TINGEWICK AND DISTRICT NEWS

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Your FREE Magazine

Welcome to the November issue of the magazine. I hope it finds you well and that the wet and cold weather isn't affecting you too much. There's a lot going on this month and here are some of the highlights:

Could you spare a little time each month? If so the Tingewick Pre-School is looking for some help, see page 14 for details.

If you're looking to test your artistic skills or perhaps want to create a unique personalised gift for an animal lover in your life then Sara Hack is running another art course, see page 4 for her advert.

There are plenty of festive events coming up too with the Community Cafe putting on their Christmas Craft Fair and Festive Cafe, see page 25.

If you missed the Tingewick Historical Society's "Tingewick Survivor's Of The Great War" exhibition you can pop along to Buckingham Library from the 22nd of October to the 7th of November to take a look at their display.

And the Royal Oak are putting on their wonderful annual firework display on the 9th of November meeting at 6pm at the bottom of Church Lane with a candlelit procession along Main Street ready for the fireworks to start at 6.30pm. It is free to attend and you can make a donation on the evening if you wish - this helps towards the cost of running the event.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

We have seen Red Kites flying over the village and last weekend (Editor's note: this letter was received in September) I spent on "guard duty" protecting our small cat and pet rabbis from their attentions. One kite dropped to garage height to get a better look at potential prey.

Sitting in the garden was once an enjoyable time but has now become stressful watching the sky.

Neil Jackson of the Chilterns Conservation Board says that the type of behaviour exhibited by the kites who fly over our gardens suggest that neighbours are leaving food out for the kites, which the board strongly opposes and are trying to prevent. On their website they urge the public not to feed the kites as they should be left to feed in the wider countryside to keep population numbers at a manageable level.

So I would ask anyone who feeds/leaves food out for kites to stop so that our pets can be safe and we can stop worrying about their safety so much.

Name supplied

Editor's Response:

Firstly, my apologies for not being able to get your letter into the October issue of the magazine.

It's a shame that such a magnificent bird that was so close to being lost is causing trouble in your garden and it must be very worrying having to keep an eye on your pets all of the time.

If readers are interested in The Chilterns Conservation Board they can view an article by them on Red Kites using the following quick link:

https://www.tingewicknews.co.uk/red-kite

Hopefully residents will be a bit more mindful of the dangers of putting food out for certain animals after reading your letter.

VILLAGE HALL NEWS

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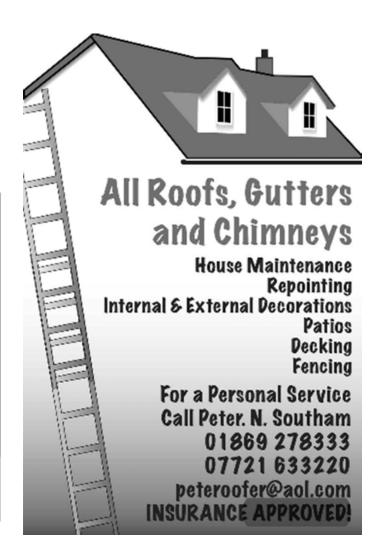
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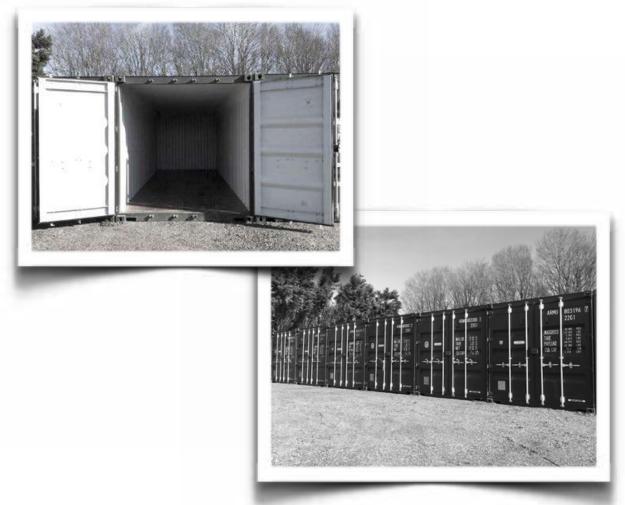
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Date	Time	Location	Event	Information	Contact
Saturday 30 th	10am and	Tingewick Village	Christmas	See below	Jane 848392
November	2pm sessions	Hall	Wreath Making		

Saturday 30th November 2019 – Christmas Wreath / Table Arrangement Workshops – 10am and 2pm Tingewick Village Hall

Please note that our annual Christmas wreath making sessions will take on a Saturday this year.

Once again we will be welcoming Elaine Rigg to the Village Hall to demonstrate how to make a Christmas wreath and a table arrangement. After the demonstration there'll be the opportunity to make either the Christmas wreath or the table arrangement yourself.

