



MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF **HASWELL PARISH COUNCIL** HELD ON
TUESDAY 25TH JULY AT 6.30PM HELD AT HELD AT **THE HAZELWELL CENTRE**

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION EXCLUDED

Present

Cllrs C Hood (Presiding), J. Cook, G. Dunstone, O. Gray, E. Major, H. Milburn, B. Ramsay, K. Welch

County Councillors: P. Brookes, I. Cochrane

In Attendance - P.C Dean Wilson, 22 members of the public

67.17 Apologies

Apologies were received from County Councillor Eunice Huntington

68.17 Code of Conduct

Members were reminded prior to the start of the meeting of the need to disclose any interests, prejudicial or personal, in accordance with the Code of Conduct.

The following declarations of interest on this occasion:

- (i) Cllr G Dunstone declared a personal interest in the Haswell Friendship Club.*
- (ii) Cllr E Major declared a personal interest in St Paul's Church, Haswell*
- (iii) Cllr C Hood, H Milburn, K Welch, and S Hartley and County Councillor I Cochrane declared a personal interest in the Haswell and District Mencap*

69.17 Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 25th July 2017 & Friday 4th August 2017

Cllr Hood suggested several amendments to the 25th July 2017 minutes due to inaccuracies. These amendments were unanimously agreed and it was proposed that these were changed before being accepted. The minutes from Friday 4th August 2017 were accepted by Council for ratification.

RESOLVED

- (i) that the Minutes of the 25th July 2017 meeting with amendments, a copy of which had been previously printed and circulated to each Member, be approved and signed as a correct record by the Chair.
- (ii) that Minutes of the 4th August 2017 meeting, a copy of which had been previously printed and circulated to each Member, be approved and signed as a correct record by the Vice-Chair.

70.17 Police Briefing

P.C Wilson gave a comprehensive briefing (APPENDIX A). He mentioned that people may wish to contact him directly if they have any issues they would like to discuss.

RESOLVED

- (i) that the information be duly noted

71.17 Warden Update

There was no update.

72.17 Public Participation

The following questions and issues were raised:

- Mrs Chiverton asked if the parish council would move the public participation section to later in the agenda. Cllr. Hood said that the current parish council were simply following guidelines established by the previous council but that this council are happy to listen to the requests of the parishioners. It was agreed to move the public participation to the end of the next meeting.
- Mr Cairns congratulated the council on the carnival held in August 2017 and said it was the best thing to happen in the village since the 1960s. The council thanked Mr Cairns for his comments.
- Mr Hall said it was becoming more difficult for people from the villages to access NHS Dental treatment as many surgeries were being closed, including the surgery in South Hetton. He continued that trying to access NHS surgeries were becoming more and more difficult. Cllr Brookes said that it may be more productive to speak to the CCG and he would raise it with Public Health at County Hall. Cllr Cochrane said that he attended a meeting last week and the dentists at Easington Lane is looking to expand to cater for more people. Cllr Hood said that the parish council would collate a list of all the local dentists in the area for the people of The Haswells.
- Mrs Hood thanked the parish council for their help with The Haswells Summer Holiday Activity Programme. She continued that Haswell Mencap have been successful in obtaining more funding so that the programme can be carried out in the Halloween School Holidays and asked the parish council for their continued help.
- Mr Stokoe asked if there was any further news on the Tuthill quarry application. Cllr Hood said that there was a public open event due to take place on Thursday 5th October 2017. However, he had received correspondence from the planners that the event was being cancelled as it had recently been announced in the press that Owen Pugh were making redundancies. He continued that the public would be informed as and when the event was rescheduled.

RESOLVED

- (i) that the information be duly noted.
- (ii) that the public participation section be moved to the end of the meeting in October 2017.
- (iii) that Cllr Peter Brookes speak to the CCG and Public Health to gain more information

- (iv) that Cllr Hood provide a list of local dentists as a point of reference for the people of The Haswells.
- (v) That the parish council assist with the Halloween school holiday programme.
- (vi) That the parish council inform the public as and when the Owen Pugh drop in event is rescheduled.

