, 9 February 2009 at 7.30 pm.

Present: Mrs K Porter [Chair], Mrs P Butler, Mr A Skinner
Mrs E Gillies [Clerk],
Cllr D Brock, Cllr P Geary, 3 members of public
Apologies: Mr T Usher [Vice Chair], Mr A Morley, Mrs B Shaw, Mrs J Underwood,
Mr D Tompkins

1. The Chair welcomed all present and the apologies for absence were noted.
2. **The Minutes of the Monthly Meeting of the Parish Council held on 12 January 2009 were resolved.**
3. **Declaration of Interests on Agenda items - None**
4. **Village Annual Show** - It was resolved that two cups or plaques would be purchased for presentation at the annual show from the Parish Council, for the best allotment and best kept garden in Lavendon. Details for entry to the Best Kept Garden in Lavendon are to be confirmed.
5. **Other Ongoing Issues:**
 - a. *Landscaping* – Parish Field boundary fence has been done.
 - b. *Bus shelters* – The roof on the bus shelter at Olney Road has now been fixed and is again weatherproofed against leaks.
 - c. *Football Club* – a hole requires repair in the ceiling after the pipes burst during the extreme cold weather. The burst pipes have now been fixed, de-humidifiers rented to dry out the building, and lagging to pipes, tanks and the roof upgraded. Additional heaters will be looked into for use during extreme cold weather conditions.
 - d. *Pre-School* – as with the football club, additional heating measures for extreme cold weather are being looked into.
 - e. *New cemetery* – it was resolved to send a letter to Cold Brayfield Estates confirming agreement to Cold Brayfield residents being buried in the new Cemetery and boundary remaining as it is.

6. Finance Report:

- a. Items submitted for payment in February were resolved.

7. Planning – 08/02118/FULEIS Nun Wood Wind Farm Development for Npower Renewables. The letter of objection is being prepared and will be sent to all parties in Milton Keynes, Bedford and Wellingborough.

9. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME.

10. Matters Arising:

- a. *for information* - Cllr Brock reported that resurfacing of Olney Road has been put on hold till at least April 2009.
- b. *for future agendas*

The meeting closed at 9.030 pm

SignedChairman

Dated