Please book early if you'd like to attend as this is always a popular event and places are limited. You'll need to let us know whether you'll be making either the Christmas wreath or the table arrangement.

On the day, please bring along secateurs, foliage, decorations, etc. There will be a selection of candles and decorations to purchase on the day.

Mulled wine and mince pies will help get us all in a festive mood!

Price £12 (members) / £14 (non-members) – this includes refreshments and your wreath / arrangement base.

Contact Jane Bradford on 01280 848392 or j.bradford834@btinternet.com to book a place.

General information contact: Charles Tanner - 01280 847680

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Tingewick Walkers



The weather forecast for the September walk did not bode well. Heavy rain was predicted with possible thunderstorms. One or two walkers were thinking of opting out the night before and by the time they met up the following morning, decisions had been made. It was announced by the leader of the day that the walk was cancelled. However, The Swan in Islip had been booked for lunch and, indeed, was opening especially for the group.

It was agreed that everyone would return to the village hall car park by midday and travel together to Islip. As they arrived, and just to prove that the abandoned walk was not in vain, an extremely heavy shower poured down. After lunch there was a visit to the local church, which had been decorated with beautiful displays of flowers in readiness for its harvest festival.

Tingewick Walkers invite you to come and try one of the walks. These are led by various members of the group and are about five miles in length. They take place on the last Tuesday of the month and meet at 10am in the car park of Tingewick Village Hall. For further information call Peter on 01280 848739 or Sara on 01280 847594.

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Tingewick Historical Society



Talk – Remember, Remember the 5th of November by Chris Rowe

Wednesday 6th November 2019

Tingewick Village Hall

7.15pm for 7:30pm

Non-members £2



ROUNDWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Roundwood Primary School Needs You!

We currently have vacancies on our governing board and would like to invite members of the village community to join us. No formal qualifications are required; you just need common sense, time, enthusiasm and a commitment to working as part of a team to make a difference for all the children at our school. Research shows that being a school governor can provide an opportunity to develop a wide range of personal skills. As a guide, being a school governor would take up 12 hours a term of your time. The term of office is 4 years, the meetings would be in the evenings and training would be available.

If you are interested or would like more information please contact either Kirsty Eales, Head teacher office@roundwood.bucks.sch.uk or Dylan Edwards, Chair of Governors dylan.edwards@networkrail.co.uk

Roundwood Primary School would really appreciate help from the village.

News from Water Stratford

DUCK RACE

On the 15th September, after a break of a few years, we revived the Duck Race, and what a day we had for it! The sun came out and plenty of people came to watch our ducks in fine racing form.

Cakes and drinks were on hand and Joe and Teddy ably managed the 'Guess the Name of the Duck' and a 'Guess how many Lego bricks in the jar' competitions. 500 ducks raced their way down the River Ouse cheered on by villagers, friends and neighbours from Tingewick and surrounding villages.

Once the duck racing was over we all enjoyed dressing up races, three-legged races, egg throwing and space hopper relays. The icing on the cake was a tug of war between Tingewick and Water Stratford, over the river! Fun was had by all and we raised just over £900 for St Giles Church. With thanks to all who helped – Sarah and Chris, Guy, Catriona and Laura, Rob, Anna, Chris, George, Joe and Teddy.

Nicky Godber

And thanks to Nicky for all the hard work she put into organising a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon.

CHURCH SERVICE AND ROTA

There will be a Remembrance service on Sunday 10th November at 10.50am. Sue will arrange flowers and Catriona and Jill will clean.

Sara Edwards



Macmillan Cancer Care, French Gateaux Group Coffee And Cake Afternoon

Friday 27th September - 20 St Marys Court

We made a whopping sum of £575.00

A VERY BIG thanks to all those that made cakes, helped, donated or came along to support Macmillan

St Mary Magdalene Church

Services for November

10th November

Services will begin at the War Memorial at the Cemetery and at the Church simultaneously. Those who go to the War Memorial will then be given time to make their way to the Church to continue the service there.

10.50am War Memorial The Rev Ron Bundock

10.50am for 11am Tingewick Church

17th November

9.45 am Tingewick - Coffee & Croissants

10.00am followed by Sunday@10 Anthony Houghton Brown A very informal half hour service sometimes lay led as this month, or taken by a member of the local clergy.

24th November

11.15am Tingewick, Holy Communion Rev. Maurice Stanton-Saringer

Please join us for our services – we gather for comfort, companionship, support, to sing hymns, to think about the world, our village, our families and all who need our prayers. You may have times when you need that support – we are there any time you need us.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A LIFT TO ANY OF THESE SERVICES PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO RING Anthony or Lois: 848658

ALSO YOU WOULD BE VERY WELCOME AT OTHER SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE.