73.17 Correspondence

The chair read out the following correspondence:

- A freedom of information request from a member of the public. Cllr Hood explained that the Haswell Parish Publications scheme, adopted by the previous council, states the general correspondence sent or received is classed as exempt material. He also explained that after taking legal advice, it was deemed that the request, even though most it is exempt due to the rules in the council's publication scheme, is also vexatious. He summarised that a letter had been sent back to the person explaining that the request had been refused and the reasons behind the decision.
- A letter from the trustees of Hazelwell Centre requesting £4000 for a new CCTV system. Cllr Hood explained that as per the standing orders of Haswell Parish Council, the letter given to the previous parish clerk at the beginning of the July 2017 meeting should not have been read out at that meeting. He continued that unfortunately said letter was not given to the council before the previous parish clerk before left. However, he did explain that the council would vote on the request for £4000 at this September meeting. A vote was taken and there was a unanimous decision not to grant the request due to a lack of financial breakdown or quotes. Cllr Hood summarised that he was happy to report that the trustees of The Hazelwell Centre had been working closely with the Area Action Partnership and are currently in the process of putting together an 'Awards for All' bid with their team.
- The council received three small grant applications:
 - The Haswell Residents Association – (CLLRS RAMSAY, WELCH AND MILBURN LEFT THE ROOM). Their request was for £200 for promotion material. All remaining members **APPROVED** the request.
 - St Paul's Church – (CLLR MAJOR LEFT THE ROOM). Their request was for £200 for repairs to the roof, the church hall and meeting room. All remaining members **APPROVED** the request.
 - Haswell & District Mencap – (CLLRS HOOD, MILBURN, WELCH, HARTLEY AND COCHRANE LEFT THE ROOM). Their request was for £200 to provide free meals for children attending the October Holiday Programme. All remaining members **APPROVED** the request.
- Cllr Hood read out a letter from the council insurers explaining that all the addresses had been changed and that an invoice had been received for the amendment to include the carnival.
- Cllr Hood continued that a letter from the council's external auditors had been received on 15th August 2017 stating:

"In the prior year we raised an issue as the period of elector's rights was not undertaken correctly, this was only an advisory issue as the period of elector's rights fell into the audit for the year ended 31 March 2017. This year, question 4 on the annual governance statement has

been answered yes. This means that the council have provided proper opportunity in the year for the exercise of elector's rights. This is incorrect as the current audit year includes last year's electors rights period and it was not undertaken correctly. Therefore, we will be raising a qualified issue as the period of elector's rights was not correctly undertaken in accordance with the Accounts and Audit regulations 2015. This email is to advise you of the qualified issue which is being added to your audit.

*Kind regards,
The Local Council Audit Team"*

The chair explained that if the auditor issues a qualified issue, it is basically a disclaimer or adverse opinion. He continued that a qualified audit issue doesn't mean that the council's financial statement isn't transparent but merely reflects the auditor's inability to give a clean report.

- The chair stated that on September 6th, 2017, the council received the following email from Funding and Programmes at County Hall providing *the Claim form and The Guide to Managing a Successful LEADER Project*. The email also asked if the council had a copy of the signed Grant Funding Agreement (GFA) for this project. He explained that unfortunately the council has not been able to find the GFA yet but are looking through the council documents. He summarised that he would liaise with Funding and Programmes at County Hall on the issues raised so that the council can claim the funding.

RESOLVED

- (i) That a grant of £200 be given to The Haswell Residents Association.
- (ii) That a grant of £200 be given to St Paul's Church
- (iii) That a grant of £200 be given to Haswell & District Mencap
- (iv) That the chair liaises with Funding and Programmes at County Hall on the issues raised regarding LEADER funding

74.17 Finance

1. Accounts

To approve the monthly accounts. The council could not approve any accounts as they had still not received access to the parish council bank account since the previous clerk left.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.

