

Minutes of the Meeting of
PERTON PARISH COUNCIL
held at the Perton Civic Centre on
Monday 12th March 2007 @ 7:00pm

Present A.K.James [Chairman]
Mrs.R.Heseltine [Vice Chairman]
Mrs P.Allen
Mrs. P.N. Pitt
Mrs P.C.Bromley
D.Billson
A.A. Bourke
N.P.Caine
C.J.Bromley
R.J.Marshall

Members of the Public present : 10
Journalist from Wolverhampton Chronicle – Claire Bustin
Neighbourhood Police PCSOs – Rachael Street and Clare Clifton

205/07 **APOLOGIES**

Apologies were offered and accepted from Cllrs Mrs A.James, Mrs J.R.Williams, Mrs P.M.French and R.French.

206/07 **PUBLIC OPEN SESSION**

Mr A.Bickley, Portrush Road reiterated his concerns from the February meeting concerning the traffic calming measures at St Andrews Drive and The Parkway where the conflict between the chicane and the crossing continues to be a cause of concern, and the redundant lighting from the previous warning sign was still in-situ. He has spoken with Cllr Mrs R.Heseltine and is awaiting a site meeting to be established with representation from Staffs CC Highways Division.

Cllr Mrs P.Bromley said that she had raised the same concerns before the work was carried out and suggested that the area is 'an accident waiting to happen'.

Cllr A.A.Bourke stated that it was necessary for somebody to take ownership of the meeting to ensure that it happened.

Cllr D.Billson said that he had attended an on-site meeting prior to the works and some residents had requested that the chicane at the southern side be left in place.

Cllr N.P.Caine stated that the original suggestion had been to remove both of the chicanes.

Cllr R.J.Marshall assured the meeting that he had received assurance from the Highways Division that they would participate in a meeting and it was simply a case of agreeing the date and time.

Cllr Mrs P.Allen suggested that the meeting should take place at the end of the working day to maximise participation of local residents. She stated that a key consideration should be the priority of the lights and that all new traffic calming introductions will be reviewed after a year in operation.

Cllr A.K.James stated that following various items of feedback it was fairly clear

that the road system is not the correct one for the area.

RESOLVED that Cllr R.J.Marshall will seek to establish an on-site meeting to take place on Monday 19th March between 5.00 and 6.00 pm and advise the Clerk accordingly. The Clerk will also flag this intent to Simon Cartledge and additionally inform him that the redundant light and post has still not been removed.

Mrs J.Naylor of Oatlands Way requested the provision of both litter bins and dog bins in the vicinity of the Lower Lake.

Cllr P.Allen stated that at one time there had been two bins in the area.

RESOLVED that the Clerk will pass this request to Bob Taylor at SSDC.

207/07 **POLICE MATTERS**

A) Police Report

Reported Crime Figs- Police Report 13/02/2007 to 12/03/2007

Rowdy / asb behaviour	10	(note 1)
Asb Vehicles	2	(note 2)
C Damage	2	(note 3)
Damage to M.Vehicle	4	(note 4)
Burglary Dwelling	-	
Theft M.Vehicle/Two	2	(note 5)
Theft from M. Vehicle	2	(note 6)
Theft Other	2	(note 7)
Shop Theft	2	(note 8)
Assault	-	
Robbery	1	(note 9)
Fraud / Forgery	1	(note 10)
Other info		(note 11)

(Note 1) Locations include Sutherland Road - garage area being frequented by teenagers. Complaint 25 Feb about under age drinking and litter.

Severn Drive - egg throwing and door knocking into Tangmere Close.

Anders Square - footballing outside Home & Motorsave. 3 x 18yr old youths stopped and identified.

Cheriton Grove alleyway/subway - 2 Mar. Underage drinking.Approx 20 teenagers dispersed upon arrival of Police.Names obtained. Alcohol confiscated.

Anders Square - footballing outside 'Flamingo Restaurant'.20 Feb. Details of offenders obtained by PCSO's.

Cheriton Grove - alleyway/subway - 23 Feb.Underage drinking.Alcohol seized.

Browning Grove - Alleyway rear of houses.24 Feb .Youths congregating and confronted by resident.

Browning Grove -Alleyway.Underage drinking 9 Mar.

Hi visibilty patrols increased in Anders Square to deal with these complaints.

