

## TOPCLIFFE PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the parish council meeting held on Monday February 15th, 2010 in the village hall

Councillors present	G. Key (Chair), D. Bowman (Vice-chair), J. Heidstrom
Apologies	M. Bowen, A. Jameson-Allen, NYCC & HDC Cllr Neville Huxtable, Simon Mosley
Parishioners	3

- 10/007** It was resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on Monday January 18th, 2010 be accepted as true record and be signed by the chair.  
Proposed by DB, seconded by JH
- 10/008** Lauren Atkinson and Jen Smith spoke about the need to send the deposit to Playscheme.  
The parish council agreed to accept the playpark scheme not to exceed £25,000 net of VAT.  
Proposed by JH, seconded by DB  
It was agreed to pay the deposit of £7,500 plus VAT as a deposit to Playscheme. Proposed by JH, seconded by DB  
A discussion of preparations for the playpark open day will take place at the March parish council meeting.
- 10/009 OPEN SPACES MAINTENANCE**
- i) A thick branch has been left sticking out where hedges were trimmed at Mill Bank.
  - ii) Station Rd retaining wall to be reported to Highways as trees growing out of it. GENCA-471-8494
- 10/010 PLANNING**
- a) Reserved matters application for the construction of a new production and finishing building with associated external storage, access, parking and draining attenuation pond for Severfield Reeve Plc, Dalton Industrial Estate NO OBSERVATIONS Proposed by JH, seconded by DB
  - b) Planning permission approved  
Proposed single storey and first floor extensions to existing dwelling at Dean House, Deans Square for Mr S Halliday
- 10/011** The mowers will be serviced.  
The playing field will be rolled once the weather is drier.
- 10/012 FINANCES, CHEQUES AND COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION**
- i) Cheque for £75 was written to the Senior Citizens club. Proposed by JH seconded by DB
  - ii) Cheque for £100 was written to the school for the purchase of more garden equipment. Proposed by DB, seconded by JH
- 10/013 CORRESPONDENCE**
- i) It was agreed not to donate to Yorkshire Air Ambulance as it was seen as wrong to spend tax payers' money on something that doesn't benefit the entire community. The village hall is donating to the air ambulance this year.
  - ii) A speeding problem was discovered when the radar was placed in the village. This is going to be investigated and some enforcement action will be taken.

Next meeting: 15th March 2010 at 8pm in village hall