

TREVERBYN PARISH COUNCIL.

COUNCIL MEETING held on June 30th 2020.

Meeting held during the Coronavirus COVID 19 PANDEMIC

This consultation was conducted as a virtual meeting via Zoom

Present : Councillors – Mrs A Roberts (Chairman), L Bazeley, P. Highland, D Hooper, G Hooper, M Luke, Mrs M Rance-Matthews, Mrs S-A Saunders, M Shand, Miss K Sturtridge, Mrs A Wills and the Parish Clerk, D Stevens.

Apologies : Councillor L Bazeley (leave of absence).

There were two members of the public present.

The Chairman, Mrs A Roberts thanked everyone for their consideration and co-operation during these difficult times.

There were no declarations of interest.

Min 44/20 Public Question Time

The Chairman invited Mr. Tim Lewis, Chairman of Roche Angling Club to address the meeting on the current problems being experienced at Treskilling and Innis lakes. He explained that there had been numerous incidents of anti-social behaviour, threats to members, poaching and trespassing. It was explained to Mr. Lewis that PCSO Tibbles had earlier in the evening informed the Parish Council of the recent involvement by the Police. Councillors then asked various questions and agreed that a meeting be set up at the site with representatives of the Angling Club, Imerys, Sustrans Trails and the Council to establish the boundary perimeters and rights of way around the lakes.

Min 45/20 Minutes of Meeting held on May 26th 2020.

The minutes of the meeting held on May 26th 2020 had been circulated and will be approved at the next appropriate meeting once normality resumes and the opportunity to hold meetings becomes available.

Min 46/20 Matters arising from the minutes.

Matters to report on from the May 26th meeting

- (i) Min 38/20 The Clerk confirmed that Cornwall Council had been informed to remove the recycling banks at Trethurgy Village Hall by September.
- (ii) Min 43/20 It was confirmed that Imerys had listened to the public pressure and placed a permanent flag-pole at the top of Great Treverbyn Sky-tip.

- (iii) Min 43/20 The Clerk had been in conversations with Ian Powell re a service in remembrance of VJ Day at sunset (20.20) On August 15th.

Min 47/20 County Councillor's Report.

Cllr Mrs S-A Saunders reported:

- Cornwall Council is slowly unravelling from lockdown and starting to get back to normal.
- Cormac were working at Trethowel connecting the pipework to the conduit but for the time being the fences will remain around the play equipment (similar at all Council owned play-areas). Speeding vehicles had also created issues during lockdown. The Clerk read current figures that had been obtained from the Police stating that 13 tickets had been issued during the period May 22nd -May 31st with Treverbyn Road, St Austell being the worse area in our Parish. It was emphasised that further speed checks were likely.
- Attended recently a Zoom meeting with residents along the B3274 corridor for an update on progress for the A30 link road. There are no expected delays on the project and currently various seasonal ecological and archaeological surveys are being undertaken.
- Following a recent meeting of the Minorca Lane Working Group it had been decided to re-evaluate the aims and current policy of the group and try to involve more senior officials from Cornwall Council.
- Cllr G Hooper enquired from the County Councillor if she was aware that a roof had been installed on the double storey building at the top of Caudledown Lane. Cllr Saunders confirmed that she would check the situation with the Planning Enforcement team and report back.

Cllr M Luke reported:

- Work had continued online with licensing applications to Cornwall Council licensing committee,
- He felt that the meetings with other councillors in the Clay Community Area network had been very useful.
- He had spoken to John Hodkin, Ecobos on the works at the West Carclaze Garden Village, which had continued during the lockdown. He had reported that SW Water would be commencing their work in the near future but the Department of Education were being awkward in the consultations on the proposed new school.

Both County Councillors had been very active in supporting local businesses, volunteering with deliveries from Treverbyn Community Hall and Doctor's prescriptions.

Min 48/20 Matters within the Parish

- (i) The Clerk stated that the replacement bus shelter had been installed at Rosevear Corner. It was not possible to place a seat purely because Health & Safety restrictions would not allow any passing area without walking on to the road.
- (ii) Litter pick in Bugle Skateboard Park organised by Jo Rusbridge involved over 20 people. It is hoped to do this on a fortnightly basis.

- (iii) Notice of the Stopping Up Order at Carbis Road (Eden Road).
- (iv) Numerous complaints at the state of the grass in the Cornwall Council owned Bugle Park.
- (v) Councillors had been circulated on the intention that the Forest of Cornwall team would be looking to plant trees in the Trethowel play area. The only concern was that the tree roots might affect the new drainage scheme in the field.
- (vi) Cllr M Shand reported that the footpath by the Viridor entrance on the A30 just above Stenalees roundabout was heavily overgrown and the nearby trees are causing issues as the public are unable to pass easily. Cllr Mrs S-A Saunders would contact Cormac.
- (vii) Correspondence was read from Community Network Manager Tasha Davis giving details of the significant increase in trespass and motorcyclists on Imerys land.
- (viii) Cllr Mrs S-A Saunders had been informed that a 12 year- old young man who lived in Fore Street, Bugle was assisting in litter picking and cleaning up the area on 2-3 days per week. It was felt that this outstanding work should be recognised as a possible candidate for the Good citizen award. The Clerk agreed to chase up the details of the Good Citizen scrolls advertised in the Clerk & Council's magazine.

Min 49/20 Finance

Councillors were presented with a list of Income & Expenditure Accounts for the month ending June 30th 2020. A detailed breakdown of transactions was given and acknowledged to be correct however full approval will be sought at the next appropriate meeting. Proposed by Cllr M Luke, seconded by Cllr Mrs A Wills.

Min 50/20 Correspondence

The Clerk has kept councillors informed by forwarding matters of interest and importance.

- Latest Cornwall Council and CALC Covid19 information are regularly circulated.
- Correspondence from BHIB, Council insurers suggesting that following recent attacks on statues and war memorials Councils should review the value of and possible costs of repair or replacement of such items. The Clerk to contact Kernow Memorials.

Min 51/20 Maintenance review

Consideration was given to correspondence from Luxulyan Parish Council that suggested a letter be sent to the local MP requesting that ,for the health and long term welfare of all members of the public in our region, the lockdown should be maintained until the Government can ensure that reasonable precautions will be taken to avoid tourists avoid spreading more of the virus around the County.

Councillors voted against supporting the proposal as the MP for St Austell was promoting a move to encourage tourists to visit Cornwall.

