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**NURSLING &
ROWNHAMS
PARISH COUNCIL**

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**Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on
Tuesday 11th February 2025 at 7:00pm**

Council Members Present:

Cllr P Bundy – Chairman (PB) Cllr M Maltby – Vice Chairman (MM)	Cllr G Orriss (GO) Cllr G Barker (GB)	Cllr D Hedges (DH)
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In Attendance: Clerk: M Gordon (MG)– Cllr Nick Adam-King (NAK) – PC Tristan Pugh – PCSO, Alex, Pauline Dukes

No.	No.	ITEM	Action by
1.		Apologies. The Clerk advised that Cllr Terese Swain (TS) - Cllr Jo Lines (JL) and Cllr Karen Dunleavey (KD) were unable to attend	
		Additional Item: PB informed the Council that Cllr Hilary Painting passed away two weeks ago. Hilary was leading on the resilience programme that was to be introduced, she was tree warden and due to her experience, during covid she helped by advising how to manage to keep the public buildings in Nursling and Rownhams open. Hilary will be sadly missed.	
2.		Declarations of Interests. GB declared interest regarding new pavilion in item.	

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	2.1	GB will be on a rolling declaration for the construction of the New Pavilion.	
3.		To Receive and Approve the Minutes of the Full Meeting of the Council held on 7th January 2025	
	3.1	The minutes were proposed by MM and seconded by DH. All agreed that the minutes of the Full Meeting held on Tuesday 7 th January 2025 were accurate and correct.	
4.		Adjournment for 10 Minute Public Question Time.	
	4.1	No member of the public attended	
5.		Police Report and Community Safety from Police Officer Tristran Pugh	
	5.1	Lakeside Avenue, No Fishing Sign. Brett at TVBC to be contacted	Continue
	5.2	Female still prolifically shop lifting	
	5.3	Broadleaf Park, problems with Quad Bikes. Residents are looking at trying to make the area more resistant, possibly dragon's teeth.	
	5.4	3 Incidents of criminal damage	
	5.5	Several incidents of drink driving, and or under the influence of drugs	
	5.6	High level of road traffic incidents in January, including 2 serious accidents.	
	5.7	Thefts from motor vehicles and many shoplifting incidents.	
6.		TVBC and County Councilor's Reports.	
	6.1	NAK. Work to repair collapsed water main in Romsey Road, completed. Due to disruption of the road being closed, the planned work in Rownhams Lane from North Baddesley to Rownhams was postponed until later in the year.	
	6.2	NAK. The emergency access that is being created in Nursling Street will be gated and permanently closed.	
	6.3	NAK and Caroline Nokes. Had a meeting with Southern Water reference loss of water in December. Many households have not yet received compensation. Southern water supply map was inaccurate.	
	6.4	NAK. Lymer sewage bills should be reduced by approximately 30%	
	6.5	NAK. Has been accepted on the devolution priority programme, meaning no County Council elections this year. Mayor and County Council Elections to be held May 7 th 2026	

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	6.6	NAK. Proposal for HCC to increase Council Tax by 4.99%	
	6.7	PB. Still going forward with the local plan. Due to the vast increase in housing numbers that Test Valley have to construct, new sites need to be found all over Test Valley including rural areas.	
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. – PB and Clerk to take a look.	Continues
	7.2	Financial Regulations 2024 – DH and KD have looked at the latest model. Looking to see if target dates have been updated, but dates have not been changed. KD and DH meeting the following week.	Continues
	7.3	Home Covert Link Path – Waiting to see what happens with the Ash trees	Continues
	7.4	Resilience Forum/Emergency Planning – Have received Chilworth pack to use as a guide.	Continues
	7.5	SANG alongside Broadleaf Development – Waiting to hear when the opening of the trim trail is to be. Nails have been removed.	Continues
	7.6	HGV signs regarding lorries using Nursling Street and Paulette LaCave Ave plus Hillyfields dropped kerbs – Signs have been ordered. NAK to investigate dropped kerbs	Continues
	7.7	Climbing wall – Posts cannot be removed at the moment, as ground is too soft	Continues
	7.8	Park Benches – Concrete bases. No update	Continues
	7.9	Speed Indicator Devices – Hopefully will be delivered in the next few weeks.	Continues
	7.10	Tanglewood Lake – Gate now closes, but still requires a spring to be fitted	Continues
	7.11	Drainage for top pitch Recreation Ground – PB to contact Brett at TVBC.	Continues
	7.12	Microsoft 365 - New email address, MM suggested “nandrparish.gov.uk” Proposed by GO, seconded by DH. All agreed. MM will submit the form to the committee for approval. At the moment the website address will not be changed.	Complete
	7.13	MM reference adopting an abuse policy – MM to finalize document. Will send to Councillors for approval. If all agree, to be adopted at next Parish Council meeting.	Continues
8.		Approval of Payments for Period Ending 31st January 2025 plus Financial Reports	
	8.1	A schedule of payments and financial reports for the month ending 31 st January 2025 was presented to the Council. GO	

