



MINUTES of the ORDINARY COUNCIL meeting held at Redmire Village Hall on Tuesday 21st February 2023

Present: Cllr Houghton Cllr Jordan Cllr Spensley Cllr Strong
Clerk: MRS C Smith 5 Members of the public

23.12 PUBLIC REPRESENTATIONS

Members of the public raised concerns over the Iron bridge down near the river, following the landslide last summer and floods.

Cllr Houghton updated the Council that this has been reported to Bolton estates.

Residents raised concerns that the wall at Applegarth had not yet been reinstated.

23.13 APOLOGIES - Apologies received from County Cllr Sedgwick & District Cllr Amsden.

23.14 DECLARATION OF INTEREST -None.

23.15 MINUTES OF MEETING held on Tuesday 24th January 2023- Approved as a correct record.

23.16 REPORTS

a) **Police Report** – The Council discussed the police report and **resolved** to go back to the PFCC to request a face-to-face meeting rather than online.

b) **Richmondshire District & North Yorkshire County Councillors**- None.

c) **Parish Councillors**- Cllr Houghton updated the Council on the meetings attended with Aysgarth Medical Practice & the Leyburn PPG- see appendix.

Cllr Houghton also attended a meeting with Wensleydale School to discuss the closure of the sixth form.

23.17 PLANNING INFORMATION

a) **RDC Ref: 22/00167/FULL** Change of Use from Agricultural Building to One Bedroomed Dwelling Location: Barn Opposite Jonas Centre **GRANTED**



23.18 LAND

a) **High Green-** The Council **resolved** that the a diamond rail fence is needed (subject to quotations) to preserve the public parking spaces.

b) **Dog Fouling-** The Council requested dog owners to be responsible-please do not let your dog's run free on the Village Greens. Any instances of dog fouling are to be reported by residents directly to the dog warden at RDC, including specific details such as hot spots and times. The Council **resolved** to ask the dog warden to place signs on the Village Green as well as patrol the area.

Action: Clerk to report dog fouling issues and request that the dog warden puts signs up.

23.19 EVENTS- The Council discussed the Kings Coronation and **resolved** to form a community group for the event organisation.

Action: Cllrs Houghton & Strong to ask for ideas to be put forward from the local community.

23.20 FOOTPATH- The Council discussed the absence of footpath from Yoredale Cottages / Church Close up to the bus stop at that end of the village and **resolved** to ask highways for a site meeting to raise concerns.

23.21 FINANCE

a) **Bank Reconciliation Statement** dated 31st January 2023 - Approved and signed as a correct record.

b) **Items awaiting payment-** Approved

c) **Payment's schedule-** Noted

23.22 EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

a) **To note correspondence received-**None.

b) **Exchange of information from Parish Councillors-**None.

c) **Items for the next meeting Agenda-**None.

23.23 DATE OF NEXT MEETING -Tuesday 21st March 2023 at 7.30pm.



Appendix

Monthly Police Report – January 9th / February 6th

Incidents of note over the last reporting period:

13th Jan Report of theft of 35x acrow props and 1 x Stilsaw from the Wensley area.

Overnight 15th Jan theft of Quad bike from the Lunds area.

Between 17th and 18th Jan Theft of Quad bike from the Hudswell area.

Overnight 2nd Feb Theft of plant trailer from the Satronside area.

We do not report crimes whereby victims could be identified for example, Domestic Violence or Harassment, although they are included in the totals below.

6 – Theft

12- Abandoned calls

9 – Violence

8 – Road Traffic Collisions (minor).

21 – Suspicious circumstances.

2 – Fraud.

3 – Criminal Damage.

1 – Vehicle offence.

3 – Burglary.

In total in the reporting period, for the area covered by Leyburn, 141 calls were received covering a variety of incidents.

Numerous calls in the Suspicious circumstances, were to do with the door to door sellers who arrive in the area, CLAIMING to be selling households goods as part of their Probation or to gain points towards an Apprenticeship scheme. Please do not feel that you are helping them in anyway, politely refuse, close the door and call North Yorkshire Police, providing a description and if possible any vehicle details.