(Note 2) Gainsborough Drive,Pavillion car park 21.30hrs 26 Feb continues to be a source of complaint about loud music and screeching tyres.

(Note 3) Lowry Close/Gainsborough Drive lockup garage area. 19 Jan. 4 local boys age 10yrs are being interviewed in connection with jumping from garage roof

onto roof of parked BMW causing £1,300 damage.

Window Sandown 1st school broken overnight 15 / 16 Feb.

(Note 4) Rear windscreen of blue Rover smashed overnight Manston Drive 23 / 24 Feb.

Door kicked on a silver Peugeot parked in Church Road, Perton bet 2000 - 2330hrs. Vehicle owner is known to frequent this location on a regular basis.

(Note 5) Silver BMW stolen with keys from the Stourbridge area recovered 27 Feb in Browning Grove.

White Audi 'R' registered stolen from Auden Court 8 / 9 Mar with steering lock fitted still outstanding.

(Note 6) 'Tom Tom' sat nav stolen from dashboard of a vehicle parked overnight 5 / 6 Mar in Richmond Drive.

Front number plate stolen from a red Peugeot 205 overnight 18 / 19 Feb from Gainsborough Drive.

(Note 7) Theft of a pedal cycle from o/s Sainsbury's store 8 Mar. 14yr old boy, former resident on Police bail.

Two local 10yr old boys have been interviewed in connection with theft of a motorised Chair from Corsers Court 8 Mar. Decision awaited

(Note 8) Prolific Wolverhampton shoplifter has been identified from CCTV for theft of champagne from Sainsbury's.

(Note 9) 31yr old man robbed of £7.00 rear of Auden Court 0100hrs Saturday 10 Mar. Offenders had faces covered and ran away in direction of Mercia Drive. Victim NOT seriously hurt. Area search negative.

(Note 10) Two fraudulent transactions reported to police by Perton man using Lloyds TSB on-line banking.

(Note 11) Nuisance resident of Hamble Grove subject of numerous previous complaints has since surrendered tenancy and vacated address.

Any information can be left on our voicemails, in confidence, on 08453 303132. (04259 PC Lampitt) (03537 PC Hossack)(08861 PCSO Wilkes)(08862 PCSO Street).

Following the distribution of the Police report the PCSOs were able to report that as their formal training sessions neared closure they had already been able to intervene successfully having stopped football games and some alcohol related nuisance. They stated that they were not allowed to be involved in situations of a 'confrontational' type.

Cllr C. Bromley asked if any 'Special Constables' were still involved at Perton. PCSO Rachael Street advised that this was the case but they seldom overlapped since both the shift patterns and areas of focus for the PCSOs and Specials were somewhat different.

Cllr Mrs P. Allen queried the report item under note 9 concerning theft from Corsers Court stating that the security levels at that site were quite high. She stated that she was alarmed by the fact that local boys aged 10 had been caught stealing and the parents of these children apparently knew neither where they were nor what they were doing. The PCSOs said that this was still under investigation and no additional details were available. It was there on-going intention to identify all such local youths and seek to build relationships to both prevent such occurrences or to have a better level of knowledge after this type of incident.

Cllr D.Billson requested clarification of the item under note 10 concerning on-line fraudulent transactions. – No additional information could be provided by the PCSOs.

The Clerk asked the PCSOs if they would pay special attention to the Bus Shelters since following refurbishment some had already been the target of damage and graffiti on more than one occasion, the PCSOs agreed to do this.

B) Civic Centre Occupation and Emergency Bus Lane Access

Cllr A.K.James was able to comment on his recent meeting with Chief Constable Swift when he had passed a dossier of information to the Chief Constable. He said that at the moment the two big issues were the police occupation of the Civic Centre and the emergency opening of the 'Buses Only' lane. The letter from Inspector Shannaghan on this matter was noted.

Cllr C.Bromley asked if Wolverhampton City Council were aware of and involved in this matter. Cllr A.K.James replied stating that it was a matter for Staffordshire Police to own and to take responsibility for the process and communication since they would be the front end responsible for implementing the action.

208/07 **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

Cllr Mrs P.Allen declared personal interest in the agenda items concerning request for grants from both Perton Carnival and PPFA. The PPFA item also received declarations of personal interest from Cllrs Mrs P.C.Bromley, Mrs R.Heseltine, Mrs P.N.Pitt, C.J.Bromley and A.K.James. Cllr A.K.James also declared personal interest in the agenda item for the Childrens Playground involving DowntoEarth Limited.

209/07 **MINUTES**

RESOLVED that the draft minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on 12th February 2007 be confirmed as a true record and the Chairman of the Council duly signed them.

RESOLVED that the draft minutes of the Special Meeting of the Parish Council held on 26th February 2007 be confirmed as a true record and the Chairman of the Council duly signed them.

210/07 **CLERKS REPORT MARCH 2007**

Matters still ongoing as at 6th March 2007

- New Drain Request – Sandown Drive. Agreed by Staffs CC Highways Division, minimum of eight weeks to complete (David Wright)
- Blocked Drain – Auden Court. Not owned by Council – Responsibility of Housing Association.

- Subway Repainting – Budget requested from Cllr R.J.Marshall via Highways Bridges Group. Works agreed (likely one subway initially to test viability) to commence very soon.

Cllr R.J.Marshall was further able to confirm that the CC Development / Structures department, under Bob Allen, had definitely committed to do this work during March but would not take responsibility for regular cleaning but would provide the equipment to enable the Parish to do so. Cllr C.J.Bromley said that this work was not the responsibility of the Parish Council and we should be wary of accepting the responsibility.

The Clerk said that since this area had a long history of issues and the painting was by way of a 'trial' for this type of solution he would see if the part time litter warden could make visits from time to time but this would be an interim measure.

- Additional Salting Bin, Richmond Drive – Existing bin does not conform to 'points' system for provision nor does new site. (David Wright)

It was felt that this response from Staffs CC was not helpful since a request for additional facilities should not be responded to with a threat to lose what you already have. However in this instance it was decided not to pursue at the current time.

- St Andrews Drive Chicane – Cllrs A.K.James & Mrs R.Heseltine to liaise and set site meeting with Staffs CC Highways Division.

Meeting set via Public Session above.

- Appointment of External Auditor – Audit Commission retained for 2006/07.
- Revised 'Consultation' Model Code of Conduct for Local Authority Members held in Clerks Office
- Community Toolkit Training – Training event at Codsall Council offices on 21st March run by 'Live & Local' for interested parties.
- Perton Friendship Club – Letter of thanks for provision of reduced 'Concessionary' Room Hire Rates.
- New Bus Shelter – Gainsborough Drive
 - Now erected / concrete floor laid. Complete and fully paid for.
 - Request submitted to Staffs CC for 25% (£1302.00).
- Perton Walkers Map – Final proof now under review and printing of maps is imminent.

RESOLVED that the Perton Walkers Map will be subject to a charge of 20p per copy.

- **RESOLVED** that the Clerk should chase up the Staffs CC Highways office via David Wright to obtain an update on the proposed landscape requirement at Livingstone Drive.

211/07 **PROPOSED AGENDA FOR ANNUAL PARISH MEETING – WEDNESDAY 4th APRIL, 2007**

RESOLVED that the Agenda is acceptable subject to the addition of an item to cover 'Chairmans Report'.

212/07 **REQUEST FOR CONCESSIONARY ROOM HIRE RATE / GRANT**

A) Sandown Parents & Friends Association – Fundraising Barn Dance

RESOLVED that this organisation and event qualifies for the Concessionary Room Hire Rate.

B) Perton Carnival 2007

RESOLVED that the Carnival be awarded a grant in the sum of £350.00 to cover Event Insurance.

C) Wombourne Music Centre

RESOLVED that this organisation and event qualifies for the Concessionary Room Hire Rate.

D) Perton Playing Fields Association

RESOLVED that the PPFA receive their second half year grant of £2000.00.

213/07 **A41/A464 ROAD JUNCTION – CLLR A.K.JAMES**

The Chairman thanked Cllr R.J.Marshall for the visibility and progress he has achieved on this matter. He further stated that following further incidents at this junction it was necessary to make attempts to reduce the speed limit and make the intersection 'idiot proof'.

Cllr D.Billson said that he had recently spent a good deal of time with three men sent from Staffs CC to conduct an inspection of the junction, this group included the appropriate Department Head. He was able to provide local knowledge regarding the issues and the inspectors provided feedback concerning the actions they would like to take. These include moving the lights back along the A464 to provide earlier and improved visibility, the merging of two lanes into one on both sides (Cosford to Wolverhampton and Wolverhampton to Cosford) via improved road markings and the addition of a traffic light controlled green light right turn on the Cosford to Wolverhampton carriageway.

