

THORNTON IN CRAVEN
PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held
remotely by telephone conferencing on Wednesday
6th May 2020 at 7.00pm**

Present:

Councillor Steven Briggs,
Councillor Mrs Annwyn Dean
Councillor Linda Harrison
Councillor Martin Lockyer, (Chair)
Councillor Martyn Leigh
Councillor Andrew Peace
Councillor Pauline Presley,
District Councillor Richard Pringle
NYCC Councillor Patrick Mulligan
Margaret Smith, Clerk

001.20 To receive any apologies.

No apologies received

002.20 To record any declarations of interest. – No declarations of interest were received.

003.20 To approve the Minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 4th March 2020 and the Minutes of the Extraordinary meeting held on 23rd March 2020.

Proposed by Cllr Lockyer,
Seconded by Cllr Leigh, and

Resolved: That the Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 4th March 2020 and Minutes of the Extraordinary meeting held on 23rd March 2020 were approved as a true copy and will be signed by the Chair at the next face to face meeting.

004.20 Open Forum - For residents to raise issues to the Parish Council.

No residents were at the meeting.

005.20 To receive a report from Craven District Council.

Cllr Pringle has been helping out at a food bank and is concerned that businesses will struggle financially unless they get assistance. CDC need £560,000 (a month's income) to keep going.

Cllr Pringle had received a leaflet from Woodlands Trust and will send a copy to Cllr Briggs.

006.20 To receive a report from North Yorkshire County Council.

Cllr Mulligan advised that some waste recycling centres were now open. 30% of calls to NYCC were about opening recycling centres. NYCC did well from the Government payments but CDC only received £28,000 meaning they will have to use their reserves. Locality funding is still available if there are any projects coming up.

Schools will have a phased opening with those doing GCSEs going back first but while it is important to reopen there are issues with logistics.

007.20 To consider any planning applications.

007.02.01 2020/21574/FUL Construct a composite decking supported on a timber framework, to 3 sides of the existing conservatory, to the east elevation of the main building. Thornton Hill Care Home, Church Road Thornton In Craven.

Resolved: There are no objections to this application.

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007.02.02 Planning Applications Granted - None

007.20.03 Planning Applications refused – None

007.20.04 Any other planning matters - None

008.20 To approve the Finance Report and Payment Schedule for April 2020

Current Account at 7 th Feb 2020	£11,033.72
Deposit Account (reserves)	£10,001.00

Authorisation of payments for April 2020

M Smith (April salary)	29/04/2020	180.57
S. Pickles cutting back from kerb	10/04/2020	290.00
S. Pickles grass cutting	10/04/2020	300.00
Total		£770.57

Proposed by Cllr Leigh,

Seconded by Cllr Briggs, and

Resolved: That the Financial Report and Payment Schedule for April 2020 is approved.

009.20 To receive an update on tree planting on Common Land.

There will be a cost of £3,000 for the purchase of the trees plus maintenance of £300 per year for 3 years.

010.20 To consider the renewal of the Parish Council insurance, in particular the risk assessment figures. (circulated).

Following a discussion it was agreed to increase the insurance amounts as follows:

Street Furniture: £60,000

War Memorial: £5,000

Cricket Pavilion: £40,000

The new renewal cost will be received and approved at the next meeting. Renewal date 4th June 2020

011.20 To receive a report from the Events Committee - Deferred

012.20 Correspondence and matters brought to the attention of the Chair.

- Village grass cutting – Grass cutting has restarted in the village using 2 vehicles.
- A request for volunteers for the Village Hall Committee has been received. There are 3 members of the Parish Council on the Committee already.
- A Risk Assessment webinar has been arranged by YLCA. Cllr Lockyer agreed to attend.
- The pavement sweeper was in the village last week but it was unclear if the village is now back on the rota. Cllr Lockyer will ask for clarity.

013.20 Date and time of next meeting.

Wednesday 3rd June 2020 at 7pm

There being no further business the meeting was closed at 7.40pm

Signed:

Date: