

AIRMYN NEWS

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Vintage Wedding Dress Exhibition

Were you married or know someone who married during the 40s, 50s or 60s and still have their wedding dress/outfit? The organisers of Howden Vintage Day would love to borrow them for an exhibition in Howden Minster on Saturday May 11th. Last year we had hundreds of visitors who loved the dresses, memorabilia and photos we acquired. This year we are aiming for a bigger exhibition. If you can help us in our search please ring Angela on 01405 761395.

Polite Reminder...

Please remember to consider others when out walking dogs around the village. There are still a minority of dog owners not picking up their dogs poop, which not only poses a health hazard, but there are concerns that it could lead to certain areas in the village having access revoked. Residents have contacted the Airmyn News to express their concern over the misuse of the churchyard as a dog toilet. The church provide bins close to both entrances which they are happy for people to use to dispose of dog waste. There are various ERYC bins within the village which can also be used to deposit bagged dog excrement. Please visit ERYC website for more information on the law regarding this matter.



Extract Minutes of AIRMYN PARISH COUNCIL meeting held at Airmyn Memorial Hall on Wednesday 16th January 2019

Public participation

3 members of the public present - members of the public are invited to raise any subjects which they wish to bring to the attention of the Parish Council.

Jane Peake spoke briefly about the background for an Airmyn History Project, a community project to involve villagers and the school in documenting the village history from roman times to present. The project would look to digitalise all the history records, including those of David Galloway, and make them available online. A request was made for support from the council in funding a meeting room once per month at the Hall and, if the project was successful, financial support with the digitisation of records. The council agreed to discuss the request.

A member of the public commented that the public participation section was preferred at the end of the meeting, this was noted by the council.

A member of the public asked if the postcode for the Memorial Hall was on display at the hall for emergency use. Action: the clerk will check and ensure that it is displayed.

131/1819 Opening the meeting

The Chairman, Cllr Fox opened the meeting at 7.00pm and welcomed everyone. The Chairman reminded everyone present that, in accordance with Standing Order 71, all mobile phones should be turned off for the duration of the meeting.

132/1819 Present: The Chairman, Cllr Fox; Cllrs Healey, Hayward, Jackson, Scott, Batten; the Clerk, Mr Charlesworth (minutes).

133/1819 Co-option of new councillors There had been no applications. Two vacancies now exist.

134/1819 Apologies. Apologies had been received from Cllr Lynch.

135/1819 To approve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 14 November 2018. The minutes, which had

previously been circulated, were agreed as being a true record and duly signed by the Chairman.

136/1819 Declarations of interest on Agenda items. Cllr Fox - Western Area Planning Committee and Rawcliffe Drainage Board.

137/1819 To receive information on the following ongoing issues and decide further action where necessary.

137.1 Play area & field Cllr Jackson presented an update on the Play Area funding and confirmed that all money applied for had been granted. This leaves a shortfall of approximately £3,000. Cllr Healey proposed this should be from reserves, seconded by Cllr Scott.

137.2 **Trees** The work on the trees around the car park was discussed and resolved to use the £1,000 funding already obtained. **Action**: Cllrs Jackson & Batten to investigate options for tree work with £1,000 funding.

138/1819 To receive the monthly planning reports Cllr Fox left room during 138

138.1 18/01660/PLF Elite Office Furniture Erection of 2 illuminated signs - No objection

138.2 18/01204/PLF Airmyn Garage appeal **Resolved:** Additional smaller houses are required in the village and this project would enhance the look of the village and improve the conservation area.

139/1819 **Issues arising from new correspondence. Tour de Yorkshire 2019**: Date confirmed as Thursday 2nd May 2019 with the race in the opposite direction to 2018. All bikes and bunting available and ready to re-use.

140/1819 **Issues raised by councillors** Cllr Batten reported that the trees around the perimeter were due to be planted on Monday.

141/1819 Issues raised by residents No issues had been raised.

142/1819 Upcoming meetings No advice of meetings had been received.

143/1819 Ward Councillors report

i) Cllr Fox reported on the Drainage Board should attend a meeting to review the watercourse map and identify riparian owners who are responsible for watercourses on their land, the drainage board have the power to charge for clearance work carried out.

ii) Cllr Fox expressed her admiration for the improvement to the appearance on the entrance to the village from both directions, the farmers and Elite have maintained the hedges to a good standard.

iii) Cllr Fox commented on the Chairmans Award and recommended a nominee. Action: The Clerk to write a letter in support of this work.

144/1819 **Safety concerns**. No concerns were raised.

145/1819 **Financial matters**. In the absence of a Clerk over recent weeks Cllr Healey thanked all Councillors for their help.

145.1 The following invoices were authorised for payment: Reimburse Cllr Fox for purchase of village Christmas tree. £40 JW Bell – cleaning out dykes & finding land drain £900.00

145.2 **Precept.** The precept is due for submission and Cllr Healey recommended an increase of 2.5% on last year. (Proposed: Cllr Healey; Seconded: Cllr Scott) **Action:** Cllr Healey to send precept application.

146/1819 **Staff matters** 1 more appraisal completed, 1 outstanding. **Action:** Cllr Scott & Lynch to complete appraisals.

147/1819 Matters for inclusion on the next agenda. Trees. Drainage. Village history project. Play park.

The Chairman thanked all Councillors and members of the public for their attendance and closed the meeting at 7.50pm.

Date of the next meeting:

13 February 2019 at 7.00 pm in the George Dales room, Airmyn Memorial Hall.

INFORMATION

Arriva Service 400

operating Mondays to Fridays						
Airmyr	n 0800	0908	1717	1755		
Goole	0815	0923	1734	1810		
Goole	0820	1500	1815			
Airmyr	n 0834	1514				

Church Corner

Services at St. David's during March

Sunday, the 3 rd	Holy Communion	6-00 pm	
Sunday, the 10 th	Holy Communion	10-00 am	
Sunday, the 17 th	Evening Prayer	6-00 pm	
Sunday, the 24 th	Family Service	vice 10-00 am	
Sunday, the 31 st	Mothering Sunday service		10-00 am

As always, you are reminded that you do not need to be confirmed in order to attend and enjoy and benefit from any of the above services. Each service lasts about an hour and people of all ages are welcome.

Snowdrop Festival

The recent Snowdrop Festival raised a very surprising and very welcome sum of £544 for our church funds and grateful thanks are extended to all those of you who called in on the day and helped to make the event a success. When you realise that we have to pay almost £12,000 each year to the Diocese of Sheffield as our so-called Common Fund contribution, you will understand why we have to organise a fund-raising programme of events to supplement our income from collections at our services and from direct debit contributions that other people prefer to make. Airmyn is not alone in being in this position; all other parishes have a similar annual payment to make to the Diocese.

Donations of snowdrop clumps are being sought to replenish the show in the churchyard, please contact the church wardens if you can help.

Strawberry Tea

One annual event which has been a part of our fund-raising programme for many years is the Strawberry Tea, which is held in July. For many years, Roger and Veilia Thomas have played host to this event in their much-admired garden. This year, however, much to their regret, they are not able to do so. The Airmyn PCC is therefore taking this opportunity to ask if there is anyone else in the village with a large garden who would be interested in playing host to this year's Strawberry Tea. If you feel that you might be interested in giving it a go, would you be kind enough to contact either of our churchwardens, Janet Rushby or David Galloway, to find out more about what would be involved.

Free compost from the churchyard for gardeners

As usual in March, there will be some free well-rotted leafmould