

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF CODNOR PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON  
MONDAY, 13 MARCH, 2006 AT PEVEREL HOUSE, CODNOR**

Present: Cllr Mrs A Moon (Chair).

Cllrs Mrs C Cox, C Emmas-Williams, I Fisher, D Holmes, A Longdon, R Moon (part-time), Mrs D Nicholls, G Parkes.

Special Constable D Fearn.

**31. APOLOGIES**

Cllrs P Smith, G Whalley, M Whittall & WPC S Rohde & Mr I Fletcher.

**32. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS**

None.

**33. DETERMINATION OF ANY ITEMS TO BE TAKEN IN EXCLUSION**

None.

**34. MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting held on 13 February, 2006 were approved and signed by the Chair.

**35. POLICE MATTERS**

Special Constable Fearn was congratulated on his award as Derbyshire Special Constable of the Year.

There had been a number of reports of criminal damage and problems with motorcyclists. Complaints from residents had resulted in Police action against an individual.

It was noted that there had been a prosecution in connection with dog fouling.

Two incidents of vandalism to the planters on Alfreton Road had been reported by AVBC and crime numbers issued.

**36. MATTERS ARISING**

Minute Number 24 – Quality Councils – Members discussed the White Paper that was due to be issued in the Summer. An item was to be placed on a future agenda when this information was available.

### 37. ENVIRONMENT

a. A litter pick would take place starting from the Alfreton Road car park on Saturday, 25 March 2006.

b. Cllr Mrs Nicholls reported that large items of rubbish were being left on the allotments close to the Jessop Street entrance. It was noted that the hedges needed to be cut and the Clerk was to contact the Allotment Association.

28.2.06 - Confirmation had been received from Shipley Garden Centre and Manthorpe Engineering that they would continue to sponsor the Best Kept Garden and Allotment Competitions.

28.2.06 - The booking with Firework Display Specialists for the bonfire event had been confirmed.

### 38. ALLOTMENTS

Detailed information was still required before a response could be sent to Government Office East Midlands.

### 39. CORRESPONDENCE

#### From AVBC

Spring/Summer – Amber Valley Arts newsletter.

#### From DCC

17.2.06 – Condition of the Public Rights of Way Network.

#### Various

13.2.06 – Amber Valley Patient and Public Involvement Forum.

### 40. PLANNING

#### Applications

0257 – Re-submission – erection of replacement dwelling (modified scheme)  
– 120 Codnor Denby Lane.

#### Granted

0031 – Rear two storey extension to form dining room – 47 Denby Lane.

0053 – Change of use of one room of the first floor flat as an office space at 19-21 High Street.

0074 – Resubmission for variation of condition 3 of 1385 to extend opening hours – 19-21 High Street.

Refused

0104 – Demolition of existing dwelling and garage and erection of 5 two storey dwellings – 100 Glasshouse Hill.

20.2.06 – Notice of intention to adopt and further modifications to proposals for the replacement of a Local Plan.

Various

The Planning Inspectorate – Footpath from Codnor Gate to Stirland Street – Modification order 2000 – A statement in support of the proposal was to be issued.

Tree Preservation Order – No. 51 – The Vicarage, 20 Denby Lane. Members objected to this proposal.

**41. STAFFING MATTERS**

a. The new Parish Warden, Mr D Hemsell had commenced work on 6 March. A number of additional draft documents (from AVBC) relating to the contract of employment had been passed to the Chair for agreement.

b. Interviews for the post of Clerk/Responsible Financial Officer would take place on 16 March, 2006 with a view to the successful applicant commencing on 1 April, 2006.

**42. GRANT APPLICATION**

An application for financial support had been received from Amber Valley Access.

**RESOLVED:** That a Section 137 Grant of £100 be awarded to Amber Valley Access.

**43. PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS**

That the following accounts be paid:-

	£
Harlite	8645.12
Powergen	176.95
S Bruckshaw	267.80
Johnston Publishing Limited	152.18
DALC	490.43
DCC (Room Hire)	10.00
D Hemsell	9.99

**44. MATTERS RAISED BY COUNCILLORS**

a. The annual Civic Service had taken place. Members had been approached with a request to install Memorial Plaques in the village. The Clerk was to contact the Vicar to query the ownership of the Lych-gate at the Church.

**RESOLVED:** It was agreed in principle to investigate the possibility of installing Memorial Plaques in the village.

b. More news items were requested for the updated web site.

c. An event involving the Scouts group would take place at St. James' on St. George's Day.

**45. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting would take place on Monday, 10 April, 2006 at 7.30 p.m. at Peverel House.

The meeting closed at 8.00 p.m.