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HAMLETS

The monthly Parish Council meeting was held on Wednesday 16th June in the Community Centre. Present were Cllrs. J Hobbs(Chair), K Boundy, J Phipps and S Tilbey, 2 members of the public and S Joyner (Clerk)

Cllr. Tilbey advised that he had been busy with zoom meetings relating to the Cornwall Council committees that he had been elected to. He confirmed that he had reported the overgrown verges and trees at Chapel Levels and was waiting for a response.

The new infant assault course has now been installed in the playpark and is looking very smart. Funding for this was received from the National Lottery. The playpark report was very comprehensive and overall it was found that there were just a few minor issues to be attended to. Quotes are to be obtained for the work required with Cllr. Hobbs as the contact. A further risk assessment of the toilets found that they could not be re-opened at this stage. A further assessment will be carried out in July.

The variable speed limit signs and yellow markings have been installed outside the school. However, it was noted that the yellow markings are being ignored and cars are still being parked dangerously. Cllr. Hobbs will bring this up at the next Bude Area CNP Highways meeting to see what can be done.

There are five vacant seats on the Council and two applications have been received so far from residents wishing to be co-opted onto the Council. The deadline for applications has been extended until the 14th July and all applications will be considered at the July meeting. The newly appointed clerk has handed in her resignation. The previous clerk has agreed to stay on for the time being and the Parish Council will be advertising again for a replacement.

A request from a resident to install a bench on the green at Crosstown was agreed with conditions to be confirmed. A request from St. Mark's PTA to hold a car boot sale in the Community Centre car park was agreed. It was confirmed that the Parish Council will be participating in a programme to plant trees to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee next year.

There were 5 planning applications discussed: PA21/03597; Proposed replacement dwelling and associated landscaping at White Oak Farm. No objections. PA21/04028; Single storey extension to existing house and PA21/04029; Retention of annexe/holiday let with addition of single storey extension both at Gooseham Mill House. No objections, with 1 abstention for PA21/04029. PA21/04291; Installation of solar energy facility with variation of condition 19 of approved Decision Notice PA10/08695; Land South of Woolley Barrows. The Parish Council had concerns with this application being submitted 15 years before the current permission expires. PA21/05345; Extension to dwelling including raised terrace/balcony area. The Parish Council had concerns over the effect on neighbouring properties and that there had not been time for neighbours to express their views to the Parish Council before the meeting.

The next meeting will be the monthly Parish Council meeting to be held on Wednesday 21st July at 7.30pm in the Community Centre.

Sue Joyner, Clerk to the Parish Council

MORWENSTOW PARISH COUNCIL

2021/AM/9 Election of Council Representatives: RESOLVED to elect the following Council representatives:

- a) Cornwall Association of Local Councils (CALC) - Councillor J Phipps
- b) Bude Area Community Network Panel - Chairman (Councillor J Hobbs) and in his absence Vice-Chair (Councillor J Phipps)

2021/AM/10 Election of Officers: RESOLVED to elect members to internal Council roles as follows:

- a) Tree Warden – Councillor J Hobbs;
- b) Public Ways Co-ordinator – Councillor K Boundy;
- c) Playpark Equipment Supervisor and Playpark Supervisor be amalgamated to “Playpark” and Councillor R Savage be appointed to undertake safety checks;
- d) Transport – Councillor J Phipps
- f) Hamlets Editor – Councillor J Phipps
- g) Flag Master – Councillor S Tilbey.
- h) Police Liaison Officer – Councillor R Savage
- i) Building Regulation Advisor – Councillor S Tilbey

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MORWENSTOW PARISH COUNCIL

Vacancy for Parish Councillor x 5

Following the recent Parish Council elections, Morwenstow Parish Council has 5 vacancies to be filled. Applications to fill these vacancies are invited from those meeting the election criteria below.

Applicants must complete an application form setting out in detail their knowledge, ability and reasons for seeking to fill the vacancy which must be returned by noon on Wednesday 14 July 2021. It is envisioned that applications will be considered by the Parish Council at their meeting on Wednesday 21 July 2021.

