STAINTON & STREATLAM PARISH COUNCIL

General Purposes Meeting held on 24th May 2018

Present	J Rowlandson (JR)	J Teasdale (JT)	J Brown (JB)
	S Chapman (SC)(Clerk)		

- **1.** Apologies: B Hutchinson (BH)
- 2. <u>Public Participation</u>; None present
- 3. **Declarations of Interest**: (in Agenda items) None received.
- 4. <u>Minutes of the last meeting</u>:- **(**29th March 2018**)** Proposed by J Brown and seconded by J Teasdale.

5. **Stainton In Bloom**

The stone planter troughs are being filled with compost and planted up. The memorial park has had a 'moss and weedkiller' treatment applied by Mr P Coates.

6. Stainton Quarry

A newspaper report has indicated that Stainton Quarry management have approached DCC for advice about the possibility of them getting planning consent for a development of 27 houses and a retail unit on the site. DCC's advisory response was not positive towards the proposal and raised several negative points about the feasibility of the scheme. At this time no formal application is on record.

7. Playground

Councillor Brown is trying to get some example lay-outs of possible designs for the available space in the playground as it's now looking quite run down and in need of refurbishment. Potentially upgrading it could cost around £15000.00 but a partial refurbishment would could be much less.

8. Parish Council Website

The new website will cost £399.00 for the initial set up and a further £195.00 to transfer all current information over and ensure it is accessible as pdf's. The ongoing maintenance/running costs will be £150.00 per year. Councillors agreed to proceed with the new website and both JB and SC will be able to upload information onto it.

9. **Defibrilator**

The Village Hall committee have asked if it would be possible for the Parish Council to contribute towards the maintenance of the defibrilator that was installed at the Village Hall. The Council agreed this could be possible but need more information on how much the yearly costs would be in order to determine the required donation.

10. Financial Report:- Payments approved and made.

Weed killer and moss treatment (Memorial Park)	£20.00
Compost (for stone troughs)	£30.00
Laptop & software (through Transparency Funding)	£467.98
Grass Cutting (2 cuts plus VAT)	£312.00
Replacement park benches (4 plus VAT & delivery)	£2401.15
BHIB Insurance Renewal	£288.50

There is also a printer to be claimed for by the clerk, purchased to comply with transparency, this will be done at the next meeting. (Approximately £50.00).

Meeting closed at 9.20 pm.

FUTURE MEETING DATES				
Parish Council Meeting	Parish Council Meeting			
19 July 2018	20 th September 2018			
Stainton Village Hall	Stainton Village Hall			
7.00pm	7.00pm			
Parish Council Meeting	Parish Council Meeting			
15 th November 2018	17 th January 2019			
Stainton Grove Community Centre 7.00pm	Stainton Grove Community Centre 7.00pm			
Parish Council Meeting	ANNUAL PARISH MEETING – 7.00PM			
21 st March 2019	Parish Council Meeting			
Stainton Grove Community Centre	23 rd May 2019			
7.00pm	Stainton Village Hall 7.30pm			

Chairman	 Date	