

BURLEY PARISH COUNCIL

BPC MEETING HELD REMOTELY VIA ZOOM An online meeting of BPC was held on Wednesday 14th October 2020 at 6.30pm, members of the public were invited to attend virtually via Zoom. The meeting was attended by Cllr Daubeney (BPC Chairman), Cllr Clarke (Planning Committee Chairman), Cllr Russell, Cllr Martin, Cllr Egerton, Cllr Johnstone, Cllr Mans (HCC), the Clerk and 4 members of the public.

PLANNING Decisions communicated by NFNPA since the last meeting on 9th September:

NFNPA Appn. No. and Address	Proposal	BPC Recommendation, NFNPA Decision
20/00511 Wilderhope Cottage, Southfield Lane	Render & painting of previously painted brick house; render brick garage	R5 – NPOs to decide Granted
20/00312 Shappen Stores, The Cross	Erection of building for mixed use; children’s play area; changes to car park; associated landscaping; demolition of existing	R3 – recommend Permission Granted

Applications considered at BPC Meeting on 14th October 2020

NFNPA Appn. No. & Address	Proposal	BPC Recommendation
20/00468 Marl House, Burley Street	Retention of Outbuilding	R5 – NPOs to decide
20/00715 Burley Rails Cottage, Lyndhurst Road	Replacement garage/workshop	R5 – NPOs to decide (subject to confirmation of PO’s comments)

For planning applications now or at any future point: concerns or comments can be made to BPC (robert.clarke@burleyparishcouncil.gov.uk) and/or the NFNPA via their website: www.newforestnpa.gov.uk/planning_applications/view-or-comment-on-applications

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY This year there will be a short wreath laying ceremony, restricted to The Parish Council and the RBL of 6 people. Members of the public are asked that if they wish to pay their respects, please do so during the day after the ceremony, observing social distancing. Please see separate article for more details.

BROADBAND UPDATE There are now 14 coordinators across the village gathering interest in the Community Fibre Partnership Scheme. We have had a fantastic response with 286 properties who have registered an interest so far. Openreach will provide a quote for fibre installation to properties; it is hoped that the majority, if not the full cost of installation will be covered by HCC and Government grants. Information and further updates will be provided by the coordinators in your respective area. Should you not know who your local contact is, please contact Cllr Neal Martin via: neal.martin@burleyparishcouncil.gov.uk.

ROADS AND TRAFFIC As part of Hampshire Highways inspection program, it is planned for Holmsley Rail Bridge to be inspected on **Wednesday 25th November**. The inspection will involve the use of a mobile hoist and therefore the C10 to Brockenhurst will be closed on the day **during off peak times**. Diversion routes will be in place, therefore please plan your day accordingly.

With the weather turning BPC is keen to reduce the risk of flooding in the village; the Lengthsman will be clearing the ditch near the fire station at Ringwood Road to alleviate the pressure on this drainage system. Pothole reporting and HCC repair is ongoing.

AUTUMN LITTER PICK The annual BPC litter pick has been CANCELLED due to the current COVID restrictions on the lending of equipment. It is hoped that the next event planned for April 2021 will be able to go ahead as usual.

CAROL SINGING As you will understand, at this point in time, the annual BPC Carol Singing will not be going ahead. Should anything change to allow this to happen we will let you know via posters throughout the village.

NEXT MONTHLY MEETING The next full meeting of BPC will be held on Wednesday, 11th November 2020 at 6.30pm. Please check the agenda for details of whether the meeting is to be held in person or via Zoom. Agendas are posted on the BPC website and village noticeboards 3 days beforehand.