

COOKHILL PARISH COUNCIL

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Clerk, Kate Brazier, 6 Sands Road, Inkberrow, Worcs, WR7 4HJ

Summary from Cookhill Parish Council meeting held Tuesday 14th February 2017

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATES:

- The Parish Council were pleased to welcome Kate Stott, Education & Communications Officer for Severn Waste Services, who gave a very interesting presentation on the importance of recycling in the county. She advised the Councillors and members of the public in attendance what can & cannot be recycled.
Look out for more information at www.cookhillparishcouncil.com soon!
 - **Parish Council Allotments** – There are now only 2 plots available at the Cookhill Parish Council allotments. Anyone interested is asked to contact the clerk.
 - **Cookhill Cricket Club** – Mr Billy Harris, Head Coach from Cookhill Cricket Club, attended the meeting to request a grant from the Parish Council to enable the club to carry on with the good work started last year with regards to the Junior team. They had welcomed new members from the Parish and are actively promoting the club in the surrounding area. The Parish Council agreed the grant & thanked the Club for attending.
For more information on joining Cookhill Cricket Club please contact Mr Harris on 07751 580069
 - **Cookhill Village Hall** – Cllr Sumner reported that the hall is working hard on its fund-raising and has a number of exciting events booked throughout the year, with the popular skittles evenings and a Summer Fete at the beginning of September. All monies raised will go towards the urgent maintenance work required at the hall. The Parish Council agreed to a grant towards the maintenance work.
 - **Dog Waste Bag Dispensers** – A further new dog waste bag dispenser is to be installed on Edgioake Lane, near the site of the new dog bin as this footpath is very well used.
- PARISHIONERS ARE REMINDED THAT THE OTHER DISPENSERS ARE SITUATED ON CHURCH LANE & OPPOSITE THE NEVILL ARMS.**

- **Speeding and RTAs on the Ridgeway** – The ongoing issue of accidents along the same stretch of the Ridgeway was discussed and it was confirmed that members of the Parish Council had met with the County Council Highways Department at the site to discuss the next step. It has been agreed that SLOW will be painted on the road and the Parish Council will fund a vehicle activated sign, warning of the bend, to be located on this stretch of road.

Planning: the Parish Council has asked Wychavon District Council (WDC) to send notification to us of all planning applications that fall within the parish boundary, these are then discussed at a parish council meeting and the ensuing comments are submitted to WDC. All these applications and comments can be seen online via www.wychavon.gov.uk

The following applications were considered for comment:

Six planning applications were received for comment during January and in order for the Council to fully discuss and comment on them during their consultation periods an Extraordinary Meeting of the Parish Council was called on 3rd February. *To read the full comments and Minutes from this meeting please visit the Cookhill Parish Council website.*

Reports from Wychavon Planning:

W/16/01710/PN - White House, Edgioake Lane, Astwood Bank, Redditch, B96 6BG

Proposal: Demolition of existing property & construction of replacement 3 bedroom dwelling. **Decision:** Approved 20/01/17

COOKHILL ALLOTMENT VACANCIES

Would you like to spend more time in the open air?

Have you thought about growing your own fruit and vegetables?

If the answer is yes, then now is your chance to take on a plot at the Cookhill Allotments on the Ridgeway.

There are now only 2 plots available from the end of March 2017.

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**NEXT PARISH COUNCIL MEETING IS TUESDAY 14TH MARCH 2017
at 7.30PM, COOKHILL VILLAGE HALL, COMMITTEE ROOM**

(Read the Agendas, Minutes & Parish News at
www.cookhillparishcouncil.com)

COOKHILL COMPUTER CLUB

Bring along your laptop or tablet to Cookhill Village Hall on Wednesday mornings for the informal Internet Café drop-in sessions. It's perfect for you if you want to:

- ❖ Practice some of your computer skills in a social setting, or get answers to basic questions.
- ❖ Sign up to email, get online or use a specific website or online service with some-one there to help if you need it.

Internet Café – Wednesday 10:00am until 12 noon

(The internet café is hosted by the Parish Clerk & is not a formal training session. Contact the Clerk if you want to know more about the next block of training sessions. Tel: 07584 687283 or email info@cookhillparishcouncil.com)