

# Burgh By Sands Parish Council

## War Memorial

Minutes for 20.08.09

Meeting began at 6.30pm and ended at 7.30pm

Present: Chairman Rev Gill Hart, D Murray, C Coulthard, S Nolan, C Baines, M Pape, Treasurer P Ditch and Secretary V Sealby

Apologies: None

32/09 Previous minutes were signed as true record

33/09 Chairs report – Booklet with history of People who fell in the second world war  
D Murray has done some research and has information about each person on the memorial. A discussion followed about what do we do with this information. P Ditch said that Tourism and Heritage could maybe use some funds to make a leaflet and get someone to put it together. D Murray suggested that we could save the information on a memory stick, provide a laminated version and the stick be available to anybody wishing to access and isolate relevant information. This could be kept in the village archive and on Microfiche at the School. It was decided to purchase a Memory stick from Staples for this purpose..

34/09 Faculty: A copy has been sent to the War Memorial Trust for help with with funding. Grants of 50% are available up to a maximum of £2000

35/09 Faculty was granted for the Memorial, Step and Gates.

36/09 It is anticipated that all work on the Monument will be finished by next week.

37/09 The Secretary is to find out the time-scale for shot-blasting and galvanizing the churchyard gates. It was suggested that Nicholson's of Kirkandrews could be approached about sending them to be galvanized with any orders he might have.

38/09 It was decided to have the rededication ceremony at 11am after the 10am Church Service, concluding with refreshments. It was suggested that a Member of the Parish Council could lay a wreath and also a descendent of one of the Fallen remembered on the Monument. It was suggested that a collection could be taken for present day - Heroes. It was suggested that the British Legion could be informed and invite a representative from them and the Cumberland News. A invitation list needs to be drawn up. The Rev Hart will write to the Cumberland News and put a notice in the Parish Magazine to notify people of the rededication and invite them to the ceremony.

39/09 Wreathes need to be ordered well in advance at the beginning of October. Crosses to be ordered to represent each of the fallen.

40/09 Date of next Meeting 20.10.09 at 6.30 pm before the Parish Council meeting