AVON DASSETT PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting held at the Reading Room on Monday 2nd August 2004

Present L. Hope-Frost, A. Fraser, K. Martin, P. Worrall, ~~Cllr Williams~~ & Clerk

NOT present LHF

In Attendance Bob Butler & Issy Seccombe

1) Apologies: D. Brangwyn

2) Declaration of Interest: None

3) Confirmation of Minutes: The minutes were proposed by P. Worrall and seconded by K. Martin, they were then signed by the Chairman.

4) Matters Arising:

Kerbing – There had still been no response to the query on the kerbing quote, although it had been promised to be faxed to the chairman. It was understood that the road was to be resurfaced in September, so it was felt no action should be taken until the road had been redone. This led on to a discussion of the provision of a disabled toilet in the Reading Room. I. Seccombe felt it may be possible to obtain a grant, therefore it was agreed that L. Hope-Frost would speak to Stratford DC regarding the problem. A. Fraser asked about the parish plan, and as there had been 5 volunteers it was agreed to ask them to requestion villagers on their suggestions for improving the village. A. Fraser offered to speak to Rob Husband.

5) Correspondence: none

6) Financial Statement:

Balances as at close of business on Monday 2nd August

Current a/c	£ 116.93 credit
Deposit a/c	£5821.14 credit

Cheques to be issued:

1) A. Del Principe (clerk's pay)	£ 70.00
2) M. Harris	£ 65.00
3) M. Harris	£ 10.00
4) Npower	£ 38.88

Payment of the cheques was proposed by K. Martin and seconded by A. Fraser.

7) Council Report: No Report.

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8) Any Other Business:

a) The Best Kept Village Competition had been judged one week early. However Avon Dassett had managed to win a silver award.L. Hope-Frost asked Bob Butler if he would like to go to collect the award on 2nd October.
b) The Open Gardens had made £1544 in total, which would be split between National Gardens Charities and Myton Hospice.
c) The pictures for the flag competition should be passed to L. Hope-Frost on the day of the fete.
d) It was agreed to go back to Thelma Watts and ask if she could do a village scene for this years xmas card.
e) The clerk was asked to speak to John Brown regarding the drains.

9) To Receive Questions from the Public:

1) It was commented about the speed of cars along the Farnborough Road. However it was felt there was nothing that could be done.
2) A suggestion was made to put the flag pole near the playground rather than on the green, due to the noise. It was agreed to firstly see the response at the fete.
3) A query was raised about the drain cover on the footpath by Spike's Cottage. It was agreed it was the landowner's responsibility, although this seemed to be in dispute.

Date of Next Meeting as agreed by all councillors

Monday 13th September @ 7.30pm in the Reading Room

Meeting closed @ 9.15pm.

Lily Hope. Rose. 13th Sept 2004.