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		proposed the report be accepted, MM seconded, all agreed.	
9.		Pavillion Project Update (Consideration of possible redesign options)	
		Foundations formed. Concrete has been laid. Block work completed to floor level. Next stage will be to do the oversight, at which point the building inspector will be requested to visit. It will then be ready to carry on building upwards.	
10.		Vacancies for Parish Councillor's	
		Pauline Dukes has been Co-Opted this evening to replace the vacancy created by the resignation of Phil Lomax. Due to passing away of Bill Ashdown there is another vacancy. This has been advertised in the Village News.	
11.		Test Valley Borough Council Maintenance, Quote. £12,153.56 plus VAT.	
		Increase of 2.5% from last year. Acceptance of quote, proposed by DH, seconded by MM. All agreed	
12.		Test Valley Borough Council Dog Bin Emptying, Quote. £1,212.85 plus VAT	
		Acceptance of quote, proposed by DH, seconded by MM. All agreed	
13.		Developments and Applications. Appendix 1 attached.	
	13.1	25/0001/VARS, LAND AT ADANAC PARK, NURSLING STREET – Variation of condition 23/02931/RESS. To allow additional external lighting	No Objection
	13.2	24/02968/FULLS, 2 LUKIN DRIVE, NURSLING – Lean to gazebo	No Objection
	13.3	25/00049/FULLS, 15 HOME FIELD DRIVE, NURSLING – Single storey side extension	No Objection
	13.4	25/00050/FULLS, AUSTREY WOOD, UPPER TOOTHILL ROAD, ROWNHAMS – Erection of detached garage and detached gym/games room.	No Objection
	13.5	25/00070/AGNS, LAND AT ROWNHAMS LANE, ROWNHAMS – Erect steel portable frame, agricultural building.	No Objection
	13.6	24/02264/FULLS, LAND AT UPTON LANE, NURSLING - BESS	Objection. Recent amendment to this application, does not result in substantial

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			changes
	13.7	25/00106/FULLS, LAND AT ADANAC PARK, NURSLING STREET, NURSLING – Construction of a new security lodge building with 2 car parking spaces and landscaping.	No Objection
	13.8	25/00117,FULLS, 6 TESTLANDS AVENUE, NURSLING – Single storey, front side, rear extension. Raise roof ridge to enable loft conversion, addition of side dormer and rooflights. Removal of chimney and alterations to fenestration.	No Objection
	13.9	25/00190/FULLS, TREESIDE, 8 BAKERS DROVE, ROWNHAMS – First floor front extension above porch.	Decision date not due

14.		Correspondence for Discussion and Action. Appendix 2 Attached	
	14.1	Vacancy for a Parish Councillor, due to resignation of Phil Lomax. Pauline Dukes gave a short presentation to the Council. PB invited Pauline Dukes to join the Parish Council. All Councillors agreed. Pauline Duke accepted.	
15.		Members questions	
	15.1	GO reported that the defibrillator in Redbridge Lane has been vandalised.	
	15.2	GO confirmed that this years Mayfair has been cancelled	

The meeting closed at 21.25pm

The next Full Meeting of the Council will be held on Tuesday 11th March 2025