

Rudston Parish Council

Annual Parish Meeting

Wednesday 8 May 2024 – 7:00pm

Present: Mr B Warcup (Chair)
Mr P Wood
Mr I Trudgett
Mr R Todd
Mr D Matthews
Mrs S Todd (Clerk)
Mr C Dewhirst

1. Minutes of last Annual Parish Meeting

The minutes of last year's meeting held on Thursday 11 May 2023, were agreed as a true record.

2. Matters Arising

There were no matters arising to discuss.

3. Chairman's Review of the Parish Council Year

The Parish Council year has had a reasonably quiet year with a few items to note.

- Several Planning Applications have been reviewed by the Parish Council and given due consideration and/or recommendations.
- A Speed Watch Group is now up and running following a training session held last year with members of the public and some Parish Council members. The Group have been active on several occasions and have noted a number of speeders, but more importantly are slowing down traffic by their presence.
- The new Village Sign has been completed and was erected on 1 August 2023 which was Yorkshire Day. Residents donated towards the sign to have their houses marked on the map.
- There has been flooding in the village and this resulted in the path alongside the Gypsy Race having to be closed until water levels subsided. There had been reports of effluent into the Gypsy Race further downstream but Rudston were fortunate with nothing being reported locally.
- A tractor run was held through the village which was well supported and raised funds for charities.
- Several events have been held by the Village Hall and were well supported, including a Duck Race held on Easter Monday.
- Potholes have been an ongoing problem through the Village. ERYC have filled some smaller potholes recently but there is still more work required.
- The Parish Council have been asking ERYC to install a footpath to run from Burton Fleming Road up to the war memorial to alleviate the dangers of crossing the road several times to keep to a footpath. The Parish Council will continue to press ERYC until the matter is resolved.
- Corner Garden has been maintained by volunteers in the village, but more volunteers are required to keep this area well maintained.

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- The Play Park has also been maintained by volunteers who have helped with clearing away wood when the trees were cut back. More volunteers are needed to help with maintenance of the play park including cutting grass and trees.
 - The Chair thanked the Clerk for the work undertaken over the last year.
4. Questions from the public
No members of the public attended the meeting.

Meeting closed at 7.10pm

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