# Orgreave Parish Council

**DRAFT MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF ORGREAVE PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT ASTON FENCE JUNIOR & INFANT SCHOOL AT 7:00PM ON 16th January 2025**

Residents Question Time

See Appendix A

**Present:**

Councillor Mike Fargher (Chairperson)

Councillor George Thornsby

Councillor Margaret Holder

Councillor Sue Marsh

Councillor Joan Slater

Louise Ward (Clerk to the Parish Council)

**78.24 Apologies**

Councillor Linda Elsey

**79.24 To receive declaration of interest in accordance Orgreave Parish Council’s Code of Conduct**

none

**80.24 Police Report**

none

**81.24 Approval of Previous Meetings Minutes**

Approval of meeting minutes from 21st November -resolved

**82.24 Clerks Report**

RMBC have employed a 3rd party company to assess the play areas including pitches in the borough, the pitches on Woodhouse Mill will be reviewed as part of the section 106. Item resolved

**83.24 Garage rental**

Keys to the garage were collected from the RMBC and the garage is now available for storage of parish items. Pallets to be obtained by M Faragher to lift items off the floor to maintain good storage. Item resolved

**84.24 Christmas 2025**

The date is set for xmas event for Sunday 14th December -item resolved.

**85.24Precept 2025/2026**

The Precept was set at a 25% increase. Item resolved.

**86.24 Defibrillator**

The defib has been called upon for use in the last month, item resolved

**87.24 Play Park inspection**

The annual inspection has not highlighted any major items for attention but there is items that we will be monitoring for wear and tear in 2025.

**88.24 Finance**

1. Payment of Schedule of Accounts dated Janaury- *see hand-out.*

It was resolved that the accounts listed on the confidential Schedule of Account’s dated November *is* paid

b) The monthly reconciliation of the bank accounts was resolved and signed by a cllr on the schedule as a true record.

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| **89.24 Correspondence Received**   1. RMBC – update on grass maintenance schedule 2024 -Jan 25 no action required item resolved 2. RMBC play park inspection report – Dec 24 see main report item 3. RMBC term dates – Jan 25 email to agreed term dates -item resolved   **90.24 To confirm the date of the next meeting**  It was confirmed that the next meeting will be held on 20h February 2025  **91.24 Items of a confidential nature**  None  Chairman………………………………… Date …………………….. |  |

**Appendix A**

**none**