75.17 Planning

The planning list was circulated (APPENDIX B). There were no objections.

76.17 Tom Simpson Memorial Event – Saturday 16th September 2017

The Chair read out a prepared statement that had been circulated and agreed by all councillors prior to the meeting:

“After several requests from both the members present, but more importantly members of the local community of The Haswells, we feel the need to make a statement on behalf of this council regarding the event that took place here at The Hazelwell Centre on Saturday 16th September 2017.

I would like to stress for the purpose of the minutes that Haswell Parish Council were not involved in the planning of this event or any decision making regarding the guest list or running of the event.

The day saw the unveiling of a stone to commemorate the birth place of one of The Haswells most famous and successful son’s – Tom Simpson. The day should have been one of community celebration and cohesion – these are the two things that we as a parish council knew Tom’s family wanted after we discussed the event with them before it took place.

However, it was not.

It became in fact an exclusive event that the people of The Haswells could not access.

In turn, the hundreds of people who travelled to our villages from all over the country, were not given the chance to purchase refreshments or use toilets – both of which had a negative impact on people’s view of The Haswells.

I personally received a late request on Friday evening from Mr Simpson’s family asking if Haswell Parish Council could assist in providing teas, coffees and refreshments to the public.

This parish council, one of the two county councillors for our villages were not invited, whilst parish councillors from Shotton Colliery, county hall representatives and even this parish’s former clerk were invited and in turn allowed to enter the facility.

However, all that doesn’t matter - the true injustice, the real kick in the teeth for this parish council and the only issue that really matters is the fact that the people of this village were not allowed to enter The Hazelwell Centre on the day. This is just another example of the community apartheid the people of The Haswells say they face from several trustees of The Hazelwell Centre.

Since the current trustees of this centre took the community out of the name of the centre, they then also took the community out of it – the community say.

The events of Saturday 16th September 2017, the bad press generated in the name of our villages and the subsequent thoughts and feelings generated in this community by the actions of the trustees of The Hazelwell Centre, are all terrible outcomes for the villages.

In the words of one of The Hazelwell Centre’s trustees, the day was “Haswell’s biggest and most successful event” with “500 people attending”.

Even though this was not the case, what should have been a champagne moment for our villages turned out to be the organisers shooting themselves in the eye with the cork.

Haswell & District Community Centre was built by the people for the people. We as a parish council want this centre to be for our villages again.

Therefore, I table the following motion that Haswell Parish Council holds a public consultation event with the people of The Haswells to gage the public's opinion with regards to activity and use of resources within our community.

It is only by doing this can we give the community a clear voice in what is happening in their local area and as in our manifesto; we pledged to give people a voice and to act accordingly with the views of the people.

To repeat, the motion from the floor is as follows:

"That Haswell Parish Council holds a public consultation event with the people of The Haswells to gage the public's opinion with regards to activity and use of resources within our community."

Can I have a show of hands please from council members?"

Cllr Hood **PROPOSED** the motion. Cllr Gray **SECONDED** the motion. The vote was unanimous **FOR** the motion.

Cllr Cook said that she was disappointed in the actions of The Hazelwell centre regarding the day's events. She said that this council has shown a desire to work with the trustees of the centre and had even met with them to attempt to create a working relationship. She continued that it was now time for the trustees to start working with people in the village and that this consultation will show that it is not just the parish council but in fact the people of the villages who want to see change.

Cllr Gray said she whole heartedly agreed with Cllr Cook's comments and said that Tom Simpson's nephews had said they were disgusted that the people of The Haswells could not enter the centre on the day.

Cllr Hood closed his prepared statement by saying:

"In closing, Mr Simpson's family have asked me to thank all members of the community who attended the memorial unveiling event. They sincerely hope the community will benefit from any future promotion of the memorial. The family are grateful to parish council members who attended the event and they appreciated their support. They hope we can work together to continue to build upon Tom's legacy and would love to be involved in any further promotion to support the Haswell Village community.

