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**NURSLING &
ROWNHAMS
PARISH COUNCIL**

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**Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on
Tuesday 15th April 2025 at 7:00pm**

Council Members Present:

Cllr P Bundy – Chairman (PB) Cllr M Maltby – Vice Chairman (MM)	Cllr T Swain (TS) Cllr J Lines (JL) Cllr D Hedges (DH)	Cllr G Orriss (GO) Cllr K Dunnleavy (KD) Cllr P Dukes (PD)
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In Attendance: Clerk: M Gordon (MG) – Cllr Nick Adam-King (NAK)

No.	No.	ITEM	Action by
1.		Apologies. The Clerk advised that Cllr Graham Barker (GB) was unable to attend	
2.		Declarations of Interests.	
	2.1	No Declaration of Interest	
3.		To Receive and Approve the Minutes of the Full Meeting of the Council held on 11th March 2025	
	3.1	The minutes were proposed by GO and seconded by MM. All agreed that the minutes of the Full Meeting held on Tuesday 11 th March 2025 were accurate and correct.	
4.		Adjournment for 10 Minute Public Question Time.	

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	4.1	No member of the public attended	
5.		Police Report and Community Safety from Police Officer Tristran Pugh	
	5.1	No attendance	
6.		TVBC and County Councilor's Reports.	
	6.1	Rownhams Lane –1 st phase, cracks have been sealed. 2 nd phase will commence on weekend 26 th – 27 th April. Traffic lights will be in operation.	
	6.2	Agreeing a set of principles for Local Government Reorganisation (LGR) submitted 21 st March 2025.	
	6.3	Consultation for devolution ended on 13 th April 2025.	
	6.4	Decision made for the construction of the Material Recycling Facility (MRF)) in Chickenhall Lane Eastleigh. Completion, end of 2027.	
	6.5	Process has started to recruit a New Chief Executive for County Council.	
	6.6	KD – At the planning meeting the previous week, the 2 Councillors on the Planning Committee managed to get a deferral for BESS application.	
	6.7	TS – BESS article in the Telegraph interesting.	
	6.8	TS – Test Valley Borough Council have awarded over £12,000 in VE Grants.	
	6.9	TS – Councillors Community Grants have reopened. Funds have been forwarded from last year. Nursling School was awarded a grant for their Eco learning.	
	6.10	PB – Planning permission for 270 homes at Halterworth was originally refused by TVBC. But due to the government revised NPPF (December 2024), planning has been granted.	
	6.11	PB – 18 th June an extra ordinary meeting is to be held of the Borough Council, to announce where the planning sites are being proposed. Can be listened to online.	
7.		To Dispose of Business Remaining from the Previous Meeting/Chairman's Report	
	7.1	Request to Purchase section of land owned by Parish Council at Trowbridge Close/Nutshalling Avenue. – MG to write to resident, requesting they get a valuation for the	Continues - Clerk

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		piece of land onto which they have moved their fence and hedge. The Parish Council will give it due consideration.	
	7.2	Financial Regulations 2024 – DH and KD to continue working on the regulations. Start date: KD took over 12 th November 2024	Continues – DH / KD
	7.3	Home Covert Link Path – Contractor to remove some trees near properties. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024	Continues - PB
	7.4	Resilience Forum/Emergency Planning – KD and DH to work on the policy. TS to ask Anne Longland and PB to speak to Carol Williams to see if they have any documents. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024.	Continues – DH / KD
	7.5	SANG alongside Broadleaf Development – PB waiting for contact from the Commercial Director, to be informed, date of work to be completed. Installation to be commenced shortly. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024	Continues – PB
	7.6	HGV signs regarding lorries using Nursling Street and Paulette LaCave Ave plus Hillyfields dropped kerbs – MG to contact NAK for update. Start Date: Before 16 th April 2025	Continues - NAK
	7.7	Climbing wall – PB to contact Brett. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024	Continues - PB
	7.8	Park Benches – Concrete bases. Benches to be bolted into concrete bases. Bases need to be laid by end of May. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024.	Continues - GB
	7.9	Speed Indicator Devices – PB waiting for quote from new supplier. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024	Continues - PB
	7.10	Tanglewood Lake – Gate now closes. Not on automatic hinged. MG to contact Brett, make clear to him that it still requires spring to be fitted. Start date: Before 16 th April 2024	Continues - TS
	7.11	Drainage for top pitch Recreation Ground – Brett to look at the problem when he removes the posts.	Continues - PB
	7.12	Microsoft 365 – Once all Councillors have set up the new email, email address will be placed on the website.	Continues - MM
8.		Approval of Payments for Period Ending 31st March 2025 plus Financial Reports	
	8.1	A schedule of payments and financial reports for the month ending 31 st March 2025 was presented to the Council. KD proposed the report be accepted, PD seconded, all agreed.	
9.		Pavillion Project Update	
		Cavity block work progressing to the first floor. Concrete block and beam floor has been installed over the extended part. The remaining floor to be installed week commencing 28 th April 2025.	

