

**Minutes of Brook Parish Council Meeting held in the  
Village Hall on Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> January 2015**

**Present** Peter Webb in the Chair  
Janet Jessop  
John Tomkins

Simon Betty  
Janet Medhurst  
Erica Forbes

To be actioned by

The meeting started at 7.00pm	
There were no apologies for absence	
<b>Declaration of interest in items on the agenda</b> There were no declarations of interest.	
<b>Minutes</b> of the Meeting on 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2014 were approved as a true record.	
<b>Matters Arising from the Minutes</b> The Christmas tree has been taken down and the lights stored for use again next year, thanks were expressed to Cllrs Tomkins and Betty for their help. The 40mph sign still needs to be removed, the Clerk is to chase this. Mr Kemp has been approached about the hole in the hedge and the horses getting out, it is noted that the responsibility for the safety of his animals lies with Mr Kemp.	TB
<b>Finances</b> The Financial Statement was circulated. There were 2 cheques to be signed, Fenland Leisure Products for £104.40 and the Pilgrims Hospice for £20.00 for the removal of the Christmas tree. A budget against expenditure was also circulated.	
<b>Playground</b> The swing seats have arrived and will be fitted in due course. Cllr Betty reported that the fence needs stapling on the edges. Weekly inspections of the playground are being undertaken.	
<b>Contingency Plan</b> A public meeting has been arranged for 7.30pm in the Village Hall on 19 <sup>th</sup> February, flyers will be produced and delivered to the houses in Brook.	
<b>Planning Applications</b> A planning application for Mandy has been received. There were no objections raised and the Clerk is to respond to the Borough Council to this effect.	
<b>Correspondence</b> The Clerk had circulated the Police report. The Clerk asked about whether advertisements should be placed in time for elections to take place. The Councillors are to consider whether they wish to stand again.	
<b>Public Participation</b> There were no members of public present.	
<b>Any Other Business</b> The trees at the front of the village hall have now been cut back.	
<b>The next meeting</b> was confirmed as Thursday, 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2015, the Clerk would like any items for the agenda by Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> February, please.	All
There being no further business, the meeting was declared closed at 7.50 PM.	