

Heather Parish Council

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Thursday 7th December 2023

To the Chairman and members of Heather Parish Council.

Members of the public are welcome to attend.

The next meeting of Heather Parish Council will be held on **Tuesday 12th December 2023**

This will be held at The David Taylor Memorial Hall at 7pm. The meeting agenda will be on the Parish Council website.

Donna Purday

Parish Clerk

The meeting is to transact the following business:

Apologies for absence.

Declaration of interests

1. MINUTES

To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on Tuesday November 14th 2023

2. MATTERS ARISING

3. Q & A SESSION WITH RUPERT MATTHEWS LEICESTERSHIRE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

4. COMMUNITY POLICING

5. DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCILLORS COMMENTS

Opportunity for local councillors to have an input to the Parish Council meeting.

6. REPORT FROM ALLOTMENT HOLDERS CO-ORDINATOR

- To receive a report from Mr Paul Taylor.
- Clerk still aware that the offer of vacant plots is to be allocated.
- To discuss request from a user who wishes to drop down to a quarter plot. Could we move her to plot 11b1 which is now free this will then leave us with two half plots to offer 8b & 8a (customer would be moved from this plot)

7. VILLAGE ISSUES

- Play area inspections carried out:
- Table Tennis table to discuss possibility of diverting funds to assist with funding of Swings at Mill Lane Recreation grounds.
- To update the council on the cemetery progress – 13 spaces left
- Community Chest Grants – all 3 quotes now in clerk to progress application to be in by 31st December 2023, also to discuss quotes to submit.
- Hanging Baskets for 2024

8. VILLAGE HALL

- To progress the boiler Service
- To discuss decision made regarding hall usage during Scarecrow week had a request from a user if she is allowed to use it due the loss of income

9. ACCOUNTS

To approve the following payments for November 2023

£1083.69 Clerks Salary

£ 20.64 Clerks Expenses

£3630.00 SDI Landscaping & gardening services

£ 118.80 Scribe accounting software

Council Income for November 2023

£205.00 Burial fees

Village Hall Expenses for November 2023

£ 80.24 Eon

£ 27.34 British Gas

Village Hall Income for November 2023

£354.00 Hall hire fees

- Clerk to declare compensatory Cheque for £50.00 from Lloyd bank
- To receive the Bank Statements for Heather Parish Council for November 2023
- To Receive the Bank Statements for Heather Recreation Ground for November 2023

10. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Decisions this month and decision awaited.

- 23/01211/FUL Old Thorntree Farm Heather Extension to Existing Commercial Premises and change of use to Joinery Workshop
- 23/01510/OUT Land off Swepstone Road Heather Self Build Dwelling (Outline all matters Reserved)

11. CHAIRPERSON'S COMMENTS

Any item which the chairman wishes to bring to the attention of the council.

Opportunity for councillors to bring items to the attention of the council.

12. DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCIL

District Council – Nothing to date

County Council- Nothing to date

13. CORRESPONDENCE & CIRCULARS

Clerks and Councils direct

Next Meeting

To confirm the dates below:

The next meeting will be Tuesday the 9th January 2024 at the Daviid Taylor Memorial Hall at 7pm see website for further details.

Future Meetings

9th January 2024, 13th February 2024, 12th March 2024.

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