

Kewstoke Parish Council

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Minutes of the Annual Kewstoke Parish Meeting held in the Kewstoke Village Hall on Tuesday
20th April 2017 which commenced at 7.30pm

Present: T Horry Chairman, R Adams, C Thomas, T Morris, L Jenkins, K Harper, and N Whyte
Cllr Elect R Cunningham

1. Opening of Meeting

The meeting opened at 7-30pm

2. Chairman's Introduction

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

3. Apologies for Absence

Cllrs C Bates, G Vearncombe and J MacDonald
Unitary Members Roz Willis, L Pilgrim

4. Adoption of the Minutes of the Council Meeting of May 9th 2016

These were adopted as read

5. Matters Arising not included on the agenda as a Matter of Report

None not Agenda items

6. Chairman's Report

The Chairman thanked the Members of the Parish Council for their support during what has proved to be a very difficult year for the Council. He regretted no Members of the public were present
A great deal has been achieved with the projects brought to completion

7. Financial Report

The Clerk highlighted the points of his report to the meeting of which a copy is attached to these minutes. It covered the use of reserves, highlighting work to be carried out on the coming year and reflected on the work completed

8. Sand Bay Management Committee

The Chairman gave an update on the work of the committee which meets twice a year. Some of the issues of concern were the state of the dunes and the increasing number of times the wind whips up sand onto paths and roads, The Boardwalk in conjunction with the new coastal footpath and the issues of disability use of the sea shore

Issues were raised about dog fouling and the attitude of dog owners who allow their dogs to foul the beach area by several residents. A general discussion took place and the advice was to try and identify the car, the person and let the parish know and then we can pressurize NSDC to action

9. Toilets

The Clerk highlighted the problems of the toilet block and the challenges that the first year had brought. It was to the credit of the work of the operative and mainly two Councillors that have kept the cost to a minimum

Traffic Management Discussion of Consultation/Report.

Councillors between them discussed informally the issues relating to traffic, car parks and on road parking and were concerned for this in the future.

It will clearly be an issue for the Parish Council to deal with over the coming year

Other issues were generally discussed but as the public were not present these were referred to the Parish Council.

The meeting closed at 8-20pm