I have a meeting date set with the family of Mr Simpson in the forthcoming weeks to see if we as a parish council, on behalf of the people of the parish, can continue to celebrate Mr Simpson's legacy."

Cllr Brookes said that he felt that the coverage was very good for the villages and he did not know where the complaints had come from regards to accessing the centre. He continued that his understanding was that there was a limit on the numbers that could enter. He also said that there was lots of people in attendance and that it was a great thing to honour Tom Simpson's legacy for Haswell and puts the village on the map. He said that the cycling community was very impressed and will generate a national interest in Haswell.

Mrs Carol Kell interjected that Tom Simpson's nieces, Maggie Parker and Judith Walton were *"in charge of the invites"*. She continued that *"all of The Haswells Community Party were invited"* as she *"saw the invite on your Facebook page"* and then said, *"if you didn't come in, it's not our (Hazelwell centre trustees) fault."*

Cllr Brookes said that it was important that Haswell Parish Council, the trustees of The Hazelwell Centre and the county council work together as there had been suggestions around an annual ride but he felt the chairman's tone didn't suggest that.

Cllr Cook said that a good example of a lack of working was the 'Parish Patch' and that everyone in the village put something into the publication apart from The Hazelwell Centre trustees. Mrs. Carol Kell interjected again at this point saying that the centre had never been asked to. The chair said that the offer had been made to the centre to the email address contact on the charity commission but again there was no response. He summarised that he had proof of this and it was available for inspection.

Cllr Cook said that this parish council were here for the community that voted it in and it was time for the trustees of the Hazelwell Centre to start including everyone from the community.

Cllr Hood said the content of the letter is the feelings of the people, not the parish council. He continued that the tone of the letter is because the parish council feels like there is no resolution close for the people they represent. He said that none of the parish council tried to enter the building, but it was the public who complained to the parish council that they were displeased with the actions of The Hazelwell Centre.

Cllr Brookes said that the county council will want to work with both the parish council and the Hazelwell centre. Cllr Hood said that Haswell Parish Council feel the same and he hoped that it was reciprocated by all parties.

Cllr Cochrane said that the day was a fantastic event and well done to everyone who organised it. He continued by saying that he had been asked to attend the event by the county council but when attempting to enter the building, he had been stopped by Mrs C. Kell, been told he wasn't invited and was told to wait outside to see if someone else "didn't turn up". Cllr Milburn asked if any of his county colleagues had been invited. Cllr Cochrane said they had. They included his fellow unitary councillor, county councillors from outside the area and parish councillors from Shotton Colliery. Mrs Kell interjected again and said that the other county councillors when informed of the event came into the centre and told the trustees they would come, but Cllr Cochrane did not, hence why he was not invited.

Cllr Cook asked the Chair if Haswell Parish Council had received any invite to the function in The Hazelwell Centre. The chair said that the parish council had received the public invite to the unveiling of the memorial stone but had not received an invite for the function. Mrs Kell interjected again and said that the guest list was done by Mr Simpson's family. The chair said that he would not be making any comment on the family and their participation in the event as it would not be fair to do so without them here, however he said he had spoken to the family and had included their comments on the situation in the prepared statement.

Cllr Brookes said that Sir Bradley Wiggins really enjoyed the event, signed lots of autographs and someone of that stature being in Haswell was very good.