Cllrs Mrs P.C Bromley & C.J.Bromley, having offered apologies in advance, left the meeting.

214/07 **NEW YEARS EVE CHARITY / COMMUNITY BENEFICIARIES**

A) Traffic Island Re-Planting – Partnership SSDC / PPC / Wild about Perton

Cllr Mrs P.Allen expressed concern regarding the type of planting proposed and the planting layout. Previous schemes had not produced the desired outcomes. **RESOLVED** in principle to spend the remaining £500.00 (contribution for plants) towards this project subject to agreement to the planting schedule and plan which must be produced by SSDC in time for the April Parish Council meeting.

215/07 **PERTON CIVIC CENTRE – PAINTING OF FOYER**

The Clerk informed the meeting that with Easter pending and some slack time on Tuesday evenings there was opportunity for the Caretaker to repaint the foyer walls which are now looking rather jaded.

RESOLVED that the re-painting be commenced ASAP and will be done using 'Magnolia' emulsion throughout in order to lighten / freshen appearance and to aid simple on-going maintenance painting as required.

216/07 **CHILDRENS' PLAYGROUND**

A) Assessment / Quotation

The Council considered a sample plan layout procured by the Clerk as a speculative example as to what could be achieved.

Cllr Mrs P.Allen commented on the cost of the paths in relation to the cost of the play apparatus and suggested that more should be spent on play and less on paths.

Cllr R.J.Marshall suggested that it was important to get the focus right on the intended target 'age groups' since feedback from Codsall playground indicated that it was excellent for five years old but poor for ten years old.

Cllrs Mrs P.Pitt and A.A.Bourke suggested that several local businesses derived benefit from the existence of the playground and it may be worthwhile to invite them to contribute.

RESOLVED that this matter be deferred until May when it can be reconsidered by the new Parish Council. Meanwhile the Clerk will write to the Brewery, Sainsburys and the Housing Associations to obtain recognition of the need and request financial contributions.

B) Remedial Work Quotations

RESOLVED that this matter be deferred until May when it can be reconsidered by the new Parish Council.

217/07 **SOUTH STAFFS DISTRICT COUNCIL**

A) MUGA Update

Cllr.R.J.Marshall explained to the meeting that unfortunately the deadline for the March submission in respect to the £200k lottery funding for 'Childrens Play Strategy' had been missed and this meant a delay until September 2007 since this was the next available date for bid submission. He did state, however, that he was

very confident that it will happen and that Perton Parish will eventually become a recipient of at least a fifth of the amount allocated to South Staffs. He said the problem had arisen since a number of important meetings had been missed and the officers of SSDC had been surprised at the amount of work involved in the application which had not been foreseen.

The Parish Council were very concerned to hear this news and raised a number of questions and comments.

Cllr Mrs P.Pitt asked how this had happened and who was responsible?

Cllr A.A.Bourke said that he was very disappointed and that the kids of Perton had been let down by the portfolio holder.

Cllr Mrs.P.Allen said that it was a great shame that the kids of Perton have to live with yet more delay and many are getting older and would lose interest before the facilities were ever provided, she said that the Members at SSDC were to blame rather than the officers. She further queried why SSDC are not using their reserves to fund this project.

Cllr A.K.James said that from his own experience this and similar types of funding can take months if not years and the reserves would not be used because the fiscal system does not work that way. He said that it may be necessary in the future to use Capital Grants & Loans.

Cllr D.Billson said that it was a cheek to criticise the SSDC Members since he personally had been working on the financial initiative for two years and the comments were intended to show the project as somebody else's initiative which was not the case.

Cllr A.A.Bourke said it was as long ago as 10th July 2006 when he had originally asked the question regarding the availability of these funds.

Cllr Mrs P.Allen denied that she was seeking to claim ownership of the project and said her comments were based on the fact that the project was a Parish Council project and as such she is entitled to comment and express serious concerns.

B) 2007 Elections Timetable

The timetable was noted and the Chairman requested that all key public notices should be copied to him for display at Kingswood.

C) Parish / District Liaison Group Consultation

The Council felt that this matter was pertinent to the 'new Council' and as such the item should be held over until the May meeting of the new Council.

