

MINUTES
Wighton Parish Council Meeting
Wighton Village Hall
Monday 4th December 2023

Present: S. Temple (Chairman) Cllrs, G, Brett-Reynolds,-
S.Trend, J.Harrison, J.Savoury
Apologies: Cllrs. T. Guillory and T.Green

Minutes and Matters Arising: Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 11th September 2023 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

Finance/Precept The clerk advised that payments had been made to:

NNDC (Dog bins)	£388.44
NNDC (Election expenses)	£20.69
Royal Brit.Legion (Poppy Wreath)	£20.00
Michael Brett (Cemetery Maint,)	£400.00
Dennis Francis (Playing field Maint.)	£445.00

It was agreed to give a £50 donation to East of England Air Ambulance.

With regard to the Precept for 2024/25 it was agreed that we would request the sum of £5000.

Cllr.Sophie Trend, on behalf of the Village Hall Committee, thanked the Parish Council for their donation of £500 towards furnishing the Meeting Room. Letters of thanks for donations agreed at the September meeting to EACH, MAGPAS and Wighton All Saints Church have also been received.

Biodiversity. *Practical Measures to help Enhance Local Habitats and Wildlife.* In a recent Weekly Update from NALC it was announced that there is to be a meeting in February 2024 under the above heading; Attached, is a report written by the Chairman which will be submitted at the meeting showing Wighton Parish Council's responsibilities.

Correspondence: Circulated to all Councillors as and when received.

Letter and drawings received from M.B.Howell (Monumental Masons) requesting approval of the proposed memorial to Mr.Alan Wright to be erected in Wighton Cemetery. All councillors gave their approval and M.B.Howell advised accordingly..