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Summary from the Cookhill Parish Council Meeting held in the conference room at SE Davis, Sandhills Farm, Edgioake Lane on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2022

## **PARISH COUNCIL UPDATES:**

### **Cookhill Village Hall**

The Village Hall would like to thank everyone who turned out for the Platinum Jubilee celebrations earlier this month. It was great to see so many people coming together to support the community. The Race Night was a great success and will be back later in the year!

### **Cookhill Village Hall Events**

Aber Valley Male Voice Choir will return to the hall on the Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Tickets will be £10 per person, including a light supper, and are available from the Village Hall Committee.

Contact Anne Sumner on 07891 732888 to book your ticket.

### **Cookhill Allotments / Parish Council Fields**

Plot 4 has been divided into two, creating an extra plot. The first person on the waiting list has been offered this plot and will take it on from the end of June.

The Vice Chair of the Allotment Association, also Chair of the West Midlands Group of the British Iris Society, has been growing award winning Irises on his plot, some of which were on display at the Chelsea Flower Show! They are well worth a visit!

*Please contact Mr David Claydon, the Allotment Association Chair, on 01527 894317 if you would like to be added to the waiting list for a plot.*

### **Lengthsman / Parish Paths**

The Lengthsman and the Parish Paths Warden have been working hard to keep the parish paths clear for walkers, with grass strimmed regularly. The Lengthsman has also raised the VAS on the Salt Way to pick up cars from further away.

### **Code of Conduct**

The Parish Council considered and adopted the revised Code of Conduct. A copy can be viewed on the Parish Council website – [www.cookhillparishcouncil.com](http://www.cookhillparishcouncil.com)

### **Plant a Tree for the Jubilee**

The Parish Council have voted to call the new meadow behind the houses at Ridgeway Meadows, Platinum Meadows. The Council have applied to Fields in Trust to have the land legally protected as an open space in perpetuity.

The new trees, planted behind Ridgeway Meadows in March, are growing well with a new boundary fence now installed. A small number of volunteers from the Allotment Association

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will be strimming the grass and mulching between the trees on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June. The Parish Council wished to extend their thanks to David Claydon, and the volunteers, for all their help with the project so far.

### **'Twenty is Plenty' Campaign**

It was proposed to vote in support of normalising 20mph where people live, shop, work, learn and play, in place of the outdated 30mph. This proposal would reduce casualties by 69 per year. The authorities of 28 million people in the UK have already agreed this policy.

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***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/22/01138/TDC5 Caravan at, 47 The Ridgeway, New End, Astwood Bank, B96 6LS**

**Proposed:** Application for technical details (part 2) following approval of Permission in Principle Ref 18/02276/PIP for a rural exception development consisting of the erection of 3 no. discount market self-build dwellings to vary conditions as approved (20/00670/TDC5) (Variation of condition 2 of planning permission 20/00019/TDC5)

**Decision:** The Parish Council recommended that the application be APPROVED.

**W/22/01093/HP Russet Lawns, Chamberlain Lane, Cookhill, B49 5LD**

**Proposed:** Demolition of conservatory and erection of two storey side and rear extension, porch and alterations to elevations.

**Decision:** The Parish Council recommended that the application be APPROVED.

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

**W/21/02986/FUL Mearse Croft, Mearse Lane, Inkberrow, B96 6LN**

**Proposed:** Retrospective and new permission sought for agricultural buildings including grain silos, chicken sheds and movable hen houses

**Decision:** Approved 18/05/2022

**W/21/00730/HP White Cottage, Chamberlain Lane, Cookhill, Alcester, B49 5LD**

**Proposed:** The erection of a replacement, single storey flat roofed rear extension

**Decision:** Approved 20/05/2022

**W/21/01369/FUL Ridgeway Nurseries, Evesham Road, Cookhill, B49 5JR**

**Proposal:** Demolition of existing garden centre buildings and erection of 4 replacement dwellings. **Decision:** Approved 10/06/2022

To comment on planning applications you can visit the planning portal on the Wychavon website here → [www.wychavon.gov.uk/planning](http://www.wychavon.gov.uk/planning)

Next **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** is scheduled for  
**TUESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2022 at 7.30pm**  
in the Conference Room at SE Davis, Sandhills Farm, Edgioake Lane

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**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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