PCSO 5232 Don Watson

PC 355 Heather Campbell

PCSO Tracie Taylor – Page

PCSO 5777 Sharon Diamond



The Patient Participation Group for the Central Dales Practice

Synopsis of the meeting held on 20th February 2023

- Carers at Sycamore Hall can contact the CDP on behalf of patients.
- The Wi-Fi & land line in the Step-up Step down flat at Sycamore Hall has received donations from NYCC courtesy of Cllr Yvonne Peacock and from RDC.
- The CDP has a new website. The synopsis of the UDHW minutes will be put on this website.
- A centre page spread with information from the Central Dales Practice will be included in the May issue of the Upper Wensleydale Newsletter.
- There has as yet been no local Physiotherapist appointment by South TeesHsNHSFT. The Primary Care Network have a physiotherapist who can be seen in Leyburn or Aldborough St. John if a patient has not seen a GP / ANP about a specific problem. Appointments can be made via the Practice's receptionists.
- Staffing – Dr Pain has no plans to retire. The rumour that he is leaving is false. Dr Linda Philbin works at Hawes on a Wednesday and from April will also work there on Mondays & Tuesdays. Dr Pain works on Thursday & Fridays at Hawes. Dr Helen Law & Fiona Morrison (ANP) will lead the Aysgarth team.
- Elizabeth Fawcett is now the Aysgarth receptionist and Richard Cloughton the receptionist in Hawes. He is training to be a dispenser. Davina Lovegreen is the dispenser at Aysgarth. Amy Wardell provides Mental Health counselling on Mondays in Hawes. She will initially speak to a patient by phone but normally would be able to see an urgent patient within a week.
- A new phone system has been installed. This has had some initial problems for which the CDP apologises to anyone affected. There are now more lines for staff to phone out, and 5 in coming callers can be held in a queue. Callers are invited to choose from 3 options. 1 - Reception. 2 - Dispenser. 3 - Medical Secretary (probably to be re-titled GP Assistant). This is Sarah Weatherald.
- Better Access Clinics are held in Hawes on Friday evenings and at Aysgarth once a month on a Saturday 8.30 – 4.30. Dr Pain leads this service.
- Getting a same day face to face appointment continues to be a concern for some patients. Urgent patients are seen the same day. Patient footfall had increased by 35% since 2020. One problem is Primary Care patients waiting for Secondary Care appointments who get anxious during the wait they experience. Sarah Weatherald's role has been provided specifically to support this underlying issue.
- Samples must be requested by a GP or ANP. Any sample not clinically indicated will not be accepted. This is to reduce unnecessary work.
- Hospitals are commissioned to provide services to patients with specific geographical areas. If a patient wishes to be seen in an alternative hospital this is not always possible.
- The Friary Hospital in Richmond is not used by the Central Dales Practice.
- The Catterick Integrated Care Centre is going to happen, and the Friarage Hospital has got funding promised for new operating theatres.

