

**Buerton Parish Council**

**Minutes of the Buerton Village meeting held 7.15 p.m. Tuesday 2nd April at Hankelow Church Hall**

**Present:** Cllr N Bonell, Cllr I Shaw , Cllr E Lancaster (Chair), Cllr O Bonell, Cllr A Goodwin  
Cllr R Bailey (CEC)  
Parishioners 1

**In attendance:** J Kemble Clerk

**Apologies** Cllr E Green

VM13.1 The Chairman outlined the current position of Council projects and endeavours :-

- a) New War Memorial Now in place and awaiting paving to match up with that round the seating area.
- b) Relocation of the original war memorial tablet.  
Rogers will install this into the Audlem Burial Ground Chapel in the next 3 or 4 weeks in the agreed location.
- c) School playing field development.  
Work will start on the playground on 8<sup>th</sup> April with completion by the end of the month.  
Following this, the paths and access will be installed together with the paving around the new war memorial.
- d) Red Phone box.  
Now locked up and looking tidy with the banking behind supported.

VM 13.2 The clerk outlined the financial situation of the Council.

RBS account at year end stands at £36798.

NS&I account stands at £4678.

Current liabilities in the form of orders placed are £23285 for the playground and £432 for the relocation of the original war memorial tablet.

After accounting for the normal running costs of the Council, the surplus would be available to pay for the paths, paving and access for playing field.

VM 13.3 It was agreed that any further projects should be decided when the playing field works and other current projects had been completed.

VM 13.4 Topics raised by the meeting:-

Repair and painting of the Cheshire railings both by the playing field and alongside Goodwin's field on the A525. Council agreed to review ways, means and prices.

Emptying of the rubbish bins on the playing field. This was explained by Cllr Lancaster who confirmed that the big green bin would be removed and that the new bin recently installed by the Parish Council was emptied regularly by her and the contents taken away by CEC.

There being no other business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 7.35 p.m.