Mr Liversidge said he was away on holiday and only had 2 weeks to help prepared the event. He said that The Hazelwell Centre had problems with health and safety. He said that the health and safety rules were the rules and the trustees of The Hazelwell Centre had to abide by them. He said that it was fine saying that “the people of Haswell said this and said that” but he had also received lots of people from Haswell telling him the event was great.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted

77.17 The Haswells Carnival 2018

The Chair asked if the date of the 2018 The Haswells Carnival had been set. Cllr Gray said that it was set for SATURDAY 18TH AUGUST 2018.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted

78.17 Review of Standing orders

The Chair asked for a discussion regarding the dates in which the Haswell Parish Council held their monthly meetings. He continued that the members had said that a change to a Wednesday night would be better for them. Mr Liversidge said that The Hazelwell Centre would not be available for the Haswell Parish Council meeting on those nights. Mr Kell said the community centre would not be available on those nights. The chair said that would not be a problem for the council. Therefore, the motion was:

“To amend the dates of Haswell Parish Council meetings from the last Tuesday of the month to the last Wednesday of the month starting in October 2017”

Cllr Hood **PROPOSED** the motion. Cllr Gray **SECONDED** the motion. The vote was unanimous **FOR** the motion.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.

79.17 Christmas Trees for The Haswells

Cllr Ramsay said he felt like it would be a good idea for our villages to have a Christmas tree in both Haswell and Haswell Plough. The Chair said he would look into the availability and costs of trees, installation, lights and power.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.

- (ii) That the chair looked into the availability and costs of trees, installation, lights and power.

80.17 Haswell Parish Council Christmas Lights

The Chair advised that the previous clerk said that several of the parish Christmas lights were broken. He continued that the council also needed to find out what lights were owned by the council. Mrs Chiverton interjected that it was very difficult to purchase lights this late in the year, and putting up a Christmas tree would be very difficult. Cllr Cochrane said it took them three weeks to do it in Shotton Colliery so we could easily do it in The Haswells.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted
- (ii) That Mr. P Levitt check the Haswell Parish Council Christmas lights and that they are working

81.17 Durham Miners Gala 2018

The Chair said that he had spoken to one band in preparation for The Haswells Banner attending the 2018 Durham Miners Gala. The band is called the Northern Monkey Brass Band and their style would suit the day. Their cost is £1500 for the day. The chair continued that the fee could not be agreed by the council until the 2018 precept is formulated but he wanted to give the council an update. He also said that hopefully some of the cost of the band could be covered from a grant from the Durham Miners Association.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.

82.17 Haswell Parish Council Facebook Page

The chair said that Haswell Parish Council currently has a Facebook page but it does not have access to it since the previous clerk left. Therefore, the motion to the floor is:

“To produce a new Facebook page for Haswell Parish Council”

Cllr Hood **PROPOSED** the motion. Cllr Gray **SECONDED** the motion. The vote was unanimous **FOR** the motion.

Cllr Cook asked who would be responsible for the new page when it was created. The chair said that the new clerk could be if it was decided.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.
- (ii) That the new Haswell Parish Council Facebook be created.

83.17 Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checks for Parish Councillors

Cllr Milburn said that she felt that it would be good practice for Haswell Parish Council members to have DBS checks as good practice. Cllr Cochrane said that all the county councillors were now DBS

checked so it is seen at good practice at county hall. Cllr Cook said that it would be worth checking if we need to have a new one as there are proposed changes to the DBS systems that might mean a DBS check covers the person for several appointments. The chair said he would investigate and report back.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.
- (ii) That the chair investigate the possibility of DBS checks for all parish councillors

84.17 Members Reports

Cllr Milburn reported on the following:

- The Haswells Residents Association - said she had received an email from Mrs Jackie Maull, Chair of The Haswells Residents Association. She said that the association was looking at getting back up and running after some problems over the summer. It continued that the RA believed that the pressure on Owen Pugh needed to continue and the efforts put in to try to get the planning permission for Tuthill Quarry refused. Cllr Milburn reiterated that this was the views of The Haswell Residents Association.
- Dog fouling - Cllr Milburn said that she had also received lots of requests asking if something could be done regarding dog fouling across Haswell, especially up at Pesspool Lane and around Blossomfield Way. Cllr Cochrane said he would take up the issue at county hall.

