

**PRÉCIS OF THE MINUTES OF HIGH WYCH PARISH COUNCIL  
WEDNESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2018**

**Council Administration**

- The minutes from the Parish Council meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017 minutes were approved and signed as a true record
- Draft Parish Council standing orders to be circulated to Parish Councillors for any additional comment

**Allens Green**

- Hertfordshire County Council has accepted an offer of £25,000 from the newly established charity 'The Hall on the Green' to purchase the Allens Green Village Hall. A £4,000 contribution from the Parish Council will be provided to enable this. In the meantime the sale and transfer documentation will be prepared
- The annual Allens Green show will be held on the 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> February will an additional matinee performance for the first time

**Litter**

- A bin is to be placed in the vicinity of the Village Shop

**WW1 Centenary Commemorations**

- A well attended community meeting was held on 16<sup>th</sup> January, following which a programme of events will be compiled

**The Link Parish Magazine**

- A series of meetings have been held to progress the idea of distributing an expanded edition of The Link (Big Link) quarterly to all homes within the ecclesiastical parish commencing February. The usual smaller A5 size magazine will be distributed to subscribers between these times as usual

**Car parking**

- The Memorial Hall Caretaker will be approached for a proposal to clear the carpark when it snows
- Following recent thefts and damage to vehicles, installing carpark CCTV will be investigated

**King George V Playing Field**

- An inspection of playground equipment has been completed - a small number of items requiring attention will be actioned including cleaning surfaces that have become slippery
- A committee will be set-up to investigate plans to improve facilities and equipment on the field

**Other Items**

- The annual Rivers Orchard Wassail will not be taking this year

**Finance**

- Account balances as of 1<sup>th</sup> February:

Current Account	£440.97
Deposit Account	£10,000
Total	£1440.97*

\*£6,500 of this balance has been allocated

**Next Meeting: Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2018** (*more information from [samrobertclark@gmail.com](mailto:samrobertclark@gmail.com)*)