

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL
held on Thursday 11th July 2024

Commenced 7.30pm

Concluded 8.28pm

Present: Cllrs Walton, Davis, R Whitaker, C Whitaker, Jessup, Russell, O'Dwyer, Naylor, Wogden and Ford. Public [2]

Cllr Davis in the Chair

1. Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Smith
2. Acceptance of reasons for any apologies not applicable
3. Declaration of interests were made by Cllrs Jessup and C Whitaker for item 8
4. Police report circulated by the clerk
5. The meeting of Silsden Town Council held on 6th June 24 were signed as a true and accurate record.
6. ADJOURNMENT – none
7. ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

1. Agreed payments ;

L Corcoran	salary	1982	869.21
Inland Revenue	tax and NI	1983	30.60
FOSTH	donation	1984	20000.00
P Rance	lengthsman	s/o	950.00

8. Resolved to grant Friends of Silsden Town Hall £20,000 towards ongoing running costs.

9. PLANNING:

24/O2136/HOU | Installation of air source heat pump | 3 Canal Side Silsden Keighley West Yorkshire BD20 0LJ STC objects to this application on the grounds that there is insufficient, and contradictory information in this application and we request it be resubmitted when complete.

24/O2327/HOU | Demolition of existing conservatory and erection of single storey extension with raised platform leading to patio | 19 Woodside Road Silsden Keighley West Yorkshire BD20 0BN – No objection.

STC resolved to send an additional letter of support to the first Secretary of State for planning inspectorate with regards to construction of farm shop and first floor cafe with associated car parking Appeal Number: 24/00052/APPFL2 Inspectorate Reference Number: APP/W4705/W/24/3346953

10. STC resolved to invite Highway Delivery Unit Bradford to attend a council meeting
11. Silsden Play Park Area refurbishment – council support the proposal but requested that the sandbox be exchanged for additional seating in the younger play area.
12. The Policy Working Group have submitted a draft policy for Grit Bins which was accepted in principal but further work and clarification required on how this is to be rolled out and what budget requirements need to be taken into consideration for the next precept.
13. Resolved that TC request the Ward Cllrs to chase a response and acknowledgement on our behalf for information regarding electricity to the Bandstand Project
14. Agreed the date of the next meeting as the 5th of September reserving the right to call a meeting in August should anything urgent need dealing with.

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Chair 5/9/24