Cllr Dunstone reported on the following:

- Rats on George Street - He said that Cllr Huntington said she would investigate this at County Hall to see if this could be arranged at county hall and if anything had been done. The chair said that he would ask Cllr Huntington if anything had been done and if she could report on it at the next parish council meeting.
- Haswell Beck – he raised the ongoing query regarding the ownership of the Beck at the bottom of Windsor Terrace. Cllr Gray said that the report had come back from the Land Registry and it stated that no-one had ownership of the beck. Cllr Ramsay said Mr Cairns had reported on this matter at the last meeting and that the ownership lies with the former Haswell Coal Company. Cllr Hood said he would raise the issue with Public Rights of Way as they had shown an interest in knowing what was going on with the beck.

Cllr Cook reported on the following:

- New resident – she said that a new resident to Haswell Plough had contacted her and he was concerned that he did not know what was going in his locality. Cllr Cook said that she was working with the person to help.
- Fly tipping – Fly tipping on Mazine Terrace had been occurring and reported to her by residents. Cllr Brookes said it may be best to speak to Oliver Sherrett at County Hall to raise the issue with the wardens. The chair said he would do this.

Cllr Gray reported on the following:

- East Durham Transport Shareholders - she and the chair had attended the East Durham Transport Shareholders meeting and had been informed that the small shift time bus that runs through the villages taking people to the factory units was being stopped due to lack of use. She also said that the 22 and 24 buses would not be affected, and these services would increase when Lumiere was taking place. She continued that Arriva were also looking to increase the amount of 'Sapphire' buses used that have free Wi-fi and power points.

Cllr Hood reported on the following:

- The Old Recreation Ground – the registration with the charity commission had been amended so now the current parish council were trustees.
- General Data Protection Regulations - The GDPR will apply in the UK from 25 May 2018 and will affect this council. Training is due to be announced in the forthcoming months and the chair advised that all councillors attended.
- Parking issues at Haswell Plough - PC Dean Wilson had spoken to the vehicle owners and the issue was being monitored by the police.
- New Parish Council Office – the move to the new office was now complete and several partners had been informed of the change of address. Others would be informed over the next few weeks.
- Certificates – the councillors had attended the CDALC training for new councillors and both he and Cllr Gray had attended the Chairmanship training. Certificates of attendance were given to each councillor.
- Pitman's Parliament – the chair informed the council that an appeal to restore the Pitman's Parliament in the Miners' Hall at Red Hill, Durham is underway. There are 150 seats which have a number that corresponds to a colliery. Each sponsorship is £100 and all proceeds go towards the restoration of the Pitman's Parliament. A replica pit token bearing the chosen words from the sponsors will be fixed to the underside of each seat. Unfortunately, Haswell pit closed in 1895, before the miners' hall was built in 1915, so the pit isn't linked to any seat. There is however an option to sponsor a seat in the Pitman's Parliament as only half of the seats will relate to the number of a pit (the list used is from 1951 and by that time only 150 of the 300 plus pits remained open) so there is an opportunity to sponsor a seat and have a personalised token to dedicated to Haswell.

RESOLVED

- (i) That Cllr Cochrane take up the issue of dog fouling with Durham County Council.
- (ii) That the chair asks Cllr Huntington on a progress report regarding the issue of the rats with the Environmental Health.
- (iii) That the chair speaks with Public Rights of Way regarding the beck.
- (iv) That the chair speaks to Oliver Skerrett at County Hall regarding fly tipping.
- (v) That the chair book a token in the Pitman's parliament for Haswell Pit.

85.17 County Councillors Update

Cllr. I Cochrane informed the meeting that:

- Recycling depots – the depots are rotating to winter schedules from 1st October 217
- Lumiere – children from The Haswells, who attend Our Lady of Lourdes RC primary School in Shotton, are taking part in this year's event.
- The Haswell Carnival 2017 – the event was a fantastic day and the classic car club had been made very welcome by everyone.
- The Haswells Harvest Supper at St Paul's Church was a great event and thank you to Rev. Anna Brooker and everyone involved.

