

Cherry Burton Parish Council NEWS

April 2022

Notice of Annual Parish Meeting

Tuesday 12th April from 7.30pm in the Village Hall

This is your opportunity to hear about, and make a contribution to, the activities of the Parish Council, and to nominate and elect members of two village committees:

1. The Sportsfield Management Committee.

and

2. The Christmas Lights Committee.

In addition, there will also be the traditional auctions for the grazing rights on Etton Road verges and for the shooting rights on Highgate Tip (no shotguns or firearms are allowed).



Parish Councillor Vacancies

There have been two resignations from the Council, namely Nicola Jeffrey and Paul Huntsman. This means that there are two vacancies for residents to be nominated to act as new Parish Councillors. That is why this newsletter follows so soon after the last, so that parishioners are aware of these opportunities to join the Council.

New members can either be co-opted on to the Council by existing Parish Councillors, or can be elected by the residents of the Village if there is a "petition" for an election.

More details of the work carried out by the Parish Council can be gleaned from the Council's website. www.cherryburtonparishcouncil.org.uk.

See the Parish Council Noticeboard adjacent to the School Drive for more details. Also see: www.eastriding.gov.uk/council/elections-and-voting/information-for-candidates/

The Nature Walk needs your help

Over the last 2 years volunteers have planted snowdrops in the Nature Walk at the Sportsfield and they are now beginning to get established and naturalise as expected.



Can we go further and make the Nature Walk a carpet of snowdrops in forthcoming seasons?

If you have clumps of snowdrops in your garden that need dividing then please consider replanting them in the Nature Walk. How about getting your children involved and encourage them to take ownership of their patch of snowdrops?

Parish Clerk Vacancy

A reminder that we have a vacancy for the position of Cherry Burton Parish Council Clerk from August 2022.

Anyone interested can enquire for an application form and supporting information to the existing clerk at cbpc.1997@gmail.com or phone 01964 550107. Those who have already expressed an interest need not re-apply, and will be sent an application form in the next few days.

The closing date for the submission of completed application forms is 29th April 2022.

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Did you know?

There is outdoor gym equipment on the Sportsfield just behind the Pavilion. It is freely available for the use of any village residents.



Village Pond Fence

The Parish Council is inviting proposals and quotations either for refurbishment and repainting of the existing fence, or complete replacement of the white wood and black mesh fence along the front of the Village Pond, over the spring/summer.

Anyone interested in undertaking this work is asked to contact the Parish Clerk (cbpc.1997@gmail.com).



VILLAGE HALL NEWS

After a couple of years suppressed by lockdown we are getting back to active management for our Village Hall with a planned open Annual General Meeting on Sunday 10th April 2022 at 3pm in the Hall, where everyone is welcome.

We go into the next year with good reserves, a regular set of users and a well appointed Hall. Things we need to tackle next are some basic maintenance and upgrades. We've engaged an architect who is now working on some long term ideas for the Hall. In the short term we have an outside area to tidy up and the large store room to be made into a multi-function space. If you think you can help in any way, please get in touch or come along to our AGM. You'll be very welcome.

NEW ACTIVITIES

As well as our regular activities, we have stashed away in a cupboard some sports equipment just waiting for anyone interested to start something up.

These include equipment for carpet bowls, table tennis and badminton. Anyone interested to take up the organisation of any of these activities, either as a one-off or a regular event, is welcome to use the equipment.

In addition, we've noticed other village halls have started activity groups including a film club (equipment is locally available to hire for this), IT training (grants are available) and drama events.

All we need are people enthusiastic to move things along in these areas. If you have any ideas and can spare some time, please let us know.

LIVE MUSIC IN THE VILLAGE HALL

from Cherry Burton Arts

Saturday 23rd April 2022

MARTIN STEPHENSON plus BANDWAGON

Saturday 28th May 2022 **JEZ LOWE** plus support

Tickets: (£15) from Costcutter, Cherry Burton www.wegottickets.com - or - email: martin@peirson.karoo.co.uk Doors at 7.30pm for 8pm start

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COFFEE MORNINGS
Saturdays 10.30am to 12 noon

16th April
21st May
18th June

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