Jane Ritchie, Hon. Secretary

Upper Dales Health Watch



AFOOT IN TWO DALES CHALLENGE WALK – 15TH/ 16TH JULY 2023

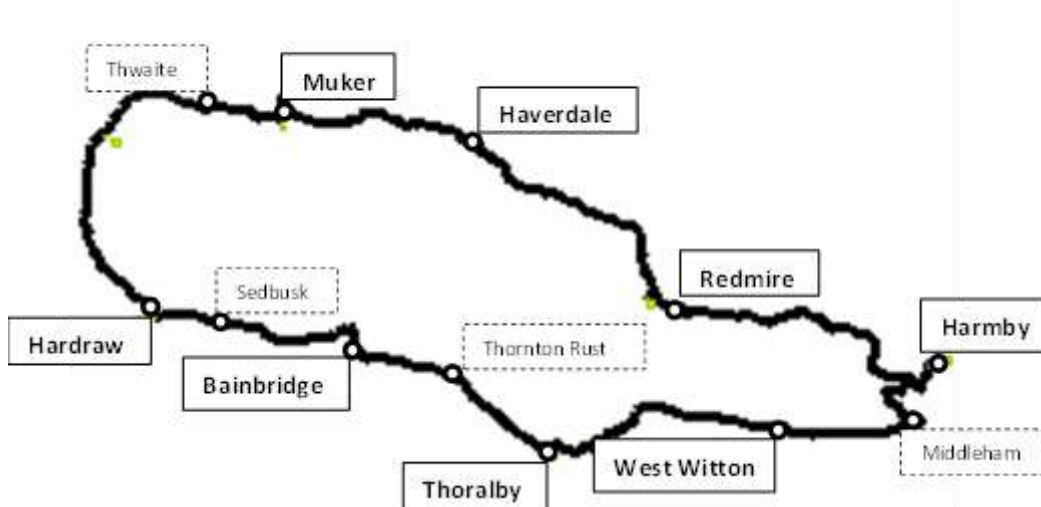
The Irregulars walking group is a local section within the Long Distance Walkers Association (LDWA) for people who enjoy walking long distances in rural areas. Over the weekend of 15th/16th July 2023 the group will once again be hosting a 50 mile/5,500ft circuit of the Yorkshire Dales for experienced walkers and runners, entitled Afoot in Two Dales. This is a circular walk on footpaths, bridleways and quiet roads through Swaledale and Wensleydale. After starting at Harmby Village Hall, participants make their way to the checkpoints listed on the right, where they will be given refreshments, eventually returning to Harmby. They will be setting off from Harmby at 8:00am on Saturday and have 22 hours to complete the route.

As in previous years, we anticipate 200-250 people will enter the event and they will be reminded at the start to proceed quietly through all residential areas, especially during the hours of darkness. Likewise, persons manning the refreshment points will make every effort to cause the minimum disturbance whilst at the venues but there will inevitably be some sound e.g. from cars arriving/leaving. Shown right is a sketch map of the route, highlighting the main places it passes through, and below it the opening/closing times of the checkpoints.

The local police force and National Park Rangers have been provided with details of the event. They foresee no issues as in past years. We are now in the process of informing councils and major landowners. If you have any queries, please contact Jimmy Smith by email at AfootinTwoDales@gmail.com or telephone on 07748 181823.

A detailed description of the route (in Microsoft Word format) can be downloaded by visiting: <https://www.ldwa.org.uk/TheIrregulars> and clicking on the Afoot in Two Dales tab.

The event is held with kind permission of the walk's originator, Jill King, and the former Cleveland LDWA Group; the route is available as an 'Anytime Challenge' walk that could be completed over two to three days.





Checkpoints	Venue	Opens	Closes
Start	Harmby Village Hall	Sat 06:30	
CP1 (7ml)	Redmire Village Hall	Sat 08:45	Sat 11:00
CP2 (14ml)	Haverdale Roadside	Sat 10:00	Sat 14:10
CP3 (19ml)	Muker Village Hall	Sat 11:00	Sat 16:20
CP4 (28ml)	Hardraw (Green Dragon)	Sat 13:00	Sat 20:30
CP5 (33ml)	Bainbridge Village Hall	Sat 14.00	Sat 23:30
CP6 (38ml)	Thoralby Village Hall	Sat 14:45	Sun 00:45
CP7 (43ml)	West Witton Village Hall	Sat 15:30	Sun 03:00
Finish (50ml)	Harmby Village Hall		Sun 06:00

Dog fouling

The dog warden has requested that residents report any instances of dog fouling directly to them detailing location and any details using the link below.

[Report dog fouling](#)

<https://selfservice.richmondshire.gov.uk/renderform.aspx?noheader=1&t=1108&k=22BCB893B0CF46C13645ADFB0ED77F8D9C49C85D&refresh=1ondshire.gov.uk>

Invoices awaiting payment

Play Park inspection costs RDC £ 93.60



Payment Schedule Payments made since last meeting

Date	Name	Description	Amount
15-Jan-23	HSBC	TOTAL CHARGES TO 24DEC2023	-8
21-Jan-23	HMRC	PAYE/NIC	-141.8
30-Jan-23	MRS CE SMITH	REDMIRE PC HWA	-26
31-Jan-23	Charlotte Smith	Redmire PC Salary	-149.65



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