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Summary from Cookhill Land and Parish Council Meetings held Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2020

#### **PARISH COUNCIL UPDATES:**

**Happy New Year from Cookhill Parish Council!**  
**Edgioake Lane / Salt Way Signage** – The replacement signs missing at the junction with Edgioake Lane and the Salt Way are being chased with some urgency following another collision on the junction over Christmas. The signs at the top of the Salt Way will be replaced soon.

**Cookhill Allotment Update** – Unprecedented wet weather has meant that tenants have been unable to get on the site to start work on their plots. Work will be carried out to create a ramp into the new container and also to renew the entrance track. There is currently 1 plot available at the popular allotments site.

*Please contact the clerk on 07584 687 283 or Mr David Claydon, the Allotment Association Chairman, on 01527 894317 for more information.*

#### **Lengthsman & Parish Paths Update**

The Lengthsman has been carrying out work to clear fallen leaves at the Playing Fields and from ditches. He has also repaired the footpath sign at the top of Oak Tree Lane. A further sign at the bottom of the lane has been reported to County for repair.

**Gritter** – The new Parish Council gritter has arrived and been calibrated ready for use with the next icy weather.

#### **National Speed Awareness Campaign**

The Community Speed Watch team will be supporting the National Speed Awareness Campaign, run by the National Police Chiefs' Council (NPCC), and West Mercia Police, from 20<sup>th</sup> January to 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2020.

The campaign will help to increase activity for enforcing the speed limit for all vehicles, but is also to raise awareness of the issue of speeding.

#### **Cookhill Parish Councillors**

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#### **Please be a responsible dog owner!**

#### **CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG**

*Remember your fellow walkers when out and about with your dog.  
There are a number of dog waste bins and dog waste bag dispensers around the Parish for your use.*

### **Cookhill Village Hall Update**

- **Volunteers Needed!** – The Village Hall Committee are hoping to recruit some new volunteers this year to help out with events. If you feel you can offer some much needed assistance during forthcoming events, or with the day to day running of the hall, please contact the clerk who will put you in touch with the Committee. *Thank you.*



### **Cookhill Computer Club & Internet Café** **Wednesdays 10.00am until 12 noon during term time.**

The internet café is hosted by the Parish Clerk & is not a formal training session.

**Tel: 07584 687283 or email [info@cookhillparishcouncil.com](mailto:info@cookhillparishcouncil.com)**

Bring along your laptop or tablet to Cookhill Village Hall on Wednesday mornings for the informal Internet Café drop-in sessions.

*Practice some of your computer skills in a social setting.*

*Get online or use a specific website with some-one there to help if you need it.*

*This is a free service provided for residents by Cookhill Parish Council.*

**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](http://www.wychavon.gov.uk)

### **The following applications were considered for comment:**

**W/19/02703/HP 32 The Ridgeway, New End, Astwood Bank, B96 6LT**

**Proposal:** Demolition of existing conservatory and erection of detached garage and single storey extension. The Parish Council recommended APPROVAL

**W/19/02676/NMA Field adjacent to 45 The Ridgeway, New End, Astwood Bank**

**Proposal:** Application for non-material amendment following approval of 18/02276/PIP and withdrawal of 19/01926/TDC5. The Parish Council made no comment.

**W/19/02728/CU 14 Wood Lane, Astwood Bank, B96 6NW**

**Proposal:** Change of use of land for equestrian purposes and formation of a menage. The Parish Council recommended APPROVAL.

### **Reports from Wychavon Planning:**

**W/19/02124/FUL Sandhills Farm, Edgioake Lane, Astwood Bank, B96 6BG**

**Proposal:** Closure of existing access and construction of two new access points, and revised parking arrangements. **Decision:** Approved 10/12/19

**W/19/01713/FUL The Hollies, 7 Wood Lane, New End, Astwood Bank, B96 6NN**

**Proposal:** Application for provision of new vehicular access and access road

**Decision:** Approved 29/11/19

### **Next PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**

will be held on **TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2020 at 7.30pm** and will follow on from the **PARISH LAND MEETING at 7pm**

**COOKHILL VILLAGE HALL, COMMITTEE ROOM.**

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