

CHILTON POLDEN PARISH COUNCIL

A MEETING OF THE CHILTON POLDEN PARISH COUNCIL WAS HELD BY EMAIL

As agreed by all Councillors under the (Business Continuity Motion)

“E” Minutes as at Wednesday 13th May 2020

- 1) **Apologies for absence: NONE**
- 2) **Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 8th April 2020** - these were accepted as a true record and agreed unanimously by the Council
- 3) **Planning: None**
- 4) **Financial**
Update – as of May 13th the balance at the bank stood at £12646.47
 - a) Clerks Salary – (April) £ 193.97
 - b) Authorisation letter to Santander Bank to transfer monies to new internet bank £ 2000.00

As agreed unanimously by all the Cllrs, the above will be paid by the Clerk
- 5) **PFA request for funding re shortfall (£2263)** – the emails from the PFA Chair were distributed to all the Cllrs. It was unanimously agreed by Cllrs to make a contribution of £600 from the Parish Council’s Well Being allowance to help the PFA towards their application.
- 6) **New Internet Bank** – the account is now operational and the initial deposit of £500 has been credited. The transfer of funds (agenda point 4b) will enable the PC to trial the new way of banking for a few months. Letters from Unity Trust Bank have been sent to Cllrs as signatories for completion
- 7) **Bonfires** – there have been a number of bonfires reported over the past few weeks within the Parish, to this extent please see the guidelines from SDC
<https://www.sedgemoor.gov.uk/article/1023/Smoke-and-bonfire-nuisance>

Thankfully, the green bin collection is starting up again and waste recycling centres are reopening

MATTERS OF REPORT – The Council had ordered VE Coins for all the children aged up to 11 within the Parish (for the VE Celebrations which were cancelled) It was agreed that all Cllrs to try and list families which have children aged up to 11 – so the Cllrs can deliver them in the coming week – self distancing being respected

The Parish Council would like to thank, not only NHS, Care, and key workers, but also to all the volunteers within the Village who are helping their neighbours get through this difficult time

Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday June 10th 2020