

Speeding (VAS) – there was a meeting in this connection on the forthcoming Monday, but no councillor was able to attend. The Clerk was instructed to seek further information, and would keep members informed.

Finance

The Treasurer presented the financial report as follows:-

High Interest Account	24309.94
Current Account	708.13

Payments had been made as follows:-

Saxton in Bloom	52.00
Clerk's expenses	167.44
VHGC	1500.00
1 & 1 internet	21.56
Saxton Parochial Church Council	50.00
Parkinsons Charity	50.00

Approval was given to pay £86.64 Clerk's expenses and £19.34 Complaints Committee Chairman's expenses. Later in the meeting the Parish Council agreed to renew its membership of the YLCA, the subscription for which is £293.00, and to contribute £600 to Save Saxton's Green Belt's efforts to combat the D1 application relative to the school playing field.

£2000 had been transferred from the High Interest to the Current Account

The closing balances were therefore:-

High Interest Account	22309.94
[of which £1135.44 is the Flood Defence Fund]	
Current Account	867.13

Finally, it was decided to pay the Treasurer's son £100 annually for the work he regularly undertakes in updating the Parish Council website

The Clerk was instructed to request an apology from Selby District Council over their Council Tax mistake, and to enquire about the overpayment it would appear this parish has made over the years.

Planning in the Parish

Application for installation of wood burning stove at School Farm, Dam Lane – this had been approved

Application for residential development on field south of Pear Tree Farm, Saxton – this had been approved

Application for D1 consent for playing field by Saxton School – the Parish Council was still opposed to this, and voted £600 to Save Saxton's Green Belt to fund a professional report, which would be shared with the Parish Council. The Clerk was instructed to ask for an extension to time for our response

Drainage

The Chairman had not yet spoken to John Hodgson from Highways, but would follow the matter up urgently. Also Cllr. Ms Marshall would obtain an estimate for a CCTV report in Saxton Lane, and report to the next meeting

YLCA Membership

It was resolved to renew the Parish Council's membership; the subscription is £293.