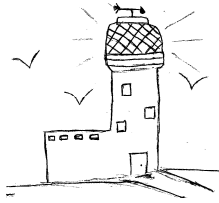


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Parish Council Information

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Finance Audit 2010/2011

The Parish Council is pleased to confirm that no matters for concern have been found during both the Internal Audit (undertaken by an independent accountant experienced in local government finance) and the External Audit which is undertaken by the Audit Commission. Both audits are required every year under local government regulations.

We like to keep everyone informed of the Council's activities, etc, by way of a quarterly newsletter. If you have any views on our newsletters, we would be happy to receive them.



Don't forget to use the glass recycling facilities to the rear of the Library on South Sea Road!

Youth Council News

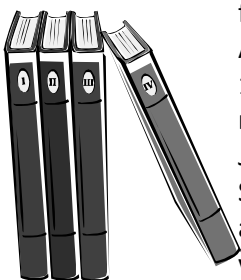
New Parish Councillor, Belinda Nettleship (also the Chair of the Youth Council) is keeping the Council up to date. There are plans for a Friday night youth club at the Church Hall – the church and young people are working hard to achieve this and funds have been diverted from the proposed community centre to support this. The Parish Council has written to ERYC requesting Youth Worker provision remains in the village when the service is re-organised later in the year however there are currently no plans to change provision although further consultation is likely.

Faulty Street Light?

To report a faulty street light, ring ERYC on 01482 395740 or contact the Clerk to the Council

Parish Council Archives

Parish Council archives are held at the Treasure House at Beverley and full records go back to 1898. The Clerk has recently deposited Minute Books dating back to 1983 to the present day, correspondence 2000-2005, street lighting files from prior to 1999 to 2005, all allotment hedge Court Case correspondence relating to the Parish Council v Colin Seymour & Yorkshire Wildlife Trust from 1991 to 2001, Rights of Way maps from 1957 (National Parks & Access to the Countryside Act 1949), old management plans, maps and strategies, Flamborough Jubilee Regatta 2002, Quality Status applications 2007 & 2011 and more. The public are able to view all archives by appointment.



Windfarm Worries

ERYC did not consult the Parish Council regarding a recent planning application for a wind monitoring mast on land near Muntons PLC. The Parish Council decided to object to the mast anyway as this is a precursor to a commercial wind turbine and as this would detrimentally affect the setting and character of Flamborough's special heritage, landscape and designations and potentially affect the tourist trade. ERYC refused the application however an application for a turbine is likely to proceed. We are aware of ongoing negotiations for turbines on land much nearer to Danes Dyke and the village.



"Council Corner"

Recent Parish Council Decisions include:

Monday 6th June 2011:

- A new insurance policy was agreed saving a massive £600 on last year's figure.
- The Council agreed to ERYC's proposals for "No Horses" signs and road markings at the entrance to Danes Dyke due to conflict with traffic and horses on the entrance road. A bridleway already exists on the exit road.
- ERYC sent guidance on the code of conduct and this was copied to all Councillors
- Weed killing as part of the grounds maintenance contract was discussed.
- The Council complained about recent road closures affecting traffic and businesses in high season but were pleased regarding the right turn from Tower Street into Post Office Street becoming lawful.
- £350 was donated to the maintenance of St Oswald's graveyard.
- Councillors and the Clerk had been briefed by the Solicitor on the purchase of the land to the rear of Constable Road. The purchase of this land is still ongoing.
- Minor playground work was completed by Councillors.
- Broken stiles and bridges on the rights of way were reported to ERYC.

Monday 4th July 2011:

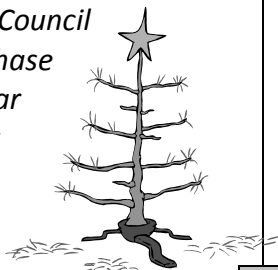
- Temporary toilets were sited at South Landing. The café situation is still ongoing.
- The Clerk attended a conference with regard to the affects of the new localism bill.
- A Village Walkabout had been undertaken with ERYC and Councillors and a schedule of works identified, ie, potholes, grounds maintenance issues, etc.
- Sheds at the allotments had been broken into despite the new gates and the PCSO is looking to set up an "Allotment Watch" and assist in marking belongings.
- Repairs to the swings were undertaken quickly so that these could be back in action for the school holidays. New playground and dog signs were obtained.
- A broken seat at South Landing will be repaired and an allotment plot cleared.
- There is a waiting list for allotment plots. Management letters will be sent to tenants of untidy or non-cultivated plots.
- Complaints were made regarding tyres at the side of Monument Garage, the new School fence, the state of the new footpath outside South Sea Mews which has never been finished and the number of empty buildings in a bad state on High Street
- Litter bins are emptied regularly now but a larger one is needed at North Landing.
- New finials were installed to the railings at the Fishermans Memorial and a drop post set into the entrance of the Village Green to deter vehicles being driven there.

Monday 25th July 2011:

- An extra meeting was held to consider planning applications. The Council recommended that an application to change the use of land for siting static caravans at Thornwick and Sea Farm Holiday Centre should be approved.

Christmas Tree

The Parish Council with all good intentions planted a Christmas tree in Camerons Gardens to light up at Christmas. Unfortunately it is not looking so well and as the tree does not look the part at Christmas, the Council agreed to purchase a tree every year until the poorly tree recovers and grows a bit!!



Future Plans

The Council asked for public opinion in the previous newsletter for projects/ideas to get involved with.

We have received a few ideas and will be considering them in due course and the Parish Council thanks everyone who has contributed so far.

Councillor Sellick is undertaking a development plan for the Parish Council as well as an Emergency Plan.



Christchurch Action Team

A representative visited the Parish Council to explain the Team's activities which are to undertake litter picking, clearing dog fouling, graffiti, cleaning, etc. It is hoped that the Council can make use of this valuable service in the future to help keep our village clean.

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