

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held on Tuesday, 13th January ¹⁹⁵⁴ at Mr. Otd Saunders house. Mr. L. Ingham in the Chair.

Apologies were received from Mrs. G. Loveland, Mrs. G. Robinson and Mrs. E. Wilkinson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Matters Arising

- a) Pond and Trees: New weeping willow trees have been planted and the old ones taken out. The Chairman will remind Mr. Gaylor about dredging the pond and clearing the streams.

b) Planners home. The Chairman will ask Gwen to ask people living near her, in Planners home, for their opinion of the traffic, and possible remedies eg. moving the signs as mentioned before; a new sign at the Shop eliminating all traffic except for access; having specific passing places in the lane and putting chains over existing driveways which are used as passing places and finally, widening the road.

c) Jack West Presentation. The slide and tape presentation on 'Old Weymouth Romans to Railways' was most successful and as a second one was suggested by several people, the Mission Hall has been booked for 19th February at 7.30pm for the sequel, 'Railways to Present Day'. Mrs. G. Hardland will be asked to do the refreshments.

Mrs. E. Wilkinson will be asked to find out what the Weymouth Camera Club could show us, if required and this could take place at the A.G.M.

d) The fireworks and bonfire held at the Springhead was very successful.

e) The annual fee to the C.P.R.C. has increased from £4 to £8. This will now be paid.

f) Double yellow lines. These will be implemented as and when finances are available. The Chairman will write to the Council in mid-March to remind them before the holiday season begins and also after will be the beginning of the new financial year.

g) The Mill. Mr. Meech has been sent a draught copy of the Minutes of the Open Meeting, for comment.

A site inspection is to take place by the Planning Dept.

h) Puddledock lane - to follow.

i) Carols around the village were most successful. £24.50 were sent to the Weymouth Mentally Handicapped.

Treasurers Report. £ 23.14 in hand.
 £ 13.87 in the bank

Planning

a) Puddledock lane. A reply will be draughted to the Chief Executive expressing incredulity at the contents of the last letter, regarding Sunnyfields, which stated that so long as the necessary services were provided, there was no need to have any connection of a new road (Sunnyfields) to the main road. There would be great difficulty in the fire or ambulance services reaching Sunnyfields and also daily services, but surely these are 'necessary'.

Previously the Council's Policy appears to have been that it was not advisable to build, unless there was access to a main road.

The occupants of Sunnyfields bought their properties on the understanding that in a certain, stated

(12 years)
time, Puddledock have would be developed. This has not been done

Weymouth Council agree that Sunnyfields should never have been built without access and therefore there should be no more building taking place until Puddledock have is made up.

Plans for 7 and 6 lots of houses have been passed by the Council with access into a bridle path i.e. Puddledock have!

b) 83, Sutton Rd. (Hunden hea)

An appeal has been lodged with the Dept. of the Environment against the Council's decision to reject the application to build one bungalow (i.e. 1st set of plans). The Chairman will write to the D. of E. endorsing the previous letter and stating the opinion of the Planning Subcommittee of the Society.

Dorset Structural Plan. The Chairman will attend the next meeting.

Winter Activities.

a) 10th February. Jack wear Slide Presentation.

b). Pond bench to be refurbished. As the cost of linseed oil is very high, cupinol, was suggested, which is much cheaper. Hysle will see if he has sufficient to donate.

The Pond Seat belongs to the Council. Mr. Glaysher will be asked if the Council will attend to it, or if they would allow the Society to do it.

Christmas Cards. These were not bought enough for Christmas Cards for many people and sales were low. £46.17 were collected but £60 still needed to cover the cost.

It was suggested that they should be sold at future functions price £1 for 10 cards.

Cards were sent to :- The Mayor, The Chief Executive, The Chief Planning Officer, The Borough Engineer, Mr. Glaysher, the Rector, Mr. Perry, and Mr Presswell who was sick at Christmas.

A.O.B. None.

The Next Meeting will be held at 1, Old Broombe Lane, on February 17th at 7.30pm.

Thanks were given to Mr. Sanders and Miss Sanders for their kind hospitality and the meeting was closed.

J. A. [Signature]
17th Feb 1981.