

MAWDESLEY PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of the meeting held 14th March 2007
at Mawdesley Village Hall at 7.30pm

	<u>Present</u> Chairman – Ian Paterson, Vice Chairman Pauline Collins, Councillors Grahame Green, Martyn Dale, James Halsall Clerk - Gurby Woods, 18 members of the public			
1.	<u>Apologies</u> Cllr, Maggie Bell			
2.	Minutes of the last meeting held on 14 th February 2007 were proposed and accepted as a true record.			
3.	<u>Open Forum</u> James Sexton, Hurst Green – New telephone directory have been delivered. The old ones cannot be thrown in the cardboard/paper recycling bins, what is he supposed to do with the old one. Chairman Ian Paterson – No-one is sure, maybe they cannot be recycled. Maureen Barker, Hurst Green – A street light is not working on the footpath between New Street and Brookfield.			
4.	<u>Clerk's Report</u> Oak Tree, The Willows – Still not heard anything ownership Dark Lane, Hall Lane – No reply to letters regarding work on the bank. Parish Newsletter - Should have been distributed United Utilities stated they had cleaned up New St substation and an old post left on Bluestone Lane. The day after the last Parish Meeting someone had smashed glass bottles all over the Hurst Green play area, on equipment, the picnic bench, and in the grass. Please could people put bins out early morning instead of night before when weather particularly bad (windy) creates unnecessary work for the caretaker.			
15.	<u>Planning</u> None			
b.	<u>Decisions</u> The Clerk then read out various planning decisions			
c.	<u>Planning Appeals</u>			
	06/0470/FUL	Salt Pit Farm, Salt Pit Lane	Amendment to dwelling previously approved to incorporate a porch to the rear door	
	06/00468/FUL	Salt Pit Farm, Salt Pit Lane	Amendment to dwelling previously approved to incorporate a conservatory	
16.	<u>Any other business</u> Cllr James Halsall- Mawdesley continues to be a low crime area. One crime to report. Someone stole central heating oil from a tank at Andertons Mill. Vice chairman Pauline Collins - Would like important issue not discussed at this meeting to be carried onto the next meeting, e.g. Purchase of police car, SPID, Retiring Councillors bench/tree update. Youth club rent to name but a few.			
17.	<u>Accounts for payment</u>			
	<u>Chq No.</u>	<u>Payee</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>£</u>
	000012	LAPTC	Planning Training Course	£80.00
	000013	LAPTC	CILCA Registration for course	£70
	000014	Sycamore Landscapes	Planting of trees	£77.61
	000015	Lancs. Playing Field Association	Subscription	£15.00
	000016	LAPTC	Annual subscription	£343.27
	000017	Rufford Printing Co	Renewable Energy Leaflet	£350.00
	000018	Lancashire Best Kept Village	Village Competition	£10.00
	000022	Allianz Cornhill Insurance	Playground Inspection	£257.37
	000023	G Woods	Home as office expenses Nov to March	£130.00
	000024	G Woods	Stationary	£9.91
	000025	G Woods	Clerk March Salary	£214.30
	000026	J Woodhouse	Caretaker Feb Salary	£178.25
	000027	Mawdesley Village Hall	Donation	£2000.00
	000029	Pauline Collins	Clearing Village Hall after Renewables	£33.00
	000031	Pauline Collins	Bird boxes	£70.00
	000032	Bishop Rawstone School Fund	Printing for Renewables Evening	£50.00
	000033	Pauline Collins	Noticeboards	£380.00

. Meeting closed at 10.00pm

Signed
I. Paterson

Chairman

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