

SATTERTHWAITE PARISH COUNCIL

N.B. Minutes remain in DRAFT until ratified and signed at the next Council meeting.

Reference: M172

Minutes of the Meeting of Satterthwaite Parish Council held via Zoom on Tuesday 12th April 2021 at 7.15pm

Present: Grant Nickson (Chair), Gary Thomason (Vice Chair), Mhari Elkington Crabtree, and the Clerk Dawn Yoxall.

123.1. Apologies for Absence:

123.1.i. Matt Brereton, Debbie Ross,

123.2. Representations from members of the Public: Tracy Coward, Ian Wharton

The B4RN in Furness scheme is hoping to get more people to sign up as customers, Community organisers to get high speed internet into the more remote areas which do not have access to fibre. The information will be available on the Parish website.

SLDC Briefing – As the new lockdown restrictions ease the cross-organisation patrols will be continuing. There will also be enforcement Marshalls who will be able to issue fixed penalty notices and security Marshalls will be sent to patrol hotspots and feed into the system for co-ordinated planned responses to any anti-social behaviour.

Ian Wharton has stated that campervans cannot legally be stopped from parking up and staying overnight.

Over 400 people are reporting to Safer Lakes to to stop anti-social behavior and there have been instances where fights have broken out and vehicles have been damaged in car parks. There have been issues at Thirlmere.

The Head of Mountain Rescue reported only 3 call outs over Easter where they would normally have had 12-15.

Restart grants of approx £32 million are opening up to leisure, retail, hotels, holiday parks, holiday lets etc to help businesses get started again after a long period of being closed.

CRIME FIGURES

Crime figures can be obtained via the Cumbria Police Website:

<https://www.cumbria.police.uk/Your-Area/Your-area.aspx>

Alternatively use the following link:

<https://www.police.uk/>

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CRIME PREVENTION

Across the whole of the county, there have been incidences of rural theft, particularly machinery and tools. Please ensure that all sheds, outbuildings and garages are secured and keys for vehicles are kept secure.

Please be vigilant and report any suspicious activity.

Cumbria Constabulary are currently carrying out operations with other agencies and community volunteers targeting rural crime.

123.3. Requests for Dispensations: None.

123.4. Declarations of Interest: Counsellors were asked to update declaration of interest forms.

123.5. Minutes: The minutes of the Council meeting held on 16th March 2021 were confirmed and signed by the Chair as a true record.

123.6. Planning Matters: No Planning in this period

123.7. Financial and Administrative Matters:

123.7.a Statement of accounts reviewed.

123.7.b Payments approved

Cheque for Clerks Salary for April £136.55

Cheque for HMRC for Clerks Salary – £34.00

Cheque for CALC Membership - £112.65

Cheque for Clerk for Mileage - £22.50

Cheque for Accounts Audit - £48.00

123.8. Village Matters:

123.8.a. Forestry England is to arrange for no camping and no parking signs to be put up at Moor Lane to try and stop people staying overnight.

Litter pick will be on 25th April at 10.30am

Parish Council Elections – there was no opposition to the current Parish Councillors remaining so the Parish Council stays as is.

We do have a vacancy for a Parish Councillor if anyone is interested in joining us please contact clerk.satterthwaitepc@gmail.com

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123.9. The Lengthsman / Highways:

123.9.a We have taken on a new lengthsman Archie Workman, he is an experienced lengthsman is working for a number of other Parish Councils. He started on 1st April and has carried out a number of tasks already. He is going to restore the original old Satterthwaite signs each side of the village. If anyone has work that may need looking at please email Dawn Yoxall clerk.satterthwaitepc@gmail.com

123.9.b Highways

A letter was sent to out in relation to the stonewalls being down between Grizedale and Moortop. The response was that much of the damage is caused by deer jumping over the walls and there have been instances where car have driven in to the walls causing a lot of damage and driving off without reporting it. The loose stone has been cleared off the road.

To report any road problems directly to Cumbria County Council use the information below.

Highways Hotline - 0845 609 6609

The Highways Hotline should still be used to log defects – parishes shouldn't use their schedule to record defects.

To **report a fault** online: <http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/roads-transport/highways-pavements/reporting-problem-on-highway/reportandtrackafaultonline.asp>

To **email** your area: Betterhighways.southlakeland@cumbria.gov.uk

To **track an existing fault**: <http://hims.cumbria.gov.uk/ofr/ofrTrackFault.aspx>

Please report any highways emergencies through the **highways emergency telephone number - 0845 6096609** during office hours and via the **police** between 5pm and 8.30am

123.10. Correspondence:

The following items of correspondence were noted:

SLDC	Parish Council Elections	
CALC	Weekly Roundup	
LDNPA	Planning decisions	
LDNPA	Planning Applications	
CALC	Newsletter	Monthly
CALC	Circular	weekly email

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123.11. Council Calendar:

The following dates were noted:

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
25/4/21	Village Litter Pick	Parish Rooms 10.30am
6/5/21	Parish Council Elections	
May 2021	Parish Council Meeting	7.00pm Via Zoom

123.12 Reports

123.12.i None at this time

123.13 Council Matters None at this time.

123.14. Date of Next Meeting:

RESOLVED: the next Meeting will be on Tuesday 18th May 2021

123.14.a Items for Agenda for Next Meeting

Rural Crime

Road Nursery Lane – Signage

Clerk Contract & Pay

The Meeting closed at 8.00pm.