If you love music and singing, the Benefice Service with the choir, once a month, is a lovely service to come to. Do join us if you can. New Members always welcome – NO AUDITION!

Flower Rota: Marianne Piepenstock-Speed **Cleaning Rota:** Jean Bone and Veronica Sowerby

LOTS OF THANK YOU'S RIDE & STRIDE

To Nick Grant and his family for taking part in the Ride and Stride. We were able (with donations) to send £90 as our contribution. If we are lucky we may receive some money back from Bucks Historic Churches which will go towards our Church. We are shortly to receive £4000 to help us with the repointing - so your participation really does help!

REPOINTING OF THE CHURCH WALLS

To Alcocks of Banbury who have been working on scraping out old mortar and repointing during the last fortnight, so the outer Church walls are now in better order.

HARVEST FESTIVAL & SUPPER

To everybody who helped to decorate the Church for our Harvest Festival Service on 29th September. Also for buying tickets, setting up and clearing, cooking, giving raffle/auction prizes and to David Partridge for a very entertaining auction!. This all helped to make a very happy evening and a fantastic profit of £820.00 which will go towards the £8000 needed to repoint the Church!

TO A GREAT TEAM WHO HAVE OPENED & CLOSED THE CHURCH EVERY DAY DURING BRITISH SUMMERTIME..

THE CHURCH WILL SOON BE CLOSED WHEN THE CLOCKS GO BACK,

BUT BEFORE YOU KNOW IT APRIL WILL BE HERE!

November's "Simple as ABC" Quiz

- 1. "A" was a British Film Certificate classification until 1982. What replaced it, and is still used today?
- 2. "B" is the symbol for which chemical element?
- 3. "C" is used in science to symbolise capacitance. What is the unit of capacitance?
- 4. "D" was used to signify a pre-decimal penny, with 240 of them in a pound. What did it stand for?
- 5. "E" is the country identifier for vehicle registration plates of which country?
- 6. "F" represents the Fahrenheit temperature scale. On this scale, what is the boiling point of water?
- 7. "The G", is a nickname for a large Australian sports stadium located in Yarra Park. In which city is this stadium?
- 8. "H" is the stage name of a performer with which group?
- 9. "I" is represented by which word in the phonetic alphabet?
- 10."J" is a character in a trilogy of hit films. Which actor played J?

Answers to October's "Two by two" quiz

1. Petronas Towers, 2. Nicholas Lyndhurst, 3. Orly (ORY), 4. Fat Man, 5. J R R Tolkein (Part of the Lord of the Rings trilogy, preceded by The Fellowship of the Ring and followed by The Return of the King), 6. Pliskova, 7. Hale and Pace, 8. Chester. (There are a total of 4 "Dees" in the UK, 2 of which in Scotland), 9. Mael brothers. (They plan to release a new album end 2019), 10. Tracey.

TINGEWICK DIAMONDS



Swindon Outlet & Design Centre Plus Steam Museum Trip

There are a few spaces left for our trip on the 4th of December. We will be leaving the Village Hall at 9.30am and a place on the coach costs £10. Non-members are very welcome - it's a great chance to get your Christmas presents (or just treat yourself!)

Please contact, June on 01280 848704 to book your seat while they are available.

Pond News

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"Quack, Quack!

Hope you are all well! We are probably the only ones who have really enjoyed all the rain in the last few weeks – it's lovely for us because it brings fresh water to our pond which makes splashing and playing much



more fun. We love being out and about catching all the insects that magically appear during and after the rainfall, they add another dimension to our diet so we love it.

The mornings and nights are really dark now so thank you for driving slowly past us, we are very grateful as it's difficult to be seen at this time of year.

We continue to be fed well and would like to thank our continued supporters, particularly Nick at ACME and Mole Valley Buckingham for the generous food contributions we receive, we really appreciate it.

We hope to see you for a visit soon, if we're not on the pond we are often foraging for grubs in the field next door but we're never far away.

See you soon.

Quack, Quack!"



There are still a few spaces left for the "Amost Christmas Quiz" on the 29th of November. For more information or to book in your team please contact Fran on 07825 294334 or pop along to the Community Cafe

Tingewick Neighbourhood Watch



⊕ ⊕ CRIME CANNOT FLOURISH IN A COMMUNITY THAT CARES ⊕ ⊕

Use the link below to find out about your Neighbourhood Policing team https://www.thamesvalley.police.uk/

Bogus Census Group Warning

Neighbourhood Watch has been warned that some fraudsters are operating in Thames Valley, posing as officials from the Home Office. They have documents with the letterhead Department of Home Affairs and claim to be confirming that everyone has a valid ID for the upcoming Census. They are really attempting to rob homes.

Please be advised that we are told that there is no initiative of this kind from the Government. Please distribute this message to your members. These fraudsters are moving around the area and they look presentable.

