

Langsett Parish Council

Minutes of the Meeting of Langsett Parish Council held at The Barn, Langsett on Wednesday 15th January 2025 at 7.00pm

Present: Cllrs Peter Horner (Chair), Linda Taylor, Lynn Hammond, Avril Sturdy (Clerk/RFO)

24/25-088 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence received, and accepted, from Cllr Kate Wood.

24/25-089 Declarations of interest

None received

24/25-090 Minutes of the meetings held on Wednesday 13th November 2024

It was **resolved** that the minutes of the Meeting held on Wednesday 13th November 2024 be approved and signed by the Chairman.

24/25-091 Matters arising from the previous minutes

None raised.

24/25-092 Public Participation

No members of the public attended.

24/25-093 Planning Applications received since the agenda was produced

None received.

24/25-094 Information on previous planning applications (decisions by BMBC)

Under consideration by BMBC:

2024/0608 Throstle Nest, Cranberry Road, S36 8FBD: Conversion of garage into dwelling including raising of roof ridge

2024/0826 Throstle Nest, Cranberry Road, S36 8FBD: Roof changes and patio area

24/25-095 Response to the consultation on PDNPA Local Plan

The meeting was informed that the Chair and Clerk had replied to the consultation on the PDNPA Local Plan, focusing on the major local issues of parking, lack of broadband speed and sustainable travel.

24/25-096 Items to bring to the attention of BMBC Neighbourhood Services

- The replacement dog bin at the top of Brookhouse Lane has still not been replaced
- Issues emptying the bins in the Flouch car park due to barrier height had been reported – no reply received as yet
- Grit bins requested to be refilled

24/25 -097 Footpaths and Public Rights of Way Issues

The Clerk reminded the meeting of the Fell Race on Saturday 2nd February 2025.

24/25 -098 Roads, Transport and Parking

No issues reported

24/25 -099 South Yorkshire Combined Mayoral Authority Bus Franchising Review

The Chair and Clerk had replied to the review focusing on the lack of bus services serving Langsett, and the impact of a lack of bus services on the residents and on visitors to the area, who could not access the Parish by public transport.

24/25 -100 Proposed projects of the Parish Council

The Christmas event held on Saturday 7th December 2024 was a success but it was suggested to plan a date earlier in order to set it in diaries, to avoid clashes close to Christmas.

Another event such as the History Day held last year was suggested.

A summer event , or a Garden event was suggested.

Resolved: Discuss suggestions at the March meeting

24/25-101 Peak District National Park Authority and/or Peak Park Parishes Forum

- PDNPA Community Nature Fund open for applications

- PDNPA notification of significant restructure (press release)

24/25-102 Response to PDNPA Parish Summary

The Chair and Clerk had responded to the PDNPA with updated information for the Parish Summary.

24/25-103 Broadband Provision

The Chair confirmed details from Quickline, with infrastructure work commencing January 2025. It was proposed to use existing cable to lessen disruption. It was hoped the installation would be completed by January 2026. The Chair would continue to monitor.

24/25-104 Provision of .gov.uk e-mail and website

The Clerk had been in communication with an alternative website/e-mail provider , which would potentially be financially lower than the current provided.

Resolved: The Clerk will undertake a trial of the new provider’s website provision.

Resolved: The renewal cheque payment for the current provider would be held until the trial of the proposed new provider had been completed.

(Vision ICT website and E-mail support and maintenance (Annual cost) £294.90)

24/25 -105 Finance and Accounts

Information was provided regarding matters having financial implications for the Council and to agree payments and note income in accordance with the Parish Council budget:

105.1 Resolved: The payments and income in accordance with the Parish Council budget as noted below

Receipts	Current account to be added from Wreath Making	£60.00
	Deposit account interest	£27.68
Expenditure	Clerks salary inc working from home (Dec 2024 & Jan 2025)	as agreed
	Clerks salary back dated payment to 1 st April 2024 (Min 83.4)	£75.60
	Peter Horner Expenses – wreath making event	£17.96
	YLCA training – Dean Furniss (Planning Pt 1)	£13.20

105.2 The bank reconciliation figures as at 1st January 2025 were received and noted

105.3 Budget requirements in relation to preparation of budget and precept request were discussed. **Resolved:** The Precept request would be for £4,058.00, an increase of 2%.

24/25 -106 Items of correspondence not appearing elsewhere on the agenda

None raised

24/25 -107 Any Other Business not on the Agenda

- Fly tipping noted at Hartcliff Hil, Cranberry and near old Flouch road. **Resolved:** report to BMBC

24/25 -108 Matters to be placed on the agenda of the next meeting of the Parish Council

- Website and e-mail provision

- Children’s trail

- Possible Summer Event

24/25 -109 Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting of Langsett Parish Council will be held on **Wednesday 12th March 2024** at 7.00pm at the Barn, Langsett.

Signed:

Chair _____ Clerk _____ Date _____