



Minutes of Grindleton Parish Council During Coronavirus Pandemic 20th May 2020

The Parish Council have agreed not to hold any further face to face contact meetings until September due to the Coronavirus Pandemic Restrictions. However, there have been issues that have been addressed electronically since the last meeting.

1. **Cherry Trees**

The cherry trees have been planted – total cost £120. Cllr Entwistle and E Flatley agreed to water twice week.

2. **Grant applications**

The PC has been successful in securing a grant from RVBC – Ribble Valley in Bloom – £172 to go towards the cost of summer bedding plants for the tubs around the village. The PC have opted into the Public Rights of Way Scheme which has been increased to £500 this year.

3. **WI waste paper collection point**

John Groom made request to PC and WI to remove existing wooden surround and to extend the wall he has already built to incorporate the existing fig tree and plants. The PC made clear that as it is a Public Right of Way, they would not have the authority to allow him to take ownership of the land but would not have any objections to seeing the area improved.

4. **Insurance**

It was agreed to continue with Zurich Insurance and the premium of £570.80 was paid by BACS.

5. **Kissing gates**

The materials for 2 new kissing gates have been purchased. Awaiting authorisation for payment of £283.32

6. **Lengthsman**

Mark has started work in the village from 22/5/20