Please alert your members, family and friends

Rural Crime Prevention Advice

Rural crime can be an issue for large areas of the Thames Valley. As the evenings begin to draw in, we would like to take the time to remind you of simple steps you can take to help prevent becoming a victim of rural crime.

At this time of year, we tend to see an increase in hare coursing, damage to fencing and boundaries, and acquisitive crime including theft and burglary in rural communities. It is important that you ensure your property is secure, fences and boundaries are looked after and that any suspicious behaviour is reported, providing as much detail as possible on the location and details of the people and vehicles involved.

Fly tipping is the illegal dumping of large items of waste. It is a civil offence to fly tip and so reports should be made to your local council. Reports of fly tipping in progress, with the offenders on scene should be reported to the police on 101.

There is also lots of detailed advice on our website.

It is vital to report all crimes. If it is an emergency and happening right now, call 999. If the incident has already happened or you have information that does not require an immediate response, please make a report online or call the non-emergency number 101.

Alternatively, you can contact Crimestoppers anonymously on their dedicated rural crime line 0800 783 0137, or through their online form.

DRAFT Minutes of the Meeting of Tingewick Parish Council, 3rd October 2019 at 7.30pm.

Members of the Public in attendance: 0 / Apologies: Cllr Ed Maxwell, County Cllr Charlie Clare.

431 Declarations of Interest: None

432 Minutes: To consider the approval of the minutes of the last meeting held on 05-09-2019.

Proposed: Cllr Swinburne Seconded: Cllr Hornsey APPROVED

433 County Councillor's Report - Not in attendance.

434 District Councillor's Report

Cllr Fealey spoke of the selection process for a new MP and explained that John Bercow is standing down as Speaker but will stay on a MP until the end of his current term.

As part of the selection process for the Unitary Authority, Cllr Fealey has been recommended for this ward – there will be three candidates for this area.

The new sticky labels for the brown bins have been rolled out and so far nobody has reported not receiving theirs, AVDC feels this is the most efficient way of keeping track of who has paid their yearly fee and those who have not.

AVDC has been working on voting and making sure people are registered to vote and encourages residents to assist people who may need support with this.

There will be a team of people from AVDC going around to houses to help those who need assistance, they will be officially identified with ID lanyards etc.

It is felt that AVDC need to embrace people getting on the electoral role.

The Unitary Authority is going ahead at a good pace.

Cllr Fealey is doing some work on Planning, looking at committees and levels of responsibility.

The Local Plan is going through, it is felt that boundaries have to be kept for planning.

Currently there are different committees who meet at different times and some have different pricing levels but there needs to be consistency.

The council will be losing some people, some senior people are using the opportunity to move on and overall there will be a reduction of senior managers.

The CEO has been appointed and the Unitary is now working on the next stage down.

Cllr Lightfoot asked if there were any updates regarding the state of Planning at the moment.

Cllr Fealey advised that is something being worked on but two planners are leaving next week. He explained that planners are in short supply nationally; AVDC are trying to recruit more via apprenticeships and other training opportunities.

He acknowledged that there is a backlog from the huge amount of work that is coming in.

Cllr Fealey advised that AVDC is now completely against the new Expressway and is opposing it completely. Regarding timelines, it is supposed to be coming up with routes for consultation early next year. The East-West Rail and HS2 meet at Calvert, AVDC oppose the expressway as the size is not known and with the package comes demand for one million homes, the road will be put in by Highways England and that number of homes would be one or two towns and will be done by the developers as more estates are built.

AVDC is opposing it completely with no suggested alternative. BCC also oppose it completely. Cllr Lightfoot asked if Cllr Fealey had any information about the appeal lodged by the developer for the PIP for the land off Back Lane.

Cllr Fealey explained that if the decision is overruled, the developer will still need to do a formal planning application and the PC will have the opportunity to oppose it then.

Cllr Fealey advised that an appeal is being heard next week for a proposed development of 13 dwellings in a field off Radclive Road.

435 Matters Arising:

Open Forum – December 2018: Pinch-Point

Per the original agreement, Bovis will be removing the pinch-point from its current location and moving it closer to the entrance of the Village. TPC agreed to alter the agreement for it to be removed and not replaced in the new location. Cllr Newman to raise the matter at the Tingewick Park Residents Association meeting to gain their views on whether the pinch-point should be moved or completely removed, as residents exiting Toll Gate Street will be most affected.

The Tingewick Park Residents Association would like the pinch-pint to be moved to the new location and not removed altogether however they recognise that this may cause issues for larger vehicles to manoeuvre through, particularly if the bypass is closed and diversions are through the village.

Action: Clerk to contact Steve Essam from BCC again about the location and again request what would be required for a small roundabout instead at the junction of Toll Gate Street.

• Item 356 - Councillors Reports, Cllr Newman: Gorrell Lane

BCC taking responsibility for the footpath and will make the area safe.