D) Councillors Report

Cllr D.Billson reported that a licence had been granted for the next 'V-Festival' and that all tickets had been sold Also that the scrutiny committee were looking at the requirement for CCTV throughout the area. Additionally, having recently been involved in the core strategy for Black Country Housing from now until 2026 he was able to state that SSDC had enough stock of housing land for the targeted number plus surplus. It is not, however, envisaged that there will be a major development area but more likely small numbers of homes would be added to each village to promote 'sustainable communities'.

Cllr N.P.Caine stated that he had nothing to report.

Cllr R.J.Marshall said that he had received a request from CAB to have their room back. However the Clerk advised that this probably related to the small room within the CAB current facility which has been 'locked-off' by the Police due to security

aspects of their intended occupation of the Civic Centre. Cllr Marshall also commented on S.Staffs housing options and then stated that the Leisure Centres were becoming more financially efficient and that generally income is now in the region of 90% of expenses.

Cllr A.K.James reported that following several reports of water logged paths in the area around the lake he had been in touch with Mrs Barbara Juniper and was able to say that work was in progress on a number of ad-hoc drainage issues to resolve the worst problems.

Cllr Mrs P.Allen brought it to the attention of the Parish Council that the Church is working a feasibility study to tarmac over a significant part of the rear garden area and rail fence it. This enclosed area would then be available to give the children of Perton Village Nursery a larger enclosed play area.

218/07 **STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

A) County Councillors' Report

Cllr R.J.Marshall reported as follows;

- 1) With regard to the evening use of the Library Room he had exchanged e-mails with R.Coggins, Staffs CC Youth Officer, and his response had been that the room would open for one and half hours on a Thursday evening (when other youth facilities are available) rather than the requested three hours on a Friday evening.

RESOLVED that the Clerk contact Richard Coggins to re-iterate the preference of the Parish Council with regard to Friday evening opening.

- 2) With regard to the pending closing of Care Homes this move has been officially challenged and is now subject to a court holding injunction, Further details are available via Staffs CC.
- 3) The Council budget has now been passed. This sets the County Council precept at a 4.9% increase over last year which was achieved by the utilisation of £12.5M of reserve and £24.2M of borrowing, without these measures the increase required would be 19%. The new level of borrowing takes the County Council overall debt to £340M; needless to say many fiscal aspects are subject to cut backs including the roads budget.

Cllr Mrs P.Allen advised the members of a meeting on 8th March at Perton Library with the District Manager – Graham Riley and his Area Manager Alison Reynolds regarding the possible provision of an 'Internet Café'. She was able to state that the Internet café at Wombourne Library had proved to be very successful although there are some issues with regard to staffing. The proposal would be to convert existing space to be re-utilised as an Internet Café and it had been agreed that an architect would be invited to look at the opportunity to find a method of opening the facility whilst the library is otherwise shut and to utilise the existing network in the existing meeting room to create the Internet Café. She stated that an application could be made to 'Learn Direct' to seek possible funding and she also thanked Cllr R.J.Marshall for attending the meeting and giving support.

Cllr R.J.Marshall commented that the provision of an 'Internet Café' seemed feasible and that not a lot of money would be required for the modification to the premises.

219/07 **CORRESPONDENCE**

A) Mr & Mrs WL Pace – Portman Building Society

The Council agreed that generally the loss of this facility in April was very unfortunate.

Cllr A.A.Bourke stated that recent press announcements concerning the proposed merger had stated that it would be run to suit the needs of Portman members and proposed that we write to voice our concerns. Apparently 26 branches were under threat due to under utilisation.

It was agreed that since Perton is a relatively stable community it was unlikely to produce a large amount of mortgage new business. Cllr R.J.Mashall said that the local CAB reported that 56% of all enquiries relate to debt management.

RESOLVED that the Clerk write to Portman Head Office to bring attention to the concerns of the Council and local population regarding the intended closure.

B) E.A.Johnson – Request re: Lakeside Bench

The Council stated that they would not normally act on such a matter based on a single complaint. However the Clerk stated that apparently the Police had also requested that this bench be moved due to previous incidents of anti social behaviour in the area. Additionally since SSDC had some site workers in the area over the next few days he could possibly get this work done quickly if required.

RESOLVED that the Clerk arrange the relocation of the bench to a suitable lakeside location as soon as possible.

