

# HOLME *ST* CUTHBERT PARISH COUNCIL

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## MINUTES OF THE MEETING

**Minutes of a meeting of Holme St Cuthbert Parish Council held on:** Wednesday 17 January 2024 in Culterham Hall, Mawbray at 7.30pm

**Present:** Mrs L Stevens Chairman, Mrs S Donachy Vice-Chairman, Mr R Armstrong, Mrs M Knoery, Mrs J Court and Mrs L J Housby Clerk

**Apologies:** Mr J Coughlan and Mr S Routledge

Minutes of the meeting held on 15 November 2023 were proposed a correct record by MK all in favour

### **From the Minutes:**

Longcake fund – local families interested asking MK hand who can apply how to apply  
Dogs Mawbray – residents can still hear the dogs, RA said they could hear dogs is in that direction  
Parish Bus Service – remove old time tables, put up a notice 'No longer bus service, along B5300

### **Chairman's Announcement:**

Council bringing forward proposals for Council Tax on second homes and Air B&B's, information from CALC notices  
Chairman's online course attended by LS and SD both found very informative

### **Planning Application:**

North Lakes Caravan Park, Tarns – amend to extension SD sent comment for PC reply, looking on Planning website comments similar to PC about damage to wildlife environment and loss of habitat

### **Payment of Accounts:**

The following payments were proposed by MK all in favour

Culterham Hall	£250.00	annual grant 2023/24
L J Housby	£120.00	internet access 2023/24
CALC	£60.00	2 x £30.00 training (new chairman course)
Carlisle Glass	£38.92	acrylic street bus stop window

### **Malcolm Wilson Rally:**

The rally will not be taking place through our Parish, will take place 8/9 March will start 19.00 in Cockermouth and use North Lakes Forest of Comb and Hob Calton services Cockermouth Auction, restart at 08.30am on 9 March competing vehicles will make their way through Wythop and then to Greystoke south of Grizedale at 12.30 and back Greystoke to finish at Penrith Auction Mart first car to finish approx. 16.00

### **Footpath Salta to Mawbray:**

SD had problems navigating footpath, gate locked etc, these fields belong to Messrs Bell, Mawbray, but rented by Messrs Thompson. SD will speak with Mr Bell

Discussed to survey all footpaths and bridleways within the Parish, find out what can be done to close or reroute, JC said signs 'No wellies, no way'

**Bus Shelter Mawbray:**

Reported window missing, clerk ordered new Perspex for window and organised repairs

**Solfest 2024:**

Nikki Orral contacted Clerk about meeting dates 2024/25 replied with January date, this was not enough notice  
Went through calendar highlighting meeting dates sent to Nikki and all Councillors and update calendar on web site

**New Reactor West Cumbria:**

RA brought to the attention of Councillors that there is talks about a new reactor in West Cumbria, question where will the waste be stored still no site approved for storage, Pre Cumberland Council Copeland asked to be considered, but sites in North Cumbria unsuitable, best possible site is outside of London (never considered)

**Flooding B5300:**

Silloth north of Beckfoot, not in our Parish just past New House junction in Holme Low Parish. Clerk to contact Highways blocked culvert under road

There being no other business the meeting closed at 9.15pm the next meeting will ne held on Wednesday 20 March 2024 at 7.30pm in Culterham Hall, Mawbray