WEEK ST MARY PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council Meeting took place on Monday 16th January 2012 at 7.30pm under the chairmanship of Mr L Davies with 8 Councillors and 0 members of the public present. The following matters were discussed:

Filled salt bin successfully purchased and placed on Green Hill opposite The Glebe

<u>Housing Need Survey</u> Cornwall Council Affordable Housing Team Leader is prepared to do a rural survey on housing need and identifying suitable areas of land, that will cost Parish nothing. Parish Councillors will walk round with him. It was agreed to go ahead as soon as possible. In addition Cornwall Council has issued a call for land for development

Application for toilets renovation grant has been made.

Playing Field: SWEB will repair broken door on electric meter this week.

<u>Poor Man's Piece</u> – a meeting with Cornwall Rural Community Council drew up possible options which the Trustees will now pursue with the Charity Commission.

<u>Diamond Jubilee</u> — any funds left over will be put towards Parish Hall renovation. As events are organised by Parish Council they will be covered by Public Liability Insurance.

Correspondence was dealt with (for full list see agenda on Parish Notice Board and the village website)

1. Healthwatch - Public Meeting on Saturday Morning 14th January 2012 10 am Parkhouse Centre re Out of hours cover – Serco and Primary Health Care Trust will meet with League of Friends of Stratton Hospital to resolve the issue

<u>Finance</u> <u>Cheques</u> were raised for the following Mr JLA Race- Toilet cleaning; Booker Farm Services - Magazine paper; IF Barriball - Stain for seat; EDF Energy - electricity at playing field.

Renewal/tenders for contracts (grass cutting, playing field grass, toilet cleaning) will be sought. In principle Parish Council prefers to award to someone in the village, within the context of best value.

<u>Parish Greens</u> – Jubilee committee is investigating a grant of 100 trees to include a Jubilee Oak. Mrs M Smith will look at costs of buying just the oak.

Highways – Either Clerk or Mr I Barriball will report faults to Highways direct.

Community Policing - New PCSO to start in April. Clerk to invite them to the Annual Open Meeting

Planning

The following information has been received:

- 1. Grigham House Week St Mary Holsworthy Cornwall EX22 0XL Extension to the north side of agricultural barn to create 3 stables and creation of 40m x 20m dry exercise yard. Mr J Grigg PA11/09247 (Case Officer Richard White) **APPROVED**
- 2. Kitsham Poundstock Bude Cornwall EX23 0EQ Installation of 2 x CF15e kW wind turbines with 20m masts and 6m long blades Mr J Congden PA11/09209 (Case Officer Gavin Smith) WITHDRAWN
- 3. EN11/02935 Enforcement case opened 2.12.11 Insertion of 2 non obscured opening windows at first floor level on the side elevation of dwelling Regent House, Week St Mary, Holsworthy

The following planning applications have been received:

- Higher Whiteleigh Farm Whitstone Holsworthy Cornwall EX22 6LB Construction of covered livestock gathering area Mr J Uglow PA11/09570 (Case Officer - David Tapsell)
- 2. 4 Market Place Week St Mary Holsworthy Cornwall EX22 6XT Conversion of garage to kitchen/dining space with external alterations Mr And Mrs Coulson PA11/10079 (Case Officer Aimee Williams)

NEXT MEETING'S AGENDA

The Green Company have written with a new noise assessment report for a potential new application for one wind turbine on land at Week Orchard (previous application for two turbines at same height was withdrawn). It was agreed to consider inviting them to Parish Council meeting once a planning application has been made, or if there is strong demand for this action from parishioners.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Monday, 20th February 2012 at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall.

Nicky May - Parish Clerk