

# THE STOURS PARISH COUNCIL

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## **To Members of the Council**

You are hereby summonsed to attend the next meeting of the Stours Parish Council on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 7.30pm at East Stour Village Hall.

Members of the Public and Press are welcome to attend.



Mrs M Cox

Clerk to the Council. 6<sup>th</sup> July 2017

## **Reports, Pre-business matters items and Public participation**

### **In attendance Dorset County Cllrs Andrew Cattaway and Graham Carr-Jones**

- To receive items of interest from DCC and NDDC Ward Members followed by public discussion time (to a max of 30 Mins).
- To receive any items of interest from: - Footpath Liaison Officers, Tree Wardens, Flood Warden and Transport Representative.

## **BUSINESS AGENDA**

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Disclosable Pecuniary Interests  
Members are reminded that if they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (DPI) on their register relating to any item on this agenda, they may not take part in the debate and may not vote. If they have a DPI on any item that is not on their register they must declare that interest, take no part in the debate or vote and register such interest within 28 days.
3. To consider Grant of Dispensations.
4. To approve the minutes of the meeting held 11<sup>th</sup> May 2017.
5. Matters Arising
  - Partnership with Shaftesbury Town Council and Gillingham Town Council for some discretionary services – update
6. Highway Matters
  - Todber (B3092).
  - SIDs, East Stour, Todber and West Stour.
  - Fifehead Magdalen Crossroads
  - Community Speedwatch, East Stour, Todber and West Stour
7. Planning Matters
  - See attached for list of planning applications and decisions received since last meeting.

8. Correspondence

- Administration of the Estate of the late Hannah Mary O'Sullivan. Received from Rutters, Solicitors a cheque for £3,021.31, " to be used for the general benefit and welfare of the parish of East Stour and its inhabitants and to make donations to good and worthy causes within or without the Parish and in particular to look after the interests of the elderly and the young by providing free entertainments parties and outings"
- Hinton St Mary Parish Council are most impressed with Todber's village gateway.
- SSE Enterprise lighting, advising that they will be completing phase 2 of the street lighting replacement at College Arms Close, Stour Row and Forge End east, East Stour.

9. Dorset County Council Matters

- The Council to agree to send a copy of the dossier highlighting issues that affect the Stours Parish Council to our MP Simon Hoare, (previously circulated and being addressed at this meeting).

10. North Dorset District Council Matters

11. DAPTC

Proposals for consideration at the AGM should be sent to the DAPTC office by 28 July 2017.

12. Travellers and Gypsies

13. Gillingham Southern Extension

14. Litter Bin, Witch Lane, East Stour

15. Finance – Accounts

Balances of Accounts from statements as at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017 – NSB £4,994.75. Scottish Widows Bank – £8,735.31. Lloyds plc – awaiting statement  
Included in these balances is £4795.00 which has been ring fenced for Clerk's gratuity (min ref 2010/94, 2015/022 & 67 & 2016/165).  
See attached Income and Expenses for the period 1<sup>st</sup> May 2017 – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017 and budget (2 monthly and financial year to date)

16. Finance – Payments: - To agree and direct payment of the following together with any others that might be received.

- Mrs M Cox - £35.49 reimburse broadband
- Vision ICT - £150 website hosting and support for 2017/18
- Dorset County Council - £695.52 (3 x supply & erect SID posts East Stour & Todber).
- Communicorp (Local councils update) renewal - £75

17. Items for information of Council

a) Chairman's

b) Clerks

Local Councils Update issue. Clerk & Councils Direct. All available at the meeting or from Clerk.  
DAPTC – Chief Executive's Circulars – previously circulated

c) Playing Fields and Equipment

East Stour  
Stour Provost and the pavilion  
Stour Row

d) Crime

- e) DAPTC - the next Northern Area is on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at The Pavilion, Blandford Forum.
  - f) CPRE  
Countryside Voice & Fieldwork publications. Dorset Review.
18. Items for the next meeting  
Paul Derrien and Teresa Rabetts, Dorset C C will be in attendance to explain the Community Land Trust programme
19. Dates of Future Parish Council Meetings - future meetings are on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm  
14<sup>th</sup> September 2017 at Stour Row, 9<sup>th</sup> November 2017 at West Stour, 11<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at Stour Provost, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at East Stour, 10<sup>th</sup> May 2018 at Stour Row, 12<sup>th</sup> July 2018 at West Stour, 13<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at Stour Provost, 8<sup>th</sup> November 2018 at East Stour.

***“Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions: Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, religion, marital status, age and any disability), Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety and Human Rights.”***