

Minutes of the Meeting of St Just in Roseland Parish Council held on Monday 3rd July 2023 in the Millennium Rooms, St Mawes. The meeting commenced at 7.00pm.

Councillors Present: R Giles (Chair), K Warren, P Salter, E Andrew, S Goldsmith, R Baylis, A Fordham, L Rogers-Baltazar

Also present: J German (Cornwall Councillor), H Couch (Parish Clerk), R Fordham (Parish Administrator), and four members of the public

1. To accept apologies for absence – Cllr Williams, Cllr Marchant

2. Declaration of Interest:

- a) Disclosable Pecuniary Interest – None declared
- b) Non-Registerable Interest – None declared
- c) Of gifts to the value of more than £25 - None declared
- d) To consider requests for dispensation on items on the agenda – None declared

3. Public Participation

A member of the public voiced his concern about a proposed offshore seaweed farm in Gerrans Bay, and about its effects on the local fishing industry, and on all sea-based leisure activities, and asked the Parish Council to be aware of any impending application.

A member of the public voiced his concern again about an overflowing bin in St Just in Roseland; and stated that the broken gate at the St Just in Roseland recreation ground had now been fixed. Clerk to speak to Churchill about the bin.

Regarding the ongoing footpath issue in St Just in Roseland, another concern was raised that it is still impassable and unsafe, and stressed its importance in linking the two halves of the village to minimise having to walk on the main road. The Clerk was able to inform the meeting that the request to have the footpath reinstated had been actioned by Cornwall Council and work should commence soon.

As an addition to this subject, the Clerk was also able to inform the meeting that the appeal to reinstate the hedge bank and reinstate the land and levels back to its former condition in St Just in Roseland had been successful. The importance of fixing the gate into the field through the recreation ground was again stressed.

A concern was noted about the difficulty of seeing the car park machine instructions in the main St Mawes Car Park when the sun was shining directly on the boards.

4. Confirmation of the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 5th June 2022.

The Council **RESOLVED**, by a show of hands by those who had attended that the said minutes be approved. All in favour and they were duly signed by the Chairman.

Matters arising:

Update on the Gardening – Entrance to St Mawes by Waterloo Close

The Clerk has not yet received a quote for clearing the area.

St Just in Roseland – Gate to Playing Field - See above.

Feedback from Hampton Lovatt

The Clerk will make a report at the next meeting of the Finance Committee.

Signage – Coppice and St Just in Roseland Church

The administrator reported that new signage was in place at the Coppice and in other areas of the village concerning dog poo and BBQ's.

The Parochial Church Council were now looking into the issue of church car park signage at St Just in Roseland and will discuss it at their July meeting.

Update on parish noticeboards

After research it was decided that it was not possible to weatherproof the existing parish noticeboards. The administrator noted that more people were using the biodegradable pouches, so it was agreed that the boards would stay as they are, with the new self-healing pinboard applied.

Feedback from South West Water

The Clerk read out a response from South West Water requested by the Council, explaining the reason for the major sewage works that took place in the parish earlier in the year. This will be published in full in the Roseland Magazine in August.

As an addendum to this, the administrator noted that National Grid had requested to upgrade a cable through St Mawes car park in November.

5. Cornwall Councillor Report

A discussion took place regarding Armed Forces Day and the Traffic Management meeting in St Just in Roseland on June 30th. Concerns were noted that the Traffic Management signage was ineffective and not enforced, and that the signage had not been removed after the event. The concern that the same thing happening at Tall Ships was discussed. The Clerk will respond to Localism at Cornwall Council about this issue.

Leading on from this discussion, it was confirmed that the Newton Farm parking for Tall Ships was all organised. Parking will be available from Wednesday to Friday, and a viewing field for the Parade of Ships on Friday. The Roseland Community Bus will be doing a continuous loop around the village on Friday.

6. Clerks Report – None

7. External Committees & Local Representatives - None

8. Correspondence – Noted

9. Accounts and Finance

Due to Clerk being on holiday, the Statement will be forwarded to the Finance Committee.

10. Note Committee Meetings held since last Full Parish Council Meeting

- Planning Committee – To note meeting held on Monday 19th June 2023

11. Parish Issues/Concerns

Litter

Clerk to confirm with Churchill that the extra bin collection each day during high season was in place.

The administrator read out a response from the Watch House, in answer to concerns raised at the previous meeting about the amount of refuse created by takeaway fish and chip boxes from the Watch House. The response stated that although they are happy to work with the Council to think about solutions to the refuse problems, the restaurant was doing all they can within the confines of their refuse collection contract.

Feedback from Traffic Consultations – 20mph

St Mawes

The Parish Council will request that all of Buckeys Lane should be 20mph, as the current plan shows the limit rising to 30mph just before the junction, which is considered to be too dangerous.

St Just in Roseland

The Parish Council will request that the A3078 through St Just in Roseland from Windmill Hill to Trethewell to be lowered to 20mph. However, if this is not possible, they have requested that the road could be divided into two sections: from the top of Windmill Hill to Roseland Motors, and then from Roseland Motors to Trethewell, to take account of physical traffic restrictions, with only one of those sections being designated 20mph.

To discuss - possibilities of additional footpaths and community speedwatch cameras.

Clerk to investigate the possibility of flashing speed limit signs for the parish to provide the Council with traffic data.

Feedback from Armed Forces Day

See Cornwall Councillors Report above

To note any issues/concerns in the Parish

Clerk to liaise with RSPG about possibility of obtaining a 24 hours blood pressure monitor for the Roseland, so patients don't have to travel to Treリス.

12. Future Meeting Dates

- Finance Committee – Monday 10th July @ 5.30pm
- Car Park Committee – Monday 10th July @ 6.00pm
- Planning Committee – Monday 17th July @ 6.00 pm

13. Any other business that the Chairman considers to be of urgency

The Clerk confirmed that the current vacancy for the Parish Council was being advertised.

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14. Enforcement - None

15. Personnel Issues - None

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.20pm

The next meeting is on Monday 7th August 2023 at 7.00 pm

Signed as a true record.....Chairman Cllr Giles