

BRAISHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Braishfield Parish Council held at the Womens' Institute Hall, Braishfield, on Monday, 13th July 1981, at 7.30 p.m.

Present: Mr. G. Shipton (Chairman), Mrs. B. M. Bell, and Messrs. I. H. Chisholm, J. A. Stewart and P. Watkins, together with Test Valley Borough Councillor R. Corry.

32. MINUTES

Resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on 8th June, and of the special meeting held on 22nd June, be approved as correct records and signed by the Chairman.

33. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned for approximately 25 minutes to enable Mr. T. R. Viney, Chairman of the Mountbatten Memorial Trust, to address the Council and members of the public upon the aims and objectives of the Trust; and to answer questions.

34. THE MOUNTBATTEN MEMORIAL TRUST

Resolved:-

- (1) that a donation of £150 be made to the Mountbatten Memorial Trust towards its objective of setting up a trust fund to provide bursaries for young people from Romsey and the surrounding districts to take places on established sea training courses; and
- (2) that in July 1982, consideration be given to the making of a further contribution to the Trust.

35. APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNORS - BRAISHFIELD COUNTY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Further to minute 31 (22.6.81) consideration was given to the making of nominations for the Council's three representative governors for the period 1st July 1981 to 30th June 1985.

Resolved that the following nominations be made to the Area Education Officer:-

Dr. J. Edwards, Wyndhams, Braishfield;  
Mr. T. Harris, Willow Trees, Braishfield; and  
Mrs. R. Stitt, April Cottage, Braishfield.

36. HEAVY LORRIES ON 'C' CLASS ROADS

Resolved that, in the light of the Government's proposed review of the legislation covering this matter, the Test Valley Association of Parish Councils be requested to consider the possible restriction of the use of 'C' class roads by heavy lorries.

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37. FVS 3491 - TWO STOREY EXTENSIONS AND ALTERATIONS: CHALKPIT COTTAGES, BRAISHFIELD - R. F. INGOLDBY

Resolved that no objection be raised to the principle of this proposed development, but that the Borough Council be informed of this Council's concern about the apparent alteration in height of the roofline, and that the rear elevation may not be sympathetic to the contours of the landscape and to the proximity of the rear boundary line.

38. BOROUGH COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Clerk submitted the minutes of meetings of the Planning and Development Committee held on 17th June 1981, and of the Southern Area Planning Sub-Committee held on 2nd and 30th June 1981, together with delegated decisions for the period commencing 2nd June 1981, cleared by the District Planning Officer.

39. BRAISHFIELD MAIN DRAINAGE

Further to minute 161 (9.3.81), Borough Councillor R. Corry reported that his Council had now resolved to requisition this scheme at a cost of £750,000 over 12 years. It was anticipated that work would commence in 1982.

40. BRAISHFIELD VILLAGE HALL - GRANT

Resolved that the sixth instalment of grant, in the sum of £375 be paid; and that the sum of £500 be transferred from the Council's deposit account to the current account.

41. AUDIT FEE

Resolved that the audit fee in the sum of £32.20 be paid.

42. INSURANCE PREMIUM

Resolved that the Council's insurance premium in the sum of £23.16 be paid to Municipal Mutual Insurance Limited.

43. BRAISHFIELD FLOWER SHOW - PERPETUAL TROPHY

Further to minute 173 (9.3.81), the trophy was presented to the Treasurer of the Flower Show Committee.

Resolved that the account of Underhill House in the sum of £41.73 be paid.

44. HAMPSHIRE ASSOCIATION OF PARISH COUNCILS

The following documents were submitted:-

- (i) Bulletin 119;
- (ii) Local Council Review - Summer 1981 edition.

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45. RECREATION GROUND

Resolved:-

- (1) that the appreciation of the Parish Council be recorded for the work undertaken by Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Shipton, and Messrs. Chisholm, Corry, Shipton and Stewart in trimming the trees on the recreation ground and to Mr. and Mrs. Shipton for disposing of the cuttings; and
- (2) that Mr. Corry be thanked for spraying the recreation ground with weed-killer.

46. RETIREMENT OF SCHOOL HEADMISTRESS - MRS. I. E. SHEPHERD

It was reported that Mrs. Shepherd was to retire from her appointment as headmistress of the County Primary School. She had served the school for 20 years during which time she had made a substantial contribution to the community and would be sadly missed by the parishioners and the children.

Resolved that the thanks of this Council be conveyed to Mrs. Shepherd for her most valuable contribution to the Parish and that she be wished every possible happiness in her retirement.

47. BRAISHFIELD WOMENS' INSTITUTE - DIAMOND JUBILEE

Resolved that the congratulations of the Council be extended to the Braishfield Womens' Institute, which would achieve its sixtieth anniversary on 10th August 1981; and that the Institute be thanked for all its help and co-operation in parochial affairs.

.....*G. Shipton*..... Chairman

.....14-9-81..... Date