

**Minutes of Cemetery Sub-Committee Meeting held on
Tuesday 20 February 2007 in the Town Council Office at 7.30p.m.**

Present: Cllr R Windass (in the Chair)
Cllr R Young
Cllr C Golightly
P Howell (burial clerk)

Minutes of the previous meeting held on 15 November 2006 were approved.

Matters Arising

There were no Matters Arising

Grass Cutting Contract 2007/08

This had been put out to tender and quotes were awaited.

Garden of Remembrance

An up-date had been given at last Town Council Meeting. Cllr Golightly reported that he was meeting with students from the High School tomorrow, who had done some lovely plans, and would give feed back. Sub-committee members to look at the plans, put together costs and then report back to full Town Council meeting. The students were willing to do the work so the costs would be only for materials, plants etc. A further meeting of the sub-committee, with the High School students, to be held on Tuesday, 20th March at 7.30pm.

Boroughbridge Cemetery

There had been favourable comments from the community regarding the completed works on the paths and kerbs. It had been suggested that a hand rail be provided for the newly constructed steps to the burial of ashes plots. After discussion as to whether this was really necessary, it was agreed to leave this until the public actually requested a hand rail.

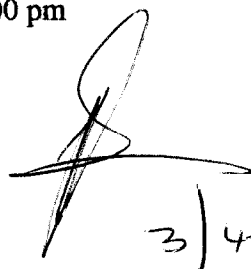
Aldborough Cemetery

It was agreed to get quotes from Pavescape and others, for similar work on paths and kerbing for Aldborough cemetery.

Burial Charges

Following discussion it was agreed that our fees should be increased in line with those of Harrogate Borough Council; residents to pay 75% of HBC fees, anyone not on the electoral roll to pay full HBC fees. Cllr Windass to contact Bereavement Services, HBC for a list of their proposed fees for 2007/08.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.00 pm



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