Wheldrake Parish Council

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Minutes of Wheldrake Parish Council Meeting held at 7pm at White Rose House on Wednesday 14th December 2022

1	Welcome:
	The Chair welcomed councillors and visitors to the meeting.
2	Apologies and Attendance:
	Apologies were received by Cllrs Brown and Nelson
	Attendees were noted by the clerk.
3	Interests:
	The Chair reminded members to make any declarations in any agenda item(s).
	N/A
4	Minutes:
	Minutes of previous meeting of November were not signed off and comments
	relating to the RFO were omitted. Clerk to update.
5	Council:
	The Council received comments from resident(s) present who were all supportive of
	continuing with the PC subsidising the evening bus se
6	Reports received (for information only)
	Chair's report:
	Thanks to Bev and Tim for installing the PC Christmas tree lights and any
	who helped
	Cllr Myers suggested that his ex-neighbour Claire Lavell would be happy to
	supply power for tree lights situated on the corner of Broad Highway and
	North Lane next year.
	Cllr Myers also suggested a £100 prize for the best decorated house in the
	village for next year believing that this would act as a stimulus for more
	properties to light up in 2024
	Cllr Urwin had met with the Practice Manager and senior partner of
	Elvington Medical Practice to seek clarity on previous recent assertions
	posted on Wheldrakians.
	He was pleased to note that the practice had published a newsletter which would be sent out to every registered patient in the village. Crucially, the
	telephone repeat prescription line had not been discontinued for those who
	needed it, although >80% of patients were already using electronic requests.
	There are no imminent plans for the restoration of a physical GP surgery in
	Wheldrake.
	Funds are available for those patients who had no other means of getting to
	Elvington Surgery to use a taxi, although so far, the take up of this service
	was zero.
	Email addresses of Clerk and Chair shared with practice manager in an
	attempt to improve communication between the two organisations

7	Communications received:
	Freedom of information request from ex-cllr Marsh
	Request from Paul Butler (Chair of WRA) for copy of original conveyancing
	documents from 1972
8	Planning:
	To consider and decide upon the following planning applications;
	21/02283/FULM Rejected (PC response to follow)
	22/02445/FUL No objection
	22/02472/TCA No objection
9	Finance:
	Current balance: £33,362:00
	Payments to be made:
	£4370 to Playscheme for disabled swing
	Grants:
	£6500 to school for Chromebooks
	£500 to playgroup
	£5000 to scouts for roof appeal
	Receipts:
	None
	Other:
	Clerk's salary at rate already confirmed, plus any receipted expenses.
10	To receive and consider recommendations from committees and working groups Cllr Elsey-Jeffree noted that the defibrillator at Buckle Court was non-
	functional, due to a power outage. This has now been resolved
	We should consider the installation of a further defibrillator at the East end
	of the village – Derwent Park or the allotments. This could be run on solar
	power
11	To resolve and consider actions to be taken;
	1. The precept for 2023/24 will be kept at £40000 pa
	2. The budget for 2023/24 was approved
12	To confirm dates of the next meeting
	Whole council training day scheduled for 25/01/23 to be cancelled due to too few
	councillors and we resolve to encourage more villagers to join the PC. A trining
	session could be held on the vacant August PC date.
	Next formal meeting – Wednesday February 22 nd 2023 at 7 pm.

Meeting closed at 8.10pm.