Avon Dassett Parish Council

Minutes of meeting held at the Reading Room on Monday 10th January 2005.

Present: L. Hope-Frost, K. Martin, A. Fraser + clerk

In Attendance: Bob Butler + Rob Husband

1) Apologies: D. Branguyn, P. Worrall + Cllr C. Williams

2) Declaration of Interest: None

3) Confirmation of Minutes: The minutes were proposed by K. Martin + seconded by A. Fraser. They were then signed by L. Hope-Frost.

4) Matters Arising:

Reading Room: The new door was waiting for Peter Wallace to fix. L. Hope-Frost had bought a new light + Rob Husband offered to put it up. Clerk to chase plumber to mend basin + fit a new toilet.

5) Correspondence:

A letter had been received from Warw CC offering a supply of emergency blankets + ID badges + tabards. The council accepted the offer.

A survey had been received from Warks CC on services available to older people. Clerk to complete.

Planning - An application had been received in respect of an extension to the rear of Spires Cottage. There was no objection to the application. Consent was received to the arboricultural works at Honeysuckle Cottage, 2 Hillview.

L. Hope-Frost 02.05

Financial Statement

Balances at close of business on Monday 10th January

current a/c £591-66 credit

deposit a/c £7183-22 credit

Cheques to be issued:

1) A del Principe £70-00
2) A J. Fraser Eng £309.95
3) Profile 7000 £164-50

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

7) Council Report: None

8) Any Other Business:

a) Alan Sheasby to send an invoice for mowing the field next to the burial ground.

b) It was agreed to put the flag + pole up in order to gauge opinion to the level of noise.

c) As there was some confusion at Christmas over when the rubbish was to be collected, it was suggested that the council ask Stratford DC when the collections are to be made following bank holidays + put a note on the notice boards.

d) The rebuilding of the wall is to start at the beginning of February.

e) L. Hope-Frost proposed changing the lamp post outside Mr Helmore's house. Clerk to obtain details.

f) The appeal for poppies raised £80-22.

g) The chairman had been given two copies of the Compton Chronicle, + Avon Dassett had been invited to have a section. It was suggested it was passed to Alyson Glasspool.

To receive Questions from the Public.

a) It was suggested that the council obtain a quote for having the tubs planted professionally. ie by the company who look after the tubs at the Pub.

b) It was asked whether the hill could be cleared of leaves earlier in the Autumn. The clerk was asked to write to John Brown at County Highways about the problem.

c) It was noted there was a pothole outside Home Farm House + the clerk was asked to notify John Brown about the narrowing of the road coming down the hill, to see if it could be cleared.

Date of Next Meeting as agreed by all Councillors

Monday 14th February at 7.30pm in the Reading Room

Meeting closed at 8.40pm.

L. Hope, Chm.
14.02.05