220/07 **PLANNING COMMITTEE**

Planning Applications received from South Staffordshire Council and reviewed by the Parish since the last Parish Council meeting on Monday 12 February 2007.

Application No.	Proposals
07/00147/FUL	Single storey rear extension - 49 Leasowe Drive, Perton, South Staffordshire WV6 7TX

The Council raised no objections to the above application.

07/00129/FUL	Rear lounge extension with bedroom over - 43 Idonia Road, Perton, South Staffordshire WV6 7NQ
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The Council raised no objections to the above application subject to the usual building line arrangements.

07/00146/FUL	Outdoor children's obstacle course - Kingswood Centre, Barn Lane, Kingswood WV7 3AW
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The Council raised no objections to the above application subject to the following conditions:

1. No illumination of the area
2. Not to be used after sunset on any day of the week

07/00156/AGR	Erection of fibrous cement and concrete agricultural storage building – Bradshaws Farm Shop, Wrottesley Park Road, Perton, W'ton
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The Council would like the following comments taken into consideration when making a decision on the above application.

1. This is a 'back-door' method of obtaining a retail unit.
2. Previous objections to the size, parking arrangements and access are still applicable.
3. Objections to an out-of-town retail unit of this size still apply.
4. Question 4a (Will the building be used to house livestock) has not been answered.

Cllr Mrs P.Allen took the opportunity to expand on some of the comments above in order to give the meeting an additional level of detail.

Cllr N.P.Caine stated that the farmer has every right to request permission for such a building but on this occasion it could not proceed since the boundary was within twenty five metres of the highway. He stated that a renewed and modified application would be submitted.

Cllr D.Billson stated that he had some unofficial information that he would share with the meeting after its' formal close.

221/07 **ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT**

The Clerk reported that the following accounts duly authorized by designated Member signatories had been paid:

			£
07/02/07	BACS	Wages Week 45	1271.24
07/02/07	BACS	Inland Revenue	2472.56
07/02/07	BACS	Staffordshire County Pension Fund	1056.96
13/02/07	BACS	Wages Week 46	941.12
13/02/07	103308	Eastern Shires Purchasing Organisation	11.88
13/02/07	103308	Eastern Shires Purchasing Organisation	68.15
13/02/07	103309	Abacus Lighting Limited	3808.52
13/02/07	103309	Abacus Lighting Limited	258.50
13/02/07	103309	Abacus Lighting Limited	1348.07
13/02/07	103310	Scenexchange	123.37
13/02/07	103311	Miss S.Cole - Event Refund	150.00
13/02/07	103312	Friends of Perton 1st School	202.00
13/02/07	103313	Veolia ES (UK) Limited	183.34

19/02/07	DD	Severn Trent	125.06
21/02/07	BACS	Wages Week 47	3534.00
22/02/07	103314	RHF Heating Company Ltd	842.44
22/02/07	103315	Angela Moon - Event Refund	150.00
22/02/07	103316	R.Weatherington	600.00
27/02/07	BACS	Wages Week 48	1118.10
27/02/07	BACS	Inland Revenue	2335.68
27/02/07	BACS	Staffordshire County Pension Fund	1104.18
28/02/07	DD	Unicom	63.29
28/02/07	DD	British Gas - Electricity	491.27
28/02/07	DD	British Gas - Gas	1214.47
28/02/07	103317	Perton Village Nursery	215.90
28/02/07	103318	3rd Perton Brownies	250.00
28/02/07	103319	Post Office Ltd	243.74
28/02/07	103320	Location Maps Ltd	705.00
28/02/07	103321	Perton Place	55.00
28/02/07	103322	Brisol Limited	234.56
28/02/07	103323	Nobisco Limited	15.86
28/02/07	103323	Nobisco Limited	101.93
28/02/07	103324	Mrs C.Newill - Event Deposit Refund	50.00
28/02/07	103325	Stardust Dance Academy - Deposit Refund	50.00
28/02/07	103326	Mr J.H.Birkett - Event Deposit Refund	270.00
		TOTALS	25666.19

Cllr N.P.Caine queried cheques 103313, 103314 and 103316 and the Clerk was able to provide satisfactory explanation regarding these expenses.

DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Monday 2nd April 2007 @ 7.00 pm

The meeting closed @ 9.20 pm

Cllr. A.K.James
Chairman
2nd April 2007