

KNODISHALL PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 18th November 2025

PRESENT: Councillors J Mayhew (Chair), J Clements, N Black, R Hardy, Clerk D Sanders & Cllr Whitelock

No residents in attendance

The meeting commenced at 19:30

1. APOLOGIES – SCC TJ Haworth-culf

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST – Cllr Mayhew & Cllr Clements for item 11

3. MINUTES – Approval of minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 21st October 2025. Proposed by Cllr Hayward and seconded by Cllr Black and thus agreed by the Parish Council to accept the Minutes of the last meeting.

4. CLERK'S REPORT AND MATTERS ARISING

All matters covered within agenda items

Closed at 19:36 for ESC Cllr Whitelock

- Post office for coop
- Sealink – cable corridor
- Coordination of sizewell c and construction projects
- Reorganisation chart
- Bulbs – annual giveaway

Chair asked if any availability for funding for the newsletter however we cant get funding for the same thing twice however will be looked at.

Reopened at 19:48

5. CO-OPTION OF NEW COUNCILLORS – no interest

6. PLANS – No plans

7. PRECEPT – review budget

It was agreed by council to see if we can get funding from SCC for newsletter and a breakdown of donations before approving the precept.

8. TRAFFIC CALMING

8.1 Cllr Hardy reviewed the village gate situation and unfortunately Saxe mens shed cannot help and therefore will need to seek other options.

8.2 Clerk to review village gate situation and obtain new quotes

8.3 Cllr Hardy will attend the next TRG and report back.

8.4 Cllr Hardy also requested to attend the SZC meetings which was approved, clerk to contact customer relations to notify new representation.

9. ALLOTMENTS

9.1 All allotments are paid

9.2 Bidwells have notified saying that the tree cutting has been approved and will contact for a date.

9.3 Cllr Clements to contact the water people to find out about cutting trees back on the left hand side.

10. PLAY AREA

An informal meeting was held to discuss the future of the play area, notices were put around the village to notify residents of the up coming meeting – 2 residents attended.

10.1 council were disappointed there was no further representation from the village **603**

10.2 the matter was discussed and asked for the residents to feedback on what they would like to happen with the area.

10.3 It was suggested to create a working committee to carry out general maintenance.

11. SCHOOL ROAD REPAIRS

11.1 Clerk explored options to with Blackwell earthworks however they don't have a road license, Blackwell put us in contact with sizewell which is now going to a committee to decide on suppliers to help us

12. MATTERS RAISED BY PARISH COUNCILLORS

12.1 Cllr Clements informed clerk the group page on the website needs updating, Cllr clements to provide information for clerk to update

12.2 Cllr Mayhew informed council that the no parking signed were installed however has been vandalised again by being painted black, clerk to report to police

13. CORRESPONDANCE

- Resident providing feedback on grass cutting and asking for SID data
- Village hall asking if the newsletter will be funded for 2026

14. FINANCIAL

The November 2025 financial statement was reviewed and approved. Proposed by Cllr Clements and seconded by Cllr Hayward.

15.1 A total of £4335.56 for payments was approved

15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – 16th December 2025

The Parish Council meeting was closed by the Chair at 20:42hrs.