Cllr P Brookes informed the meeting that:

- A new town council was being formed in Durham City which was good news for the county as man. Arrangements are underway.
- A vote had been taken by DCC on a new offer had been proposed for the Teaching Assistants in the county. Unison were putting the proposals to their members. He said this was good news as it has been a highly contentious issue. There are approx. 200 equal pay claims that the council also must deal with in relation to this issue to ensure equality.
- Durham County Council must make £15 million of cuts in 2018 as part of £40 million of cuts across the next 3 years due to cuts from central government. DCC will be holding public consultation events across the Autumn so people can be involved in the decision making

RESOLVED

- (i) That the information be duly noted.

86.17 STAFFING

- i. To consider appointment of new parish clerk*

As by Haswell Parish Council Standing Order 1C - Meetings shall be open to the public unless their presence is prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted or for other special reasons. The public's exclusion from part or all of a meeting shall be by a resolution which shall give reasons for the public's exclusion.

Standing Order 23 (b) states that Councillors and staff shall not disclose confidential or sensitive information which for special reasons would not be in the public interest.

As the next agenda item does this the motion from the floor is to exclude the press and public from this part of the meeting due to the sensitive nature of the subject as it involves both confidential information and information about council personnel.

Cllr Hood PROPOSED the motion. Cllr Gray SECONDED the motion. The vote was unanimous FOR the motion. **THE PUBLIC WERE ASKED TO LEAVE THE ROOM AT THIS POINT.**

RESOLVED

- (i) That the new job advert, specification, salary and contract for Clerk be approved and published

INFORMATION

87.17 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

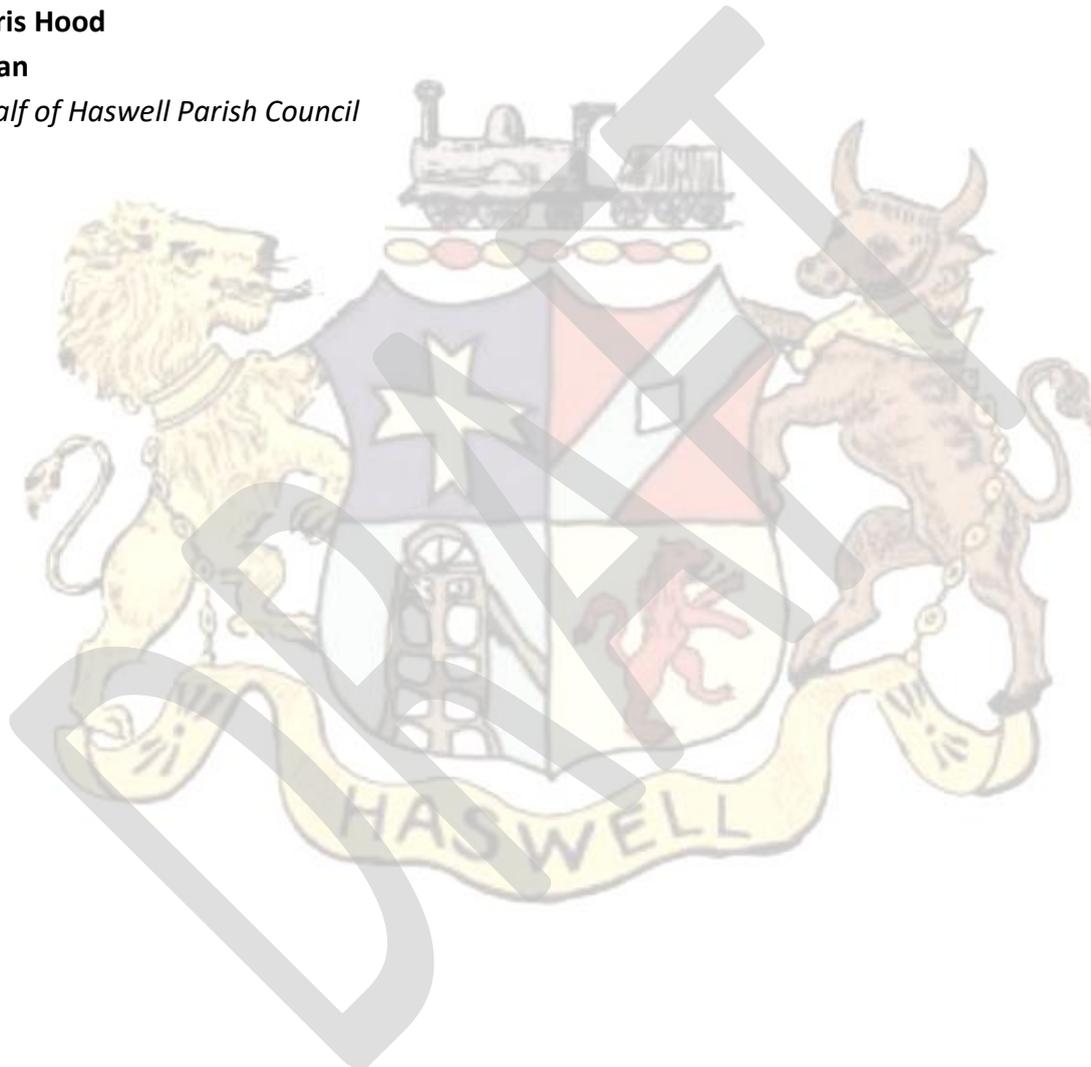
St Paul's Church Hall, Church View, Haswell at 6.30pm – Wednesday 25th October 2017