TPC agreed to arrange the removal of several trees.

Mr Kopsch explained that he and his wife are concerned if the trees are cut down completely that there is the possibility of subsidence and because of the location of their home, they are most at risk. He noted that they have spent a considerable amount of time and money removing trees from their property. They have previously consulted with arbour—culturalists who have advised that the trees would need to be removed in stages.

Mr Kopsch stated that he would like to be consulted for the timelines and stages of the works. Mr Kopsch added that he would like to see proof of insurance and the exact coverage.

Cllr Newman assured that the contractors will be contacting residents when arranging access etc. and she'll pass on the information provided and requests to the contractor.

Cllr Newman advised that work has begun and most of the residents are happy. As some of the trees have been cleared, other areas requiring attention have been identified. A quote has been provided by the contractor to remove another dead ash tree and several other saplings at the back of number 2 Gorrell Close. The total is £750 +VAT.

It was noted that while the additional work was unfortunate that it would be best to have it done now while the contractors are here than risk it needing to be done urgently in future.

Proposed: Cllr Hornsey Seconded: Cllr Lightfoot Approved.

Cllr Newman advised that the contractors have explained that they are not officially qualified to comment on the possibility of subsidence but they have provided all the required insurance documentation to the PC. Cllr Newman attempted to meet with Mr and Mrs Kopsch but they were not home when she stopped by in the afternoon, when meeting with the contractor.

The Councillors discussed options for addressing Mr and Mrs Kopsch's concerns around the possibility of subsidence and the cost and logistics of having the tree closest to their property removed completely now or having the contractor cut the tree to around half it's current height (to be confirmed by AJB) and then removed at a later date.

It was agreed that while the PC would like to help Mr and Mrs Kopsch, the cost of having the contractors return could not be justified when it has taken this much time and effort to coordinate the current works being done; however the PC would like to offer them the opportunity to do this themselves because of their intense concern for subsidence.

Action: Clerk to contact Mr and Mrs Kopsch with the option for the tree to be removed completely now or cut by half now and left as-is, with the remaining half of the tree no longer being the responsibility of the PC.

Item 373: TPC Banking and online transactions

It was previously agreed that a new bank account be explored to enable electronic payments. Clerk advised that it may be possible to change the current PC accounts without opening new accounts, HSBC have sent information about how this is done and Clerk is currently looking into it.

• Item 391: Tingewick Park Street Lighting

Email received from Bovis Homes Adoption Manager looking to progress the completion and adoption of the roads & footpaths.

Cllr Lightfoot requested more information from Bovis to assist the decision-making process. Action: Cllr Lightfoot to clarify with Bovis if the 3 or 4 new lights being erected on Main Street are included in the 23., that Bovis have informed the PC of.

Cllr Lightfoot advised that she has not had a response to her query but will follow this up again.

• Open Forum – August 2019: Mirror at junction of Stockleys Lane and Main Street Cllr Lightfoot advised that a suggestion had been made via the Tingewick Life Facebook page for a mirror to be placed at the junction of Main Street and Stockleys Lane.

Action: Clerk to follow up and continue to explore the cost and positioning for a Mirror.

Open Forum – August 2019: Growing wildflowers

Cllr Lightfoot advised that a resident had provided information and advice about growing wildflowers, it was agreed that growing wildflowers will start with church yard to see how it goes.

Clerk advised that she has not yet managed to speak to Mrs Houghton-Brown about the church yard project. A seed packet had been received from Grow Wild UK but no other useful information or advice. Cllr Lightfoot suggested that the resident who initially provided the wildflower information may be of more help as they are quite knowledgeable about the topic.

Cllr Lightfoot suggested large tractor tyres to be placed at the entrances to the village to be used as planters. Cllr Fenemore advised that he can source the tyres. It was unanimously agreed to start with the entrance at the Buckingham end of Main Street first to see how it goes.

Action: Clerk to speak to Mrs Houghton-Brown regarding the church yard project.

Action: Cllrs Lightfoot and Fenemore to organise the planters for the village entrance.

Action: Cllr Lightfoot to follow up with the resident about the wildflowers.

• Item 413 - Councillors Reports, Cllr Hornsey: Playground Repairs

Cllr Hornsey advised he is still waiting for Wickstead to contact him with a date for the repairs.

• Item 413 – Councillors Reports, Cllr Fenemore: Drainage Holes

There is an issue around the trial holes dug for the drainage survey.

Action: Cllr Fenemore to instruct the groundskeeper to level the holes.

Cllr Fenemore advised that this has been completed.

• Item 413 – Councillors Reports, Cllr Newman: Buckingham Street footpath Cllr Hornsey advised that he was stopped in the street by a resident recently who reported that a lady was injured due to a fall in Buckingham Street caused by the uneven footpath surface. Clerk advised that this was reported but no action has been taken.