Application packs are available to download from the Council website at www.morwenstowparishcouncil.co.uk. For a hard copy alternative please contact the Clerk by email at clerk@morwenstowparishcouncil.co.uk

Eligibility:

To apply you must:

- be a British, Commonwealth or other European Union Citizen and not require leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom or have indefinite leave to remain;
- on the 'relevant date' (i.e. the day on which you are nominated or if there is a poll the day of the election) be 18 years of age or over;
- satisfy at least one of the following qualifications:
 - a) Be registered as a local government elector for the Parish;
 - b) Have, during the whole of the preceding 12 months, occupied as owner or tenant, any land or premises in the Parish;
 - c) Had your principal or only place of work, during the preceding 12 months, in the Parish;
 - d) Have lived, during the whole of the preceding 12 months, in the Parish or within 3miles therof.

COMMUNITY CENTRE TOILETS

Unfortunately, the toilets at the Community Centre cannot be safely opened at the present time as we are unable to comply with current Government guidelines. The Parish Council hope they will be able to reopen them from the 19th July.



MAY RAINFALL

Lophorne – Ken Boundy recorded:

162mm or 6.37 inches

Cornakey – Kevin Heywood recorded:

142mm or 5.60 inches

CHURCH SERVICES

WOODFORD CHAPEL – every Sunday via a virtual platform. Please contact Johnathon Hobbs (01288 331236) for details on how to attend

MORWENSTOW PARISH CHURCH -

Sunday 4th July – 9.30am Holy Communion

Sunday 11th July – 9.30am Morning Worship

Sunday 18th July – 9.30am Holy Communion

Sunday 25th July – 3.00pm Evensong

Morwenstow Parish Council

Interested Parties are invited to tender for the following

Maintenance and Repair of Playpark Equipment

Please contact Johnathan Hobbs on 01288 331236 for full details

Please note that Public Liability Insurance cover is required for all contractors.

All enquiries/quotes to be received by 21st July

Cornwall Housing Register

The Parish Council would like to encourage anyone with a child aged 18yrs or over to get their name put onto the Cornwall Housing Register so that the County and Parish are aware of local housing needs.



Morwenstow Women's Institute

Morwenstow Women's Institute Meeting

Wednesday 16th June 2021

What a thrill! Our first meeting since March 2021. President Sandra Rowland welcomed members and guest W. I. Adviser Kathy Reed and said how wonderful to see everyone in person after such a long time. The meeting took place outside at Furze Stores Cafe so that we would be covid compliant and fortunately it was a lovely afternoon. The meeting was very short as there was very little to discuss, since very little had happened. As it was the Annual Meeting there were reports from the treasurer, committee and community representative and also from the trustees of the Men's Institute. Kathy Reed spoke briefly and also said how great it was to be seeing people face to face again. The committee had all agreed to remain in post and were duly re-elected.

We voted unanimously to support the motion that was presented at the National Federation of Womens' Institutes to increase awareness of subtle signs of ovarian cancer. There was no presentation of prizes as no competitions were held, but it was agreed that the cups would be engraved with a brief explanation of why they had not been awarded. Sandra Rowland closed the meeting by thanking everyone, and in particular Kathy Reed, and said she hoped for better times ahead. We then had a delicious tea provided by Wendy Wickett and the cafe staff and enjoyed a good catch-up. What a great way to end the day.

The next meeting will be on 21st July at 2. 30. pm at Furze Stores when we will discuss the programme for the coming year. Ladies, if you are fed up being on your own and would like other peoples' company for a change why not join us? Just contact the secretary, Debbie Nicholls, on 01288 331426. New members are always welcome.

Lesley Palfreyman, Press Secretary

EDITORIAL

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If you wish to contact the Chairman of the Parish Council on any matter, please telephone Jonathan Hobbs on (01288) 331236

USEFUL DATES

(All subject to change or cancellation until further notice)

Rubbish & Recycling collections –

Recycling – Monday 5th & 19th July

Parish Council – 3rd Wednesday (except Aug & Dec)

(1st Wednesday – additional planning meeting if required)

Post Office – Mondays 12.30 – 3.30pm, Thursdays 1.00 – 3.00pm

Walking Football for the over 50's

Contact Dave Rivett on 901288) 331814