

Newland Parish Council General Meeting

Held at Drax Sports & Social Club, on Tuesday 14th January 2025 @ 7.30pm

1. Apologies for absence

No apologies

2. Present

Stephen Greenwood	SG
Tony Brownbridge (Vice Chair)	TB
Carol Bugg	CB
Anne Roberts	AR
Cathy Barton	CB
Clerk (Michelle Thorpe)	MT
County Councillor M Jordan & 3 member of the public	

3. Minutes of last General meeting (September 2024)

Minutes were distributed to the Councillors via email prior to the meeting and were accepted as a true and accurate record at the meeting.

4. 10 minute public forum (discuss items otherwise not on the agenda)

A Parish member updated the meeting with various things happening within the Hamlet.

Ferry corner – New banking all sorted, thank you to everyone involved in getting this done.

5. Planning – Appeal application for Briar Lane – No updates as yet

Barn, Rusholme Lane – Decision pending

6. Newland Finances

- Finances £3729.13

7. Agenda items

- Defibrillator (where is it going to be sited?) – A discussion was had as to where it could go. County Cllr M Jordan to speak to a resident of Newland to see if they could have it fitted outside their property, if not we will need to approach another resident.
- Memorial bench/seat – A vote was had and the decision was to not have a memorial bench/seat.
- Parish Precept is £3000
- Carbon capture – SG updated the meeting
- Glasdons salt bins – The Parish council provide salt for the bins. At the moment, the salt that is in there needs to be broken up and replaced with just bags of sand so they don't go hard.
- Emergency Plan – Distributed plan needs updating, new template from NYC
- Additional dog bin – This was discussed and it was decided to not buy an additional bin.

8. Any other business for future meetings

- Newly acquired land – At present time it is just being cut, nobody within Newland has taken any interest, the Parish Council are open to ideas.
- County Councillor M Jordan – updated the Parish Council that the Selby local plan was being scrapped. He also updated the meeting about the Mill Lane, Carlton application, which has now been taken out of the hands of the Local Authority and has been passed to the Planning Inspectorate.

Meeting closed 20:25

Date and time of next meeting – Tuesday 1st April 2025 @ 7.30pm – Drax club

(subject to change if club unavailable)