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Summary from Cookhill Land and Parish Council Meetings held Tuesday 11th February 2020

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATES:

Cookhill Precept 2020/2021 – The Parish Council agreed their annual budget for 2020/21, and set their Parish Precept requirement at the sum of £24,685 for the forthcoming financial year.

There will be no increase on last year's Precept.

Code of Conduct – In January, Councillors reviewed, and officially adopted, the revised Code of Conduct. This document sets out the standard of conduct expected of Councillors, in line with Wychavon recommendations.

Edgioake Lane – Replacement signage has been installed at the junction with Edgioake Lane and the Salt Way. Work has been undertaken by Severn Trent to rectify the water leak outside Botany Bay.

Cookhill Allotments – With Spring approaching the Cookhill allotment tenants are beginning to start work on their plots. If you would like to join them there are currently 3 plots available on our popular site.

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

Lengthsman Update – The Lengthsman has been busy clearing ditches and gullies around the parish. The verge at the top of Alcester Heath has been repaired following damage after an HGV misjudged the crossroads.

Ditches & Flooding – There has been a very positive response from landowners regarding the clearing of ditches. The Council reminded residents with ditches bordering their land to make sure they are dug out and clear to limit flooding across the highway during extreme weather conditions. Blocked drains and gullies can be reported to WCC Highways Department via the Hub on their website.

Gritter – The new Parish Council gritter has arrived and been calibrated ready for use with the next icy weather. The PC intend to sell their old gritter.

Bus Shelter – The purchase of a new bus shelter to replace the one outside the Village Hall was discussed and agreed, subject to installation costs.

Defibrillator – It was agreed that a replacement defibrillator cabinet be purchased for the Nevill Arms.

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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

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

The following applications were considered for comment:

W/19/0001/HP 32 Lychgate House, 3 Church Drive, Cookhill, B49 5JH

Proposal: Proposed single storey rear extension

Consultation ended 03/02/2020 – The Parish Council recommended APPROVAL

W/19/02707/HP The Willows. The Ridgeway, New End, Astwood Bank, B96 6LT

Proposal: Proposed rear and front single storey extensions. Conversion of existing garage into a bedroom. New drop curb

Consultation ends 06/02/2020 – The Parish Council recommended APPROVAL.

W/20/00155/HP 60 Evesham Road, Cookhill, B49 5LL

Proposal: Single storey extension for bedroom and shower room.

Decision: The Parish Council recommended APPROVAL.

Reports from Wychavon Planning:

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 **Decision:** REFUSED

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 **Decision:** APPROVED 27/01/2020

Next PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

will be held on **TUESDAY 10TH MARCH at 7.30pm**

COOKHILL VILLAGE HALL, COMMITTEE ROOM.

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