

Minutes of the meeting of Aighton, Bailey and Chaighley Parish Council. Monday 18th November.

Present: Peter Butterfield, Roger Wilkinson, Simon Bailey, Derek Harwood, Chris Berry, Christine Holden, David Bland.

Apologies: Margaret Carrington.

1. The Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a true record of the meeting. Proposed by Roger Wilkinson. Seconded by Chris Berry.
2. **Common Land:** No updates on this .
3. **Memorial Hall:** The hall has received a grant of £15000 which now means that the roof can be replaced. Total grants for this part of the project are £70000 against an estimate of £73000 and work on the roof can start. Peter commended the work of Margaret Carrington and Barbara Herd. It was discussed that an issue of Round the Green before distributed after Christmas to inform the village of this good news and introduce the next project area which will be the heating.
4. **Precept:** Discussion about the precept for next year. Last year it was £5350 , we received £5831 with our extra payment from Ribble Valley. It was decided to set the precept at £5600- proposed by Peter Butterfield and seconded by Simon Bailey.
5. **Plans:** The fishing shed at Trough House Farm has been refused.
6. **Planning:** The Parish Council made a response to the Invitation to comment on the Ribble Valley Strategic Housing and Economic Needs Assessment- stating its opposite to more building on green fields.

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Parish Councils Liaison Committee: Roger Wilkinson agreed to attend this meeting .

SPID: David Bland and Chris Berry to meet and put this sign up.

Conifers on Cenotaph: Chris Berry and Peter Butterfield to remove these in the spring.

Date of next meeting Monday 20th January.