Cllr. Chris Hood

Chairman

On behalf of Haswell Parish Council



APPENDIX A
POLICE BRIEFING

**Haswell Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday 27th September 2016**

Report from 30th August 2016

Burglary – 2

06/06/16, The Blue House Pub – The pub has been broken into overnight and a bandit machine has been taken along with a bottle of spirits. Caller explained that they had found the machine in a field nearby field and it had been smashed. CSI attended and clear CCTV has been retrieved. On-going investigation.

13/09/16, Front Street – Reports that an empty house that is being renovated has been broken into overnight due to a board being removed from the window. CSI have attended and taken a sample of blood from the house. CID are currently investigating.

Thefts – 0

Criminal Damage – 0

ASB Nuisance –

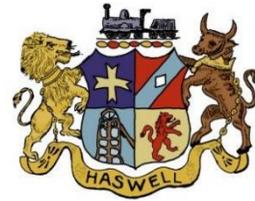
06/09/16, Kestrel Way – Reports that five youths are riding around on scooters and have built a ramp. It is causing an issue for driving going in and out of the estate and when they have been asked to move they have become verbally abusive. The youths were spoken to by police and given suitable words of advice.

20/09/16, Hazel Court – Reports that youths were running in the street and hiding behind people's vehicles. When police attended unfortunately the youths had moved on but close attention to be paid in future to prevent escalation or potential damage.

ASB Environmental – 0

PROVIDED BY PC DEAN WILSON, DURHAM CONSTABULARY

APPENDIX B
PLANNING APPLICATION



ORDINARY MEETING OF HASWELL PARISH COUNCIL

on TUESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2017 AT 6.30PM

TO BE HELD AT THE HAZELWELL CENTRE, WINDSOR TERRACE, HASWELL, DH6 2DY

PLANNING – SEPTEMBER 2017

<i>Reference</i>	<i>Agent Company Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Proposal</i>
<i>Ward</i> DM/17/02394/FPA Trimdon and Thornley	Trimdon HIS	High Gate House Front Street Haswell Plough Durham DH6 2EW	Erection of dwelling and detached garage