

Brenzett Parish Council

Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held remotely on Thursday 21st May 2020 at 7.00 pm

Present : Cllrs Webb (in the Chair), Beeching & Thompson

In attendance : Mr. Eaton, Clerk to the Council and Clive Stanley, webmaster

1 Apologies for absence and approval of reason for absence

There were no apologies for absence

2 Declarations of Councillor's Interests regarding items on the Agenda

Cllrs Webb & Beeching declared an interest in any matters relating to Brenzett Village Hall

There were no other declarations of Cllrs interests regarding items on the Agenda

3 Minutes of the Meeting held on 22nd January 2020 and Matters Arising

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 22nd January 2020 were agreed and signed by the Chairman

4 Public discussion

There was a general discussion with Clive Stanley, webmaster, about moving to a new website

5 Chairman's report

The Chairman read her report -

Brenzett Parish Council wishes to thank all those who have supported the government's guidance and by following the guidelines have helped keep our community safe. A big thank you to the Romney Marsh Community Hub for their support

I have been most impressed with the support for the Thursday Clap for key workers with clapping, bell ringing, car horns, saucepan bashing, music playing the NHS theme tune "Stand by me" and the

lovely children's drawings of rainbows both in their windows and displayed in the Parish Council Noticeboard

It was heart-warming to see so many houses decorated for V.E. day and those who celebrated by holding a family tea party in their front gardens. The Parish council cancelled their face-to-face March meeting due to COVID-19 but are pleased to report have scheduled a Zoom virtual meeting for 21/05/20

There have been no new planning applications drawn to our attention. Please be advised that a new Brenzett Parish Council website is being organised details of which will be published on the notice board. We currently have a vacancy for a Parish Councillor. Please contact the Clerk to register your interest

6 Correspondence received

Poster re 'Keep Kent Clean'

Letter from Air Ambulance requesting a donation – it was agreed to donate £150

Newsletter re Otterpool Park (circulated by email)

The reports received from KCC Cllr Hills and FHDC Cllr Goddard were noted

7 Finance Matters

The following account were approved for payment:

G Eaton	Clerk's salary & expenses (May)	£196.97
Inland Revenue	Clerk's tax (x 2 months)	£83.40
Came & Co	Annual Insurance	£480.84
Satswana	DPO Service	£180.00

8 Parish Council website

There was a discussion about the various options as set out in previously circulated emails. It was unanimously agreed to accept the quote provided by Whitstable Designs, Year1 - £400 to build a new site, thereafter £90 pa to host and maintain the site. Clerk to arrange

Clerk

9 Planning & Enforcement**New Planning Applications**

There were no new planning applications to consider

Decided Planning Applications

There were no decided planning applications to note

Other Planning matters

There was a general discussion regarding Paddock View, the 'Willow Springs' development and possible planning breaches at the Coach Depot, King Street

10 Any other business

The Clerk requested as per previously circulated email that his monthly salary be paid by Standing Order rather than cheque. The request was unanimously approved. Clerk to organise **Clerk**

11 Date of next Meeting and items for the next agenda

It was agreed that the next Meeting would be held on 21st July 2020 at 7.00 pm

There being no other business the Meeting closed at 9.27 pm