

CRINGLEFORD PARISH COUNCIL

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The Annual Parish Meeting of Cringleford Parish Council was held on Thursday 11 May 2017 in The Willow Centre, 1-13 Willowcroft Way, Cringleford, at 7.15p.m.

Present:-

Prof M Wagstaff – Chair
Mr M Blackie
Mr D Chaplin
Mr J Canham

Mrs I Kirk
Mr T Chiles
Mr M Scutter
Mr D Baldwin
Mr M Metcalfe

In attendance:-

Sonya Blythe – Parish Clerk
Graham Wilkins - Rector

David Bills - County Councillor
Tim Yau - Pioneer Minister

1	To accept apologies for absence
	None received.
2	To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 12 May 2016
	The minutes were confirmed as a true record and were signed by the Chairman.
3	To report matters arising from the minutes not on the agenda: for information only.
	None
4	To receive the Annual Report of the Council
	<p>The Chairman read his annual report, which was proposed and adopted (attached to these minutes as an appendix). The report will be placed onto the parish council website.</p> <p>In response to a question regarding forthcoming roadworks around the parish, the Chairman advised that Transport for Norwich and Norfolk County Council were responsible for ensuring that parishioners were aware of them. However, the Parish Council website and Facebook page were updated with roadwork information as and when received. Parishioners were advised to sign up for notifications.</p> <p>Responding to another question the Chairman reported that we did not know when Highways England would make a final decision on the proposed changes to the Thickthorn interchange, or the associated changes to Cantley Lane.</p>

	Finally the Chairman noted that it appeared that the Landfund land had now sold. No more details were known.
5	To receive the County Councillor's Report
	<p>David Bills was welcomed too the meeting and congratulated on his new role as County Councillor. He reported that he had been a District Councillor for ten years and looked forward to now being a County Councillor. He advised that he would be visiting Cringleford shortly to look at the ongoing traffic / parking issues.</p> <p>The matter of the planning application for Land West of Ipswich Road, Keswick, (2016/0764) was raised. The Chairman confirmed that CPC was aware of the application and had sent comments on the traffic implications.</p>
6	To receive the District Councillor's Report
	Dr Kemp & Mr Wheatley sent a report as they were unable to attend. This was summarised by the Chairman and would be added to the website.
7	To receive a report from Cringleford Primary School
	Mr Henry had sent a report. This was summarised by the Chairman and would be added to the website.
8	To receive parishioner's questions on local issues
	Nothing raised.
9	To receive a report from St Peters Church
	<p>Graham Wilkins and Tim Yau from St Peters Church were present. Both were new in post and were welcomed to the parish by Councillors. GW reported that he was looking forward to working with the community and providing support and care to those across all walks of life. The Church would continue to run a Lunch Club for older members of Cringleford, a Memory Café for those who have dementia and their carers, as well as running Cringletots in the Church Hall and, through the Hub, Bounce and Rhyme Toddler group in The Willow Centre. He also noted links with overseas charities through the Norwich-Tanzania Link and the Vidya Trust.</p> <p>TY reported that he had attended the Cringleford Art Trail and would like to help establish a Cinema Club with TC.</p>

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.50 p.m.