

Minutes of the Meeting of the Braintree Parish Council held
on Monday 10th February 1975 at the Women's Institute at
7.30 p.m.

Present: Mrs C. H. Baskham in the Chair, Mrs S. C. L. Bacon, Mrs S. M. Bell,
Mrs L. L. Lobb, Mrs L. L. Lobb and Mrs L. L. Lobb.

Apologies: None.

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 13th January 1975 were
read and approved.

Matters arising: (i) The Clerk reported that the various matters raised with
the Divisional Surveyor had been dealt with. The Council
instructed the Clerk to write to Mr. Morgan, again and
tell him there was a large puddle ~~outside~~ the
post box outside the W.I. Hall. The Clerk was asked
to ask him ~~about~~ ~~the~~ to deal with the puddles in
Church Lane.

(ii) The Clerk presented an estimate from Mr. Hurrell
amounting to £12 for the repair of the bus shelter. The Council
approved this.

(iii) The Clerk said that he had heard no more from
the Council regarding the provision of a public house.

(iv) The Clerk read a letter from the LOR Club
in reply to his letter asking them to present a copy of
the Club suggested that work should be supplied.
The Council did not approve of this idea but the
Clerk was instructed to tell the Club that the Council
approved that they were doing their best.

Comprehendence.

- (i) The Clerk informed the Council that the Romney Exma P.C. had written to the Divisional Surveyor asking him to deal with the whole line of Brookhill.
- (ii) The Clerk told the Council that the cost of mowing had been £31.35. The cost had been increased from £2.85 to £3.40 per hour. The Council decided to accept.

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Recreation Ground.

The Clerk said that he had not heard from the Club of the Hampshire and Isle of Wight F.F.A. regarding a final decision on siting of the new equipment. Mrs Shepherd thought that the 2 swings and a see-saw an excellent choice and that it would be in full view to avoid vandalism.

Any other Business.

(i) The Clerk told the meeting that the Bramfield Association had asked if anything could be done to prevent the keepers from allowing wood from slaughtered animals spilling into the highway ditches. The Clerk was asked to write to the Haverly Hunt.

(ii) Mr Kayman raised the question of horses riding on footpaths. After discussion it was decided to ask Saunders to quote for the erection of rails in the trenches of Footpaths Nos. 12 & 9.

(iii) The Annual Parish Meeting was fixed for Monday 24th March at 8.00 pm.

There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting.

C/Santoom