

## RAVENSTONEDALE PARISH COUNCIL

### Minutes of a Meeting held on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2005 in Ravenstonedale High Chapel Room at 7.30 pm

**Present:** Councillor John Bull (Chairman), Councillors Caroline Morris, Ernest Leach, Hilary Mirrey

**Apologies for Absence** were received from Councillors Fanny Jackson (work), Janet Brownrigg (work), Paul Capstick (work), County Councillor Tim Stoddard, District Councillor Michael Metcalfe-Gibson Clerk, Chris Elphick (due to illness).

**Minutes of the Meeting** held on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2005 had been circulated.  
Resolved that the minutes be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

#### **Children's Playgrounds**

It was reported that agreement in principle had been received for the proposed Newbiggin-on-Lune site in the field between Kesters Ash And Ash Dene. This will enable grant applications to be made and planning permission to be sought. The sum of £305.00 towards the playground fund had been raised by Neil Hodgson. A letter of thanks is to be sent.

#### **Finance**

Sum received	
Neil Hodgson (Playground)	£305.00
<u>Accounts for Payment</u>	
Newbiggin-on-Lune (Hall Hire) 2004/05	£ 85.00
United Reformed Church (Hall Hire)	£ 60.00

#### **Cumbria & Lake District Joint Structure Plan**

It was reported that the Current report is available on the available on CD or the website [www.planningcumbria.org.uk](http://www.planningcumbria.org.uk) for those who wish to consult it.

#### **Appleby New Fair Committee**

The Parish Council sent apologies for not being represented at the meeting on 7th Feb 2005 and asked for a copy of the minutes to be sent.

#### **Royal Garden Party**

The Chairman's name has been entered in the annual draw for an invitation to a Buckingham Palace Garden Party.

#### **Survey of current functions of parish & town councils by CALC.**

**Resolved** that the Chairman & Clerk should respond to the questionnaire.

#### **Great North Air Ambulance (Pride of Cumbria)**

Request for recyclables – Clothing, Bedding, Curtains, Towels, Shoes, Belts, Mobile Phones (working or not), Empty Ink/Toner Cartridges. It was not clear whether the request was for a "one-off" collection or a regular event. Further information will be requested.

#### **Local Development Frameworks**

Seminar at Newton Rigg 1st March 7.00. Cllrs J Bull and H Mirrey to attend.

**Correspondence received**

CALC Circular February 2005  
Neighbourhood Forum Meeting - Appleby Market Hall 24th Feb 2005 7.00pm  
Concessionary Travel Scheme Poster  
Effective Local Councils Course - Local Council Finance Course  
Open Morning KS Community & Council Centre 23/02/05  
Neighbourhood Forum Meeting - Appleby Market Hall 24th Feb 2005 7.00pm  
Clerks' Salary Scales  
Energywatch Poster

The foregoing items were noted or circulated as appropriate.

Signed

Chairman \_\_\_\_\_ Date 10<sup>th</sup> March 2005