

Middleton St George Parish Council

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To Members of the Council

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of Middleton St George Parish Council at the Parish Meeting Room, on **Monday 11th May 2015**, at 18-30 for the purpose of transacting the following business:-

Members of the Public are invited and may address council at the discretion of the council.

AGENDA

1. **Welcome** to new Middleton St George Parish Councillors.
2. **Apologies** for absence
3. **Declarations of interest** in items on the agenda
4. **Election of:-**
 - i) Chairperson
 - ii) Vice Chair
5. **Election of Councillors to Sub Committees:-**
 - i) Darlington Association of Parish Councils
 - ii) Police and Communities Together
 - iii) Playground Sub Group
 - iv) Durham Tees Valley Airport
 - v) Allotments
 - vi) Northumberland in Bloom
6. **Approval of Minutes** of meeting on 9th April 2015
7. **Matters arising from the Minutes**
 - a. Gas supply for offices.
8. **The Front**
 - a. Replacement of the notice board on the banks at MOR
 - b. Stock of tools (maintenance of all items)
 - c. Giant Hogweed & knotweed control (commenced 23rd April)
9. **Water Park**
 - a. Rent & electric costs for Darlington & District Model Boat Club 2015/6. (see separate report)
10. **Outside Bodies**
 - a. Police & Communities Together (PACT)
 - (i) Report on meeting on 29th April
 - (ii) Next Meeting 27th May 2015 6-30pm Dinsdale Court.
 - (iii) Speed Monitor.
 - b. **Northumbria in Bloom 2015**
 - a. Progress
11. **Playing Field**
 - a. To accept monthly H&S Report (April)
 - b. Whirligig seats (2) update
 - c. Teams to weed kill play area & tidy 'Snooker' area (tie in with Northumbria in Bloom 2015?).
 - d. Fence to far boundary between playing field and Woodlands Green
12. **Planning Applications**
 - 15/00197/FUL Granary Low Middleton. 1 dwelling & 2 storey extension to make into 2 dwellings.
 - 15/00198/FUL 48 Middleton Lane, Conservatory & single storey extension
 - 14/01186/FUL 1 Hill Rise, Retrospective for external wall insulation

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13. Financial

a. Invoices raised

- Darlington Borough Council – Contribution litter picker £2800
- Low Dinsdale PC – 25% of ROSPA play area safety inspection £11.93

b. March Income - LDPC new swings, repairs £644.25, Network Rail £1000

c. Outstanding – none

d. The following invoices to be approved for payment.:-

11/04/2015	Long service recognition	Cheque	1/2000	20.98
13/04/2015	NDP & web recognition via Clerk	BACS	1/2001	25.00
20/04/2015	Zurich Annual Insurance	BACS	1/2002	1,228.96
24/03/2015	Meirhosting Domain annual rental	BACS	1/2003	4.99
30/04/2015	M.Palfreman March	SO	1/2004	630.00
30/04/2015	BT web hub	DD	1/2005	26.19
30/04/2015	Clerk wages	BACS	1/2006	458.33
30/04/2015	Cleaner wages	BACS	1/2007	60.00
30/04/2015	Litterpicker wages	BACS	1/2008	468.00
30/04/2015	NDP Secretary	BACS	1/2009	150.00
30/04/2015	Final Comm Centre gas	Cheque	1/2010	167.65
30/04/2015	Cleveland Councils Assoc annual	Cheque	1/2011	321.99

e. Sign appropriate cheque listed above

f. BDO Annual Review – M. Myska, Outside Assessor to report.

14. Correspondence Received -

- a.** DBC Election of Parish Councillors – Parish uncontested (Ward Contested)
- b.** Community Assoc regarding intention to set up a cafe
- c.** Parish Councillor Forms to be signed & returned to Clerk
- d.** Community Governance review – letter of 30/4/2015

15. Date of next meeting – Monday June 8th 2015 – 6.30pm

Copies of Minutes and Agendas are available at www.middleton-st-george.org.uk. **The next meeting of Middleton St George Parish Council is on Monday 8th June 2015** at 6-30pm at the Parish Meeting Room, Water Park, MSG.

If you wish to bring an issue to the attention of the Parish Council please put it in writing to the Clerk at least 5 days working days before the date of the next meeting to:-

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