Clerk advised that a response was received from TfB stating the footpath was reviewed and deemed to pose no obvious hazard. Clerk has re-reported the footpath and it is awaiting further review.

Action: Clerk to continue chasing.

• Item 414 – Correspondence: various

A resident on The Maltings reported overhanging brambles in Wood Lane.

Action: Clerk to contact RedRow.

• Item 416: May Bank Holiday: VE Day

Early May Bank Holiday is being moved to Friday 8th May 2020. The PC agreed to host a community celebration. Village Hall, a band and dance group performance have been booked. Clerk proposed the forming of a PC Committee to organise the event who can meet when and where needed and report their progress to the PC. This was unanimously agreed.

Bus Shelter.

The PC was informed that the land at the site of the proposed bus shelter at the Buckingham end of Main Street belongs to BCC as adopted highway, however when residents were notified of the scheduled works, Mrs McAlister contacted the PC to state that she owns the land behind her rear fence. Representatives from BCC will be returning next week to re-check and measure the area to ascertain if the bus shelter will fit without encroaching onto Mrs McAlister's land.

Cllr Lightfoot advised that it was agreed between the PC, Mrs McAlister and the contractor to move the bus shelter down closer to the junction of Main Street and Church Lane.

The PC arranged for the hedges to be cut right back to the boundary of the properties on Buckingham Street that back onto Main Street, to reduce the obstruction to the vision splay. These works have now been completed and residents have already been seen using the shelter.

• Item 425 – Councillors' Reports, Cllr Hornsey: Storage Container for Rec Ground. The PC unanimously approved a quote for a storage container at the rec ground.

Action: Cllr Hornsey to order the container and coordinate its delivery

Cllr Hornsey advised that the container has been purchased and delivery will be arranged after the ground where it is to be sited has been prepared.

• Item 426 - Correspondence: Community Emergency Plan

Mr Shaw from BCC has sent information which has been distributed to all councillors. Mr Shaw attended the meeting and explained the basic principles of Community Emergency Planning. He suggested starting with a basic plan which can be reviewed and grown if required. He also suggested appointing an Emergency Committee to coordinate a response as a PC in the event of an emergency, identifying places where people can be temporarily placed in the event of houses being evacuated and identifying people in the area with skills that can be useful.

Cllr Lightfoot asked if any other Parish local plans could be viewed, as examples. Mr Shaw said he was not aware of any at this time but that he will contact those who do have Emergency Plans to see if they give permission for theirs to be shared.

Action: Clerk to re-send Emergency Planning information to the PC.

• Item 428: Wood Lane stile or gate

Cllr lightfoot suggested installing something on the other side of the bridge which will allow AVDC to still maintain the bridge.

Action: Clerk to email BCC to determine exact designation of the lane.

Action: Cllr Hornsey to source prices for staggered gates, bollards or lockable post with a stile which will allow for vehicle access.

Clerk advised that a map was received from BCC which clarified Wood Lane is road and bridleway. Cllr Hornsey suggested that as the situation with the quad bikes has settled down for now, that this be put on hold. Should the issue arise again; the PC can then look at traffic calming measures. All present were in agreement.

• Item 429 – Tingewick Park Dog Bins

Cllr Newman advised that there are no dog bins in Tingewick Park, only one across the other side of Main Street. One resident has stated that they are willing to take it on and do a survey of how bad the problem is and then liaise with Keep Britain Tidy who have a campaign for this. Action: Cllr Newman to ask this resident to submit a proposal to the PC for what he intends to do. Action: Clerk to arrange / order another dog bin when Cllr Newman provides location information after speaking to the Tingewick Park residents.

Cllr Newman advised that the information has been received from the Tingewick Park Resident. All present agreed that the "fairy" campaign posters were preferable to the "watching you" posters which seemed slightly menacing, however there is a query about a statement "any bin will do". Cllr Lightfoot will ask the resident to get clarity on whether separate dog bins are actually needed. It was noted that the cost for posters and stickers etc seemed quite high so Cllr Lightfoot would like the resident to get some information about the quality of the materials as well.

Action: Cllr Lightfoot to liaise with the resident volunteer with the PC's queries.

436 Planning

19/03323/APP - TINGEWICK, 29 Stockleys Lane: No objection.

19/02348/APP – TINGEWICK, 13 Stowe View: No objection.

19/03475/APP - TINGEWICK, Rosemundy Bungalow Sandpit Hill: No objection.

Planning Inspectorate Ref: APP/J0405/W/19/3236110 : Application Ref: 18/03506/PIP : Appeal

Ref: 19/00064/REF: Site Address: Land At Back Lane Tingewick Buckinghamshire

Proposal: Permission in Principle - Redevelopment of the site to provide up to 9 dwellings and access roads including garages and hardstanding.

