

MINUTES of ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE RURAL PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting held on **Monday 22nd October 2018**

Present: Chairman: Cllr. E Shute
Councillors: D. Mounce, L. Vanstone, T. Jones, I. Davey, J. North
Members of the Public – One

Apologies: Cllrs. R. Jones, C. Vinson, J. Mills

1. **Declaration of Interest and Dispensations Requests** for items on the agenda – NONE
2. **The minutes of the meeting on 26th September 2018** were signed by the Chairman as a true record, or amended – Agreed and signed
3. **Matters arising**:- Cllr I. Davey enquired about the travellers at Kennards House – have been moved on (21/10/18). Cllr D. Mounce enquired about the speed monitor – Clerk reported receiving the speed monitor report from Oliver Jones, Highways. The report showed generally use the 85thile speed reading which were 38mph & 43mph. The Police would consider that this site was a priority and the information will be shared with the Police. The monitoring dates from 16th – 24th August 2018 and showed 51.8% south bound traffic and 56.5% eastwards traffic where travelling at speeds of 31 – 41mph, with 6 vehicles travelled over 60mph through the village and 22% drove more than 40mph.
4. **Suspension of standing orders to enable members of the public to speak**:- Nothing to report
5. **Planning Applications**: a) **PA18/08723**: Reserved matters application for construction of two-storey detached dwelling with integrated garage and garden. Details of access are also provided to satisfy Condition 4 of the outline consent. (Details following application No: PA16/09608 dated 19/1/17): Land North East of Tregerrie, Road from Catherines Hill to Trebursye Road, Launceston, PL15 7EL: Mr & Mrs Quinn – Proposed to SUPPORT Cllrs I. Davey, 2nd J. North, All Cllrs agreed
PA18/08880: Application for Outline Planning permission with some matters reserved (access only) for the construction of a new detached dwelling with access via an existing gate: Land South of Landrends Cross, Launceston PL15 7EL: Ian Aldridge & Sue Earle – RESERVATIONS (concerns with entrance on the corner of a narrow road and drainage concerns for the properties below proposed site) – Proposed Cllrs J North, 2nd T. Jones, All Cllrs agreed
b) **Any others since printing of Agenda**: NONE
c) **PLANNING DECISION**: NONE
6. **General state of the Village and Parish (including grass cutting 2018)**:- Cllr E. Shute reported Parishioners enquiring about the travellers, when the footpath is going to be tarmacked and the bush along the footpath towards Kennards House needs trimming. Cllr T. Jones reported there are new Church signs been put up and the trees need trimming back. Cllr T. Jones reported having questions about how to enter the defibrillator box, it was suggested to place instructions on the box. Cllr T. Jones reported to be disappointed that Cracky Hill and Underlane hedges have not been trimmed, due to being dangerous for cyclists and pedestrians. Cllr T. Jones reported the Church are looking into taking over the Graveyard grass cutting expense in the future. Clerk received photos from J Sanders showing over grown shrubs at Trebursye Green making it difficult to cut the grass.

7. **Play Equipment:**– Clerk reported receiving a quote for the Play Equipment Inspection from CORMAC of £95.63 + Vat but are unable to give a date at the moment. Proposed to accept Cllrs I. Davey, 2nd D. Mounce. All Cllrs agreed. All the Councillors discussed play equipment at Tor View Play Area.

8. **Finance:**

Current acc: Mrs A Peerless (cleaning bus shelters Aug, sept & Oct 2018) £62.50 Chq No: 100695
Mr J Sanders (grass cutting Playing Fields, Tel box area) £480.00 Chq No: 100696
Mr J Sanders (grass cutting Graveyard) £270.00 Chq No: 100696
APB Computer Services Ltd (created Parish website) £240.00 Chq NO: 100697
Mrs DA Frain (salary & exps) £275.00 Chq No: 100698

Current acc: RECEIVED: Cornwall Council (Precept & Gov Aid) £4,434.99

Fun Day acc: No entries

Community Wind Turbine Bank Account: No entries

Application for Grant Aid from Cornwall Wind Energy Community Fund – None applied

9. **Correspondence:**

Communities & Devolution – September 2018 Newsletter: Join the movement for a #Litterless Cornwall– Each year, Cornwall Council spends more than £5m of taxpayer’s money on street cleaning, with an army of up to 200 workers covering 40,000 miles annually – almost twice the distance around the world. **Library plans** for a changing world – Cornwall Council’s Library Team has been working with local people across the region to find new ways to sustain and enhance Cornwall’s library service. **Energy Wise** is Community Energy plus’s Big Lottery funded project helps vulnerable households tackle Fuel poverty by providing advice over the phone, or in the home to people on energy related issues. **Recycling** rates across Cornwall for the first quarter of 2018/19 are up by 3% – 42% against a target of 39%, possibly contributing to a massive 18,552 requests for recycling containment in the first six months of the year

East Sub–Area Planning Committee: Agenda for the meeting on Monday 15th October 2018 at Chy Trevail, Bodmin, 10am

Road Traffic: Temporary Prohibition of Traffic: Location Upper Chapel, Launceston from 3rd to 23rd October 2018 (24hrs), although the utility expects the works to be complete by 9th October 2018. Reason for Emergency Closure: repair burst water main

North Coast Cluster Group: Revised figures for both the number of predicted households in Cornwall and the latest building completions and permissions have been received. The figures raise concerns about the required amount of new housing needed for the County in the Local Plan.

Scott Mann MP: Draw your attention to Audiominutes (a simple app to audio webcast and archive public meetings, Clerks tap the screen when each item is reached. At an annual fee of £150 for Town and Parish Councils, our solution is affordable and gives councils an official record of what was said

Highways England: An inspection has revealed the road surface between A30 Trebursye and Kennards House westbound has deteriorated and needs to be repaired. Dates: 22 October to 2nd November 2018, Hours of work: Overnight 8pm to 6am, week nights only

Sunshine Gym (outdoor Fitness Equipment Catalogue)

Kompan Let’s Play: Finding the funding that you need for your project can be extremely difficult and time consuming when you are striving for the best for your community. That’s’ why we are offering this 25% match funding initiative.

Cornwall Countryside Access Forum: Agenda for meeting on Tuesday 30th October 2018 at County Hall, Truro, 2.00pm

EP & E Local Plan – Consultation for Cornwall Site Allocations Development Plan Document: Writing to inform you that Cornwall Council has published the document for a six–week period from 10th September to 5pm 22nd October 2018

10. **Items for discussion not on the Agenda**:- Cllr T. Jones enquired whether the Parish Council would be prepared to donate some of the excess Jubilee cups towards the Tregadillett Community Centre – Cllrs all agreed. Cllr T. Jones reported Launceston Camera Club have donated a projector towards the Tregadillett Community Centre. Cllr T. Jones reported Tregadillett Community Centre are in the process of organising a regular Film night at Tregadillett Community Centre.
11. **Notice of Events**:- Tregadillett Community Centre AGM to be held on Monday 3rd November 2018, 7.30pm
12. **Any Confidential Items**:- Nothing to report

Meeting closed 9.00pm