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Summary from the Cookhill Parish Council Meeting held in the meeting room at SE Davis, Sandhills Farm, Edgioake Lane on Tuesday 12th October 2021

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATES:



Notice of Casual Vacancy

Could you be a Parish Councillor?
Cookhill Parish Council have a vacancy for a Councillor.
Why not join us at our next meeting to meet the
Councillors and find out what we do!

Becoming a councillor is a most rewarding experience. It gives you the opportunity to help your local community and be part of a dedicated team providing key services for your area.

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Cookhill Allotments

The new plot number signs have been received and will be allocated when the plots are renumbered in the next few months.

The Allotment Association proposed raising the land deposit to £40, as the previous amount of £20 no longer reflects the amount of work required to clear up an untidy plot, nor was it enough of an incentive for an outgoing tenant to make the effort to do the work when vacating their plot.

Hedge-cutting will commence around the allotments and Parish Fields shortly. There are currently no vacancies please contact Mr David Claydon, the Allotment Association Chairman, on 01527 894317 to be added to the waiting list.

Cookhill Village Hall

The new benches have now been delivered, flat packed, and are awaiting construction! Volunteers needed to help put them together!

Following the success of the September event, the Village Hall Committee have organised a second 'Pub Night' to be held at the Hall on Saturday 23rd October 2021.

Bar open 7 – 11pm. Please bring your own food, drinks to be purchased from the hall bar. *If you would like more information please contact Cllr Sumner on 07891 732888 or Eileen Payne on 01527 892225*

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Community Speed Watch

The Parish Council wished to thank the parishioners who came forward to sign up for the CSW. Official training to use the new radar will commence shortly, further details to follow.

Lengthsman / Parish Paths

The hedges on the perimeter of the Playing Fields have been trimmed. New finger posts have been installed around the Parish.

Thank you to Silver Shine for cleaning the benches at the Playing Fields, they look like new! The Council agreed to get the other village benches cleaned, starting on the A441.

Village Postman

Following 30 years of service in the Parish one of the postmen will soon be retiring. A collection has been organised by several members of the Cookhill News & Events Facebook page. *Please contact the Vice-Chair, Anne Sumner, on 07891 732888 for more information.*

Ridgeway Meadows

The hedge at Ridgeway Meadows is now very overgrown and has been reported to Rooftop Housing to be cut back. Rooftop have also agreed to carry out some renovation work to their garages behind Cladswell Close.

<u>Planning:</u> 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/21/01369/FUL Ridgeway Nurseries, Evesham Road, B49 5JR

Proposed: Demolition of existing garden centre buildings and bungalow and erection of 9 replacement dwellings

Decision: The Parish Council recommended that the application be REFUSED.

Reports from Wychavon Planning:

None received by the Parish Council

To comment on planning applications you can visit the planning portal on the Wychavon website here \rightarrow www.wychavon.gov.uk/planning

Next **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**will be held on **TUESDAY 9TH NOVEMBER** at **7.30pm**in the Meeting Room at SE Davis, Sandhills Farm, Edgioake Lane

Please note that, although the Parish Council have now returned to meeting in person, members of the public wishing to attend are kindly encouraged to continue to join the meeting via Zoom.

Please contact the clerk for the link.

Whilst face coverings are no longer mandatory, the Parish Council encourage that they continue to be worn and appropriate social distancing observed.

Please do not attend the meeting if you are unwell.

Please check the Parish Council website for up to date information regarding meetings as dates and times may be subject to change!

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