

**MINUTES OF THE SHERIFFHALES PARISH MEETING HELD ON THE 12th MARCH 2024 AT
6.30PM AT SHERIFFHALES VILLAGE HALL**

Present Councillors: Mr J Horne (Chairman); Mrs S Whittam; Mr Gordon Tonkinson, Mr Neil Pulker, Mr Alan Edwards, Mrs A Sutcliffe, Mrs L Edwards, Mrs P Hodgetts and Unitary Cllr Mr K Turley.

Also, in attendance Clerk to the Council – Mrs Jennifer Cree.

30/24. Apologies for Absence

Apologies of absence were received and accepted from Cllr Mr D Himsworth.

31/24. Declaration of Councillors' Pecuniary Interests.

None were declared.

32/24. To receive for confirmation and adoption, and agree the Minutes of the Parish Council meeting on the 13th February 2024.

The minutes of the above meeting were agreed as an accurate record of the meeting. On a vote these were agreed.

33/24. Public Participation

No members of the public present wished to speak.

34/24. Unitary Councillor feedback and questions

Cllr K Turley will address the Annual Parish Meeting.

35/24. Planning applications received, Decisions and Enforcement matters made by Shropshire Council

New planning applications

24/00592/FUL DEVELOPMENT PROPOSED:
Erection of side and rear extension and garage
LOCATION: 38 Kettlemore Lane, Sheriffhales,

PLANNING REFERENCE - 24/00668/FUL
DEVELOPMENT PROPOSED - Erection of single storey rear extension
LOCATION: - 66 Hilton Bank, Sheriffhales,

No objection for either application.

Decisions received

Reference: 23/05371/FUL (validated: 03/01/2024)
Address: 72 Heath Hill, Sheriffhales, Shifnal, Shropshire, TF11 8RR
Proposal: Erection of double extension and renovation of property.
Decision: Grant Permission

Reference: 23/05274/FUL (validated: 05/12/2023)
Address: National Sports Centre, Lilleshall Hall, Lilleshall, Newport, Shropshire, TF10 9AT
Proposal: Erection of hockey filming tower
Decision: Grant Permission

The above were noted.

36/24. Public Honours

The National Honours list, is a submission directly to the Government site, of the nominee and the reasons why. The Council to discuss a possible nomination for this at the next meeting also.

Locally the Council discussed what they may like to implement in Sheriffhales such as recognising community efforts, this award could be made at the Civic Service. The nomination in Shifnal are taken from the Council and also the public.

It was agreed to defer until the next meeting to discuss the process and the criteria. The Clerk to investigate any existing policies from neighbouring Parishes and Councils on commendations for the community.

37/24. To discuss a Neighbourhood Plan

The consultant for the Neighbourhood Plan is happy to make a presentation, a decision on date and time needs to be made, and via zoom an evening time. It was agreed that the Clerk get a few dates and see the best date for members to join.

38/24. Clerks report including - Updates on outstanding items

The following items were noted:-

New Community Fund for Green Spaces and Active Travel
Possible woodlands in Sheriffhales (possible include allotments in the Pinfold area). It was proposed by Cllr J Horne and seconded by Cllr Mrs P Hodgetts that the initial idea was supported by the majority of the Councillors, and if the project moves forward then further community consultation needs to take place. On a vote this was carried and Cllr G Tonkinson recorded his abstention on this vote.

The Clerk to work with Unitary Cllr K Turley on finding out what grants and funds are available.

39/24. Accounts for payment

The accounts for payment were agreed and noted as below:-

29/02/2024	30.07	160	Ionos
08/02/2024	162.00	162	Dittons
26/02/2024	114.60	158	HMRC
26/02/2024	458.42	159	Clerks Salary
Total February	765.09		

40/24. Future Agenda items roles and responsibilities, development of the play area / playing fields (to be raised at APM), Civic Service, Honours policy, 20's plenty.

41/24. Dates and Times of next meeting

9th April 2024

14th May 2024 Annual Meeting