

**St. Teath Parish Council.**  
**Minutes of the meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> January 2012.**  
**Delabole Methodist Church Room.**  
The meeting opened at 7.00pm.

**Present:** Cllrs. E. Jones, Chairman, G. Keat, G. Aston, A. Stacey, J. Tidd, P. Hicks, S. Sandercock, A. Hopkins, P. Clark, L. Rose, J. Lugg.

**Members of the public present:** Mr Roger Price.

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	<p><b>Apologies:</b> Cllr. G. Boardman.  Two newly co opted Councillors signed 'Acceptance of Office' in the presence of full council.  Alteration required to Minute ref. 2011-10-09. Should read 'A sum of money in the region of £9000 per annum, was 'on the table' and would be administered by Good Energy in consultation with others from CCCIC, for the benefit of Delabole residents.' Grant applications would be sought.  Acceptance of the minutes of meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2011 was proposed by Cllr. J. Tidd, seconded by Cllr. L. Rose. Agreed unanimously.</p> <p><b>Matters Arising:</b>  Cllr. G. Keat wished to clarify that the payment to J. McDougall of £500, ref. 2011-12-09, was for extra contractual duties for which he would invoice the Clerk. The Clerk confirmed this had been done. Invoice filed with accounts.</p>
2012-01-01	<p><b>Planning Applications:</b>  <b>PA11/10639.</b> Extension of time E1/2005/01750 refers, Det. house and garage. The White Hart, St Teath. Council supported this application.  <b>PA12/00111.</b> Construction of two storey extension. 23, West Downs Road, Delabole. Decision held over for site visit to take place at 9.30am the day following this meeting.  <b>Outcome:</b>  Council did not support this application siting 'over development on this small plot'.  <b>Decision Received.</b> None at this time.</p>
2012-01-02	<p><b>Accounts:</b>  Expenditure of £3311.79 was agreed to cover all costs incurred for the month of December. The Clerk reported a balance in the current account of £17,230.89, in the Saver Account the balance was £15,499.43. Cash in hand, two cheques to the value of £280.</p>
2012-01-03	<p><b>Cornwall Council Matters:</b>  Cllr. Lugg reported pressure on his Ward Councillor's budget to assist with projects but hoped that some of the estimated £5000 left in his Highways budget might be used in Delabole to install a safety barrier in Penmead Road and help with the costs incurred by any parking and traffic flow improvement works.  Cllr. Lugg reported his optimism with regards the future of Camelford Leisure Centre.</p>
2012-01-04	<p><b>Police Report:</b>  PCSO Groves reported that Camelford Police would have a presence at Sir James Smith's School from February following the closure of Camelford Police Station. A new telephone number would be made available to Neighbourhood Watch Coordinators. He was pleased to report that the number of crimes overall had fallen but alerted Council to the fact that considerable damage was being caused to areas of Bodmin Moor by 'trail bikers'. It was to be hoped that a 4X4 vehicle would soon be available to Camelford police to aid pursuit of such offenders. Horse owners were being urged to be more vigilant to secure the safety of their animals in light of the recent attack on a horse at Stithians.  PCSO Groves was negotiating with The Children's Centre in Delabole with a view to holding a Youth 'Drop-In' Centre on one evening a week. His thinking was that it would provide</p>

<p>2012-01-05</p>	<p>somewhere for youngsters to gather, socialise and talk with the police and other authorities in a friendly, informal atmosphere.</p> <p><b>Delabole Cemetery:</b> The Clerk reported that the purchase of additional land was ongoing and that she was staying in touch with the Council's solicitors. R. Clemens Ltd had been notified of Council's decision to award them the contract for repositioning of the Cornish Hedge in the cemetery as soon as the purchase was completed. The unsuccessful contractors who had quoted had also been notified. Copies of these letters are on file.</p>	
<p>2012-01-06</p>	<p><b>Camelford Leisure Centre:</b> The Friends of Camelford Leisure Centre had met with Cllr. Alec Robertson on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2011 to present their business plan for the future of the Leisure Centre. There is to be a hard hitting 'drive' to attract more members to join 'the friends'. A decision to appoint a Consultant to carry out a Community Review had been agreed. The aim, to find out who uses CLC and why, and, more importantly, to ascertain why other people are not using the facilities and what would encourage them use it.</p>	
<p>2012-01-07</p>	<p><b>Correspondence:</b> None at this time.</p>	
<p>2012-01-08</p>	<p><b>Meetings Attended:</b> A meeting had been held between Cllrs. Lance Kennedy and Graeme Hicks (CC,) Paul Allen, Network Manager Highways Division, East, Rebecca Dixon, Peter Swain, Cllr E. Jones and Cllr A. Hopkins on January 10<sup>th</sup>. Problems with traffic flow, parking and the general state of the road around Delabole was discussed. After discussion it was resolved that a small committee of Delabole Councillors be formed. Their brief: to walk around Delabole and identify areas where double yellow lines should be placed, alternative areas where residents could park to aid traffic flow, and to convey these recommendations to Paul Allen for action. A meeting of this committee was set for 9.45am, Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2012. Cllr. P. Hicks, L. Rose, P. Clark and A. Hopkins and G. Aston to attend. It was resolved that their recommendations be written up and presented to Paul Allen as soon as possible. Cllr. L. Rose to speak to Mr. G. Hamilton with reference the public parking area at the quarry.</p>	<p>Clerk.</p> <p>Cllr.LR.</p>
<p>2012-01-09</p>	<p><b>Matters of Public Interest:</b> The Clerk to arrange for the safety barrier at Penmead Road to be put in position as soon as possible to avoid any accident occurring to pedestrians in the future. It was resolved that a request be made to CC that the street lights in St Teath should be dimmed between the hours of midnight and 7am. It was agreed that St Teath Parish Council would support Jill Lamede in her effort to fill the Gaia Centre with local clubs and organisations on February 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>. St Teath PC would display information about parish council history and business. It would be hoped to use the two days to promote PC to public. Cllr. E. Jones was of the opinion that purchasers of second / holiday homes in the county should be required to apply for change of use, and be expected to pay business rates on properties they then make available for rent to holiday makers. This was not the general feeling of members present. It was agreed that the Core Strategy, prepared by CC, should be studied and a response made to County Hall. Cllrs. A. Hopkins, G. Keat, J. Tidd, P. Clark and G. Aston would study the proposal from County Hall and meet on February 13<sup>th</sup> to formulate their reply. The telephone kiosk in Pengelly should be purchased, at the agreed price of £1, ( BT price) and put to use as a general notice board. Cllr. G. Aston would inspect the kiosk to assess the viability of this course of action.</p> <p>There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.10pm. Next meeting, February 20<sup>th</sup> 2012. St Teath Community Centre. 7pm.</p>	<p>Clerk.</p> <p>Clerk.</p> <p>AH,GK,JT PC,GA.</p> <p>Cllr. GA.</p>

2011-07-11	There being no further business, the meeting closed at 9.00pm.  <b>Next meeting:</b> Monday September 5th, Delabole Methodist Church Room. Public Session 7.00pm, Parish Council 7.15pm.	
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