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10.		Retrospectively approve emergency work to clear culvert, quotation £2771.25 plus VAT	
	10.1	Payment for emergency work that was carried out to clear the culvert, Proposed by DH, Seconded TS. All agreed	Complete
11.		Vacancies for Parish Councillor's	Continues
		No response from Village News Magazine	
12.		Developments and Applications. Appendix 1 attached.	
	12.1	25/00501/VARS, LAND AT ADANAC PARK, NURSLING STREET, NURSLING – Variation of condition S10 (water efficiency) and 24 (drainage strategy) of 23/02905/VARS	No Objection
	12.2	25/00530/FULLS, PLOT AP6, ADANAC PARK, NURSLING STREET, NURSLING – Change of use from consented B1, E(9), B2,B8, B8 trade counter. Use to now include indoor sports, to building B unit B7 only	No Objection
	12.3	25/00515/CLPS, 73 HARRISON WAY, ROWNHAMS – Application for lawful development certificate, for proposed garage conversion including bricking up garage door to create habitual space.	No Objection
	12.4	25/00628/FULLS, 9 UPTON CRESCENT – Single storey rear extension with replacement of existing flat roof above garage and kitchen. 2 sky lights to be installed on rear of new roof and exterior rendered off white.	No Objection
	12.5	25/00628/FULLS, 9 UPTON CRESCENT, NURSLING – Same as above, apart from addition – New raised decking to rear	No Objection
	12.6	25/00529/FULLS, PLOT AP6, ADANAC PARK, NURSLING STREET, NURSLING – Change of use from consented B1, E(g), B2, B8, B8 Trade counter, to now use, class E(d) for indoor Padel Court, to building A units A1 and A2 only (See item 2 above)	No Response
	12.7	23/03055/FULLS, LAND AT MILL LANE/WESTON LANE, NURSLING – BESS, For information Only	Meeting at Crossfield Hall
	12.8	25/00662/FULLS, 2 MEADOW VIEW COTTAGES, CHURCH LANE, NURSLING – Change of use of open land to garden area and erection of single storey extension	

13.		Correspondence for Discussion and Action. Appendix 2 Attached	
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	13.1	New pavilion, curved canopy to be constructed over main entrance. Will stop doors being jammed open	
14.		Members questions	
	14.1	Discussion on Structures along Romsey Road. Enforcement Officer stated the structures are under permitted development.	Continues
	14.2	Enquiry from SSEN to erect green boxes in Balmoral Way, close to the junction of Greenwood Close. Parish would like to create a lay-by. MG to write to NAK.	Continues
	14.3	DH – REFERENCE: BUSINESS REMAINING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING – Suggestion we have an end by date for each project.	
	14.4	KD – CAROL SERVICE, THURSDAY 18TH DECEMBER 2025. Hall and kitchen booked for food and drinks afterwards. Volunteers required to arrange the refreshments. DH, PD, GO possibly be able to help.	Continues - KD
	14.5	TS – NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN – A plan for the village. In July, to hold an open meeting with Test Valley Neighbourhood plan Officers attending. Residents and Local Community Groups to be invited.	

The meeting closed at 9.35pm

The next Full Meeting of the Council will be held on Tuesday 13th May 2025