

Ditchling Parish Council

Minutes of the Special Council Meeting held in the Old Meeting House at 8pm on Tuesday, 14th October at 8 pm.

Present. B.J. Clutterbuck in the Chair, Mrs B. Brittain, Mrs S. Munier, Mrs Y. Sen, A.T. Jones, , D.W. McBeth and the Clerk Mrs M. Holman.

Apologies Mrs C M. Robinson (away), A. H. Knowles, R. Burman (away), B.D. Cohen (unwell).

204. Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 23rd September having been circulated, were taken as read, agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.
205. LW/08/1080 Summerfield 67 Lewes Road
Planning Application - Two storey extension to front with internal and external alterations for Mr T Robinson
The Council would like a referral of this application pending receipt of an accurate block plan which portrays the actual footprint of the extension. The block plan as shown does not reflect the planning details. With this information it will be possible to see the impact the extension will have on the neighbouring property. When the revised information is received, my Council will be able to make a considered comment on the application.
206. LW/08/1141 North End Farm East Gardens
Planning Application - Section 73A Retrospective application for the continued use of part of paddock as residential curtilage for Mr & Mrs A. Waring
No objections. The Council would not wish to see any further intrusion of the residential use on to the agricultural land.
207. Recruitment of new Groundsman It was agreed that the interviewing panel etc would consist of the Chairman; Chairman of the Grounds Committee and Chairman of the Burial ground Committee.
All applications would be copied and circulated to the panel with a list etc after the closing date of 25th October.
208. Changes to Planning System Following the Chairman's suggestion that DPC should take the initiative and call a public meeting to which other Parishes would be invited to learn more about the changes with speakers from LDC, it was agreed to find out the availability of the Village Hall and send details to Lindsay Frost to negotiate a suitable date.

Chairman 28th October 2008