

## PARISH COUNCIL OF NEWTON-WITH-CLIFTON

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Dear councillor,

The next meeting of the council is to be held on Thursday, 7th October 2021 commencing at 7:15 p.m. at Newton-with Clifton village hall and via Zoom.

### **AGENDA.**

- 1). Procedural matters.
  - a) Apologies for Absence.
  - b) Chairman's communications.
  - c) Declarations of Interest.
  - d) Signing of Minutes (Meeting 02/09/21).
  - e) Matters arising from minutes.
  
- 2). Parish communication, social media/e-governance.
  - a) Consider website development, content and update.
  - b) Hornbies Foundation - Hornbies Newton Charity, chairman to address meeting.
  
- 3). Highways and Transportation.
  - a) Ongoing Lancashire County Council (LCC) matters; including parish highway safety issues;
    - i) Vehicle parking in proximity to Newton Bluecoat School Newton-with-Scales.
    - ii) A583/Blackpool Road, footway improvement and pedestrian crossing facilities, particularly at junction with Preston Old Road, Clifton.
    - iii) Public footpaths, particularly Clifton-Newton, public footpath NO6.
  - b) New LCC matters.
  - c) Street scene matters.
    - i) Relocate noticeboard from Bryning Lane, Newton-with-Scales and related improvements to enhance amenity in central village area.
    - ii) Dog fouling, consider suggestions, particularly regarding problematic areas.
    - iii) Littering in parish.
    - iv) SpID operations.
  
- 4). Planning - consider any planning application(s) received since the last meeting.
  
- 5). Parks Playing Fields & Open Spaces.
  - a) Parks, open spaces, rural area grass verges, grass-cutting contract, receive report from authorised officer/liaison member in respect of the maintenance contract.
  - b) Flower/Shrub beds maintenance contract, receive report from authorised officer/liaison member in respect of the maintenance contract.
  - c) Friends of Newton Community Park (FoNCP), consider any report previously circulated from council representative member.
  - d) Footway resurfacing/fencing, William Pickles Park, Clifton, consider any update.
  - e) Tree replacement arising from dieback disease affecting Ash trees, receive any members update relating to survey, Fylde borough council, Woodland Trust and local tree surgeon contractor enquiries.
  - f) Provision of CCTV, Newton Hall Park, School Lane, Newton-with-Scales, receive any members update.

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- g) Lancashire Wildlife Trust(LWT)/Natural England(NE) – Great Crested Newts and other wildlife ponds within the Fylde borough, application to develop sites creating ponds, receive any members update.
  - h) Provision of football goals and nets at William Pickles Park, Clifton Lane, Clifton, receive any members update.
  - i) Use of playing field, and ancillary facilities, adjacent Newton-with-Clifton Village Hall by Kirkham Juniors Football Club (KJFC), receive any members update.
  - j) Hedge, trees, vegetation &c, William Pickles Park, Clifton.
  - k) Seasonal decorations - consider current arrangements and any suggested alternatives.
- 6). Finance and Accounts.
- a) Approve invoices and payments.
  - b) Workplace pensions - automatic enrolment, clerk to advise of any update. \* In accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s.1 council may resolve to exclude the public (which includes the press) on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted. \* Exempt Item.
  - c) Friends of Newton Community Park (FoNCP) funding Community Parks Improvement Programme (CPIP) - consider CPIP update, if any.
  - d) Management of contracts\*.
    - i) Consider any chairman's update.In accordance with the Public Bodies, (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s.1 council may resolve to exclude the public (which includes the press) on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted. Exempt Item\*.
- 7) Queens Jubilee, District Parish Liaison meeting item Monday 20th September 2021, request parishes share ideas.
- 8) Any other matters for information purposes only.
- a) Date of next meeting (To be agreed).

Yours sincerely



Clerk to the Council.

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