

MENDHAM PARISH COUNCIL

MEETING – SATURDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2015

Minutes

11.30pm - at the War Memorial - to consider additions to names for WWII and any corrections needed.

Present: Denis Pye, Kathy Ferrar, Mark Shortt, Peter Lee, Jimmy Kent, and the clerk, Caroline Cardwell. Apologies were received from Tony Dawson

Colin Herbert, having sourced quotes for the above work and researched names in depth, gave a presentation on his results. The chair, Denis Pye, thanked him for all his very comprehensive work. Councillors felt that the quote from Perfitts would be the most suitable and a final decision would be made at the Nov. meeting of the parish council.

Councillors then went to Mendham Lodge [Grade II*] to consider planning application 15/2871/FUL - "conversion of former brooder house to residential annex with parking". The site was inspected closely; however councillors objected to the application on the grounds of – proximity of proposed development to a Grade II* house, insufficient parking for house residents and proposed annex, exiting onto narrow, busy road opposite much used farm gateway. They felt that it was an unsuitable use of the outbuilding as an annex.

The clerk contacted the District Council with the parish council's views.

[MSDC have however, granted permission for this application.]