

Sowerby Parish Council
Ordinary Meeting 9th March 2017
Bullet Points

- Cllr France was welcomed back onto the Parish Council
- Residents were reminded that there should be no parking or placing of skips or other objects on the village greens. Any issues noticed by residents should be reported to the Parish Council and appropriate action will be taken
- A member of the public raised an issue regarding a telegraph pole recently situated on the green. An explanation of the reasons for this had been given by BT regarding height restrictions and safety of the poles. The resident will take the matter forward with BT and the Parish Council will support them as much as possible
- Cllr Baker advised that the repair to Blakey Bridge was not the final works and that it is still in the ongoing works programme and will be reassessed when funds are available
- Concern was raised about the new street lighting and the importance of trying to preserve the integrity of the conservation area. The Parish Council were not consulted about the replacements on the Flatts Walk and so will follow this up with North Yorkshire County Council
- Sowerby Parish Council donated £500 to the Thirsk and Sowerby festival
- Surfaces at the play area were discussed, some of these are becoming worn and a contractor will be approached for quotes
- Minutes were shared from the latest Thirsk Town Hall Meeting
- The next meeting will be Thursday 6th April