**MINUTES OF**

**MELMEBRY & MIDDLETON QUERNHOW**

**PARISH COUNCIL**

**Melmerby Village Hall**

**Wednesday 2nd February 2022**

1. Those Present Cllr J Foster; Cllr K Blythe; Cllr A Richardson; Cllr P Kettlewell
2. Apologies of absence Cllr Margaret Atkinson
3. Minutes of last meeting read and signed
4. Matters arising None
5. Report from: Cllr Bateman is ill; Cllr Atkinson on holiday
6. Open forum

The new North Yorkshire Council elections this year the next ones in five years after that

Why have the cat’s eyes been removed they will be replaced with LED lights which will be visible from further away.

Residents were very concerned with the new highway rules regarding pedestrians and cyclists and the possible accidents that might be caused by these.

The cricket club wishes to use the playing field for Melmerby Fest this summer and this was agreed.

1. Highways

Melmerby Green Lane the road has not been resurfaced as North Yorkshire promised

The pot holes outside Blythes have been approved and are on the works list

1. Police update unable to attend
2. Planning

* Woebeck Court Conversion of outbuilding to provide accommodation PASSED
* Potters variation of conditions with 5 industrial units PENDING
* Grange Farm new access road to farm PENDING

1. Playing field

Cllr Foster purchased two new seats for the older children’s swings and mended the entrance gate by the village hall

The gate on the estate side is not closing and needs mending Cllr Blythe will look into this. Some of the equipment will need painting this year

The hedge nearest to the corner needs to be removed and a decision as to whether it needs replacing can be decided afterwards.

1. Accounts

Read and agreed as correct

Internet Banking Bank charges not enough to warrant using internet banking at present

1. AOB
2. Date of next meeting Wednesday May 18th or 25th May

Meeting ended 8.10pm

Signed as correct Chairman …………………………………………………………………. Date………………….

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| Quarterly Accounts 2021/22 | | | |
| 1st November 2021 to 31st January 2022 | | |  |
| Payment | Paid out | Paid in | C/F |
|  |  |  | £10,241.52 |
| PAYE | £60.00 |  | £10,181.52 |
| Clerk Salary | £240.00 |  | £9,941.52 |
| Trade waste | £27.80 |  | £9,913.72 |
| Grass cutting | £270.00 |  | £9,643.72 |