See comments above under Item 434, District Councillors Report.

437 Accounts

To consider list of payments as presented to the meeting.

Proposed: Cllr Swinburne Seconded: Cllr Fenemore Approved.

438 Councillors' Reports and Items for Future Agenda

- Cllr Lightfoot Street Lighting: Nothing new to report.
- Cllr Hornsey Playgrounds, Footways and Street Furniture: Nothing new to report.
- Cllr Swinburne Cemetery, Grass Cutting and Special Projects: Nothing new to report
- Cllr Fenemore Recreation Ground: Nothing new to report.
- Cllr Maxwell Roads

Cllr Maxwell submitted the following prior to the meeting as he is not in attendance.

Hole in pavement outside The Laurels on Main Street has been filled in.

Hole in pavement outside Eagle House near telegraph pole filled in.

Trees and bushes to the roundabout have been cut back by BCC.

Pavement repairs in West Well Lane moved to "In Progress" status on Fix My Street; so hopefully they will be mended soon.

Cllr Newman – Footpaths and Pond

Rain has helped fill the pond so the algae situation has improved.

The old barley straw bale needs to be removed from the pond and the new one needs to be broken up to aid oxygenation – the Groundskeeper will be asked to do this.

• Cllr MacGarvey - Planning: Nothing new to report.

439 Correspondence (standing item)

- a) Cllr Hornsey received a call last night about four young males on push bikes, riding dangerously on Main Street in the dark with no lights on their bikes.
 - It has been noted that while this poses an obvious danger, as the identity of the young people is not known the PC is unable to do any more than raise the matter as somewhat of a public service announcement to ask parents to remind their children of the dangers.
- b) Cllr Lightfoot advised that the Historical Society have requested photographs of the work carried out to the trees in Gorrell Lane to add to their collections. All present agreed this is a great idea.

Action: Cllr Newman to provide pictures to the Historical Society.

440 Tingewick Community Park Trust Update (standing item)

Still waiting for planning permission.

Quotes have been received for new play equipment and the MUGA and the Trust can just about do both with current funds, once the planning permission has come through.

441 Tingewick 2020 calendar

Entries for the calendar have been received throughout the year.

Clerk to provide the Councillors with all the photos entered.

The winning pictures will be chosen and the calendar template sent to the printer with the calendar being "launched" at the lighting of the tree and winners presented with their prizes.

442 Play Around the Parishes 2020

AVDC Community Team have provided a report about the 2019 events, detailing what activities were most popular throughout the county.

All present were in agreement that the PC should host an event again next year.

Action: Clerk to forward the report to the Councillors

Action: Clerk to book session for the summer 2020.

443 Fete profits for disbursement

As the Fete Committee have agreed to remain a PC Committee, it will be the responsibility of the PC to disburse the profits to local organisations.

Cubs have request £200 for equipment, which was unanimously agreed by all present.

Action: Cllr Newman to advise Fete Committee Treasurer for cheque to be drawn.

444 Tingewick Park Border

There is still not much clarity on which areas around the entrance of Tingewick Park and around the ditch / drainage area are the responsibility of the Management Company, BCC, AVDC or the PC. BCC have said the area was devolved to PC responsibility but the PC has no record of this and has

not maintained the area previously. AVDC believe the area to be the responsibility of BCC.

Action: Cllr Newman to contact Cllr Charlie Clare to see if he can help.

445 Date of next Meeting: The next PC Meeting is confirmed for Thursday 07-11-2019 at 7.30pm.

Parish Council Contact Details

Meetings of The Parish Council usually take place at 7.30pm on the first Thursday of the month in the Village Hall unless otherwise stated.

Parish Clerk: Samantha Chandler / 07984 055185 / 27 The Maltings, Tingewick, MK18 4LQ /

clerk@tingewickparishcouncil.org.uk / There is also a contact form on the website

Chairperson: Councillor Trisha Lightfoot - Responsible for Street Lighting

Vice-Chair: Councillor Martin Hornsey - Responsible for Playgrounds, Footways & Street Furniture

Councillor Richard Fenemore - Responsible for Maintenance of the Recreation Ground

Councillor Jackie Newman - Responsible for Village Footpaths & Pond

Councillor Patricia Swinburne - Responsible for Cemetery Grass Cutting & Special Projects

Councillor Ed Maxwell - Responsible for Roads

Councillor Andrew MacGarvey - Responsible for Planning

District Councillor Patrick Fealey / County Councillor Charlie Clare

TINGEWICK COMMUNITY CAFÉ

WINTER EVENTS

Children in Need- Friday November 15th

All café proceeds go to C.I.N. including the Raffle

Christmas Craft Fair and Saturday Café- Dec 7th

A chance to enjoy our homemade cakes on a Saturday! Browse the craft stalls and join in with the lighting of the village Christmas tree afterwards.



