BROAD CHALKE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the 982nd Meeting of the

Broad Chalke Parish Council

held at the Village Hall on

Wednesday 12th October 2016 at 7:30 p.m.

ATTENDANCE

The following Councillors were present:

Mr R Hitchings

Mr J Allison

Mr M Pickford

Mr T Hitchings

Mr J Dutson

Mr D Gilbert

Apologies had been received from Mr E Fry.

The Clerk, Mr S Whitmore, and the Deputy Clerk, Mr M Holland, were in attendance.

1. Minutes of the previous meeting

These were approved with minor amendments relating to Mr R Hitchings' comments on the proposed Causeway path and on the use of the 101 telephone number.

1. Matters arising
	1. The comments in the Broadsheet relating to The Old Bakehouse right of way and parking arrangements had caused upset to the householders concerned which was regretted but it was thought it important to safeguard a right of way that had only been secured with substantial effort by many people within the Parish.
	2. *Foul water egress from Blanchard's old store*

This had not been noticed since first seen by Mr Gilbert some months ago. It was agreed that members of the Parish Council should look out for this when walking along the footpath.

* 1. *Bus shelter*

Mr Gilbert had established that a 10' x 8' wooden shed could be obtained for £750. He would measure the relevant slab with a view to ordering a three sided shelter with a polycarbonate window in the rear panel.

* 1. *Proposed new bench at the Playground*

It was agreed to proceed with the church yard quality bench proposed by Alice Hall upon receipt of the Jubilee funds from Lindy Seymour.

* 1. *Causeway path*

The Parish Council welcomed the news that the path had been given top priority at the recent CATG meeting and noted the estimated cost of £70,000.

1. Banking formalities

The Clerk explained the need for the bank mandate to be renewed for existing NatWest customers as the identity requirements were considerable reduced.

1. Planning consents/applications/refusals/withdrawals
	1. **Consents**
	2. **There were none.**
	3. **Applications**

16/09319/FUL Tank Cottage Tank Lane Broad Chalke Wiltshire SP5 5EP installation of 4kW in-roof solar PV installation in existing natural slate roof using roof integration mounting system.

16/09681/TCA Bow Marsh North Street Broad Chalke Salisbury Wiltshire SP5 5EN T1 - Ash tree – pollard

There were no objections to these applications

**4.4 Refusals**

There were none.

1. Charitable donations
	1. An application had been received from CVSC to cover the cost of additional chairs at the village hall. It was agreed not to support this application.
	2. An application had been received from the Friends of Broad Chalke School to cover the cost of installation of mosaic pavers for display in the central area of the school which would eventually need to be laid in the Sensory Garden. It was agreed to make a donation of £150.
	3. Mr Powis had made an application on behalf of the archives project and it was agreed to make a donation of £50.
	4. It was agreed that the Parish Council should continue to support the village hall by making a donation of £100. An application should be sought from Teddybears in due course.
2. Any other business
	1. A premises licence application had been made by the CVSC for a general drinks licence covering a wide range of activities including off licence sales. After discussion it was resolved to object to this application on the basis of a potential damage to the viability of the village hall if events that normally would be held in the village hall would be transferred to the CVSC. The Clerk was asked to prepare a suitable letter.
	2. The Clerk reported that he had received a request from Councillor Tony Deane to circulate the Broad Chalke Neighbourhood Plan to other parishes. It was agreed that this would be appropriate but thought appropriate to ask Mr Truluck for his consent given the substantial amount of work he carried out.
	3. The Chairman referred again to the £350 donation in respect of a bench to be installed near the Queen's Head. It was agreed that he should contact the donor's solicitors and agreed to accept the donation on the basis that a bench would be installed.
	4. It was reported that the climbing structure ladder in the playground is potentially dangerous. The Chairman said he would investigate and take necessary action.
	5. Mr R Hitchings stated that he thought it would be appropriate to thank Alice Hall for her contribution to the Parish Council. The Chairman said he would write to her appropriately.
	6. After discussion it was resolved that the Clerk should draft a suitable letter to Mr Faith relating to any proposed development at Knighton Mill.

There being no further business the meeting ended.