JOIN US FOR

our **Festive Christmas Café** on **Friday December 20**th
9am-noon Tingewick Village Hall

The café will be closed on December 27th and January 3rd Re-opens on Friday January 10th, 2020

Village Diary

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Date	Time	Event	Venue	Contact
Fri 01	09:00	Community Cafe	Village Hall	
	18:00	Private Function	Village Hall	
	18:30	Rainbows	Rectory Farm	Janet Bowden: 01280 817052
	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	13:30	Tingewick Patchers	Village Hall	
	18:30	Brownies	Rectory Farm	
	19:30	Line Dancing	Village Hall	Madeline Bennett: 01280 848447
Tue 05		Food Bin & Waste Bin		
	09:30	Musical Minis	Village Hall	
	18:30	Cubs	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
	19:30	Scouts	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
Wed 06	10:30	Tingewick Diamonds	Village Hall	
	19:30	Historical Society - 5th of November talk	Village Hall	Jane Bradford: 01280 848392
Thu 07	09:15	Body Tone	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	13:30	Bingo	Royal Oak	Sandra Getman: 01280 848373
	19:30	Parish Council	Village Hall	The Clerk: 07984 055185
Fri 08	09:00	Community Cafe	Village Hall	
	18:30	Rainbows	Rectory Farm	Janet Bowden: 01280 817052
Sun 09	18:00	Fireworks Display	Royal Oak	Sandra Getman: 01280 848373
Sun 10	09:00	Private Function	Village Hall	
	10:50	Remembrance Service War Memorial, Tingewick Cemetary		emetary
	11:00	Remembrance Service St.Mary Magdalene		
Mon 11	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	13:30	Tingewick Patchers	Village Hall	
	18:30	Brownies	Rectory Farm	
	19:30	Line Dancing	Village Hall	Madeline Bennett: 01280 848447
Tue 12		Food Bin & Recycling Bin		
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	18:30	Cubs	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
	19:30	Scouts	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
Wed 13	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	19:00	Whist Drive	Village Hall	Herby Taylor: 01280 817778
Thu 14	09:15	Body Tone	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	13:30	Bingo	Royal Oak	Sandra Getman: 01280 848373
	19:30	Fete Commitee Meeting	Village Hall	
Fri 15	09:00	Community Cafe - Children In Need	Village Hall	
	18:30	Rainbows	Rectory Farm	Janet Bowden: 01280 817052
Sun 17	09:45	Coffee & Croissants	St.Mary Magdalene	
	10:00	10:00 - Sunday @ 10	St.Mary Magdalene	

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	13:30	Tingewick Patchers	Village Hall	
	18:30	Brownies	Rectory Farm	
	19:30	Line Dancing	Village Hall	Madeline Bennett: 01280 848447
Tue 19		Food Bin & Waste Bin		
	09:30	Musical Minis	Village Hall	
	12:30	Pub Lunch Club	Royal Oak	Rosemary Stutchbury: 01280 848612
	18:30	Cubs	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
	19:30	Scouts	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
Wed 20	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
Thu 21	09:15	Body Tone	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	13:30	Bingo	Royal Oak	Sandra Getman: 01280 848373
Fri 22	09:00	Community Cafe	Village Hall	
	18:30	Rainbows	Rectory Farm	Janet Bowden: 01280 817052
Sun 24	11:15	Holy Communion	St. Mary Magdalene Church	Lois Houghton-Brown: 848658
Mon 25	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	13:30	Tingewick Patchers	Village Hall	
	18:30	Brownies	Rectory Farm	
	19:30	Line Dancing	Village Hall	Madeline Bennett: 01280 848447
Tue 26		Food Bin & Recycling Bin		
	09:30	Musical Minis	Village Hall	
	10:00	Tingewick Walkers	Village Hall Car Park	Peter: 01280 848739 or Sara: 01280 847594
	18:30	Cubs	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
	19:30	Scouts	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
Wed 27	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
Thu 28	09:15	Body Tone	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
	13:30	Bingo	Royal Oak	Sandra Getman: 01280 848373
Fri 29	09:00	Community Cafe	Village Hall	
	18:30	Rainbows	Rectory Farm	Janet Bowden: 01280 817052
	19:30	Almost Christmas Quiz	Village Hall	Fran: 07825 294334
Sat 30	10:00	Christmas Wreath Making	Village Hall	Jane Bradford: 01280 848392
	14:00	Christmas Wreath Making	Village Hall	Jane Bradford: 01280 848392
	19:00	Finmere FC Bingo	Village Hall	
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Mon 02	09:00	Roundwood School	Village Hall	
	18:30	Brownies	Rectory Farm	
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	17:00	Christmas Tree Lighting & Carols	Roundwood School	
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