

STALMINE-WITH-STAYNALL PARISH COUNCIL

Update from the clerk 13th June 2023

Council Meetings for the next 12 months

I can confirm that David Makinson has received and agreed that the dates for the council meetings to be held at Stalmine village hall.

Noticeboard

The notice board has been ordered and is expected to be delivered sometime in July. The company have informed me that they will send out an invoice when the noticeboard is close to completion. Lengths man Les is aware of these details, and has asked for the help of Preesall Lengths man to install it.

Coronation Recognition

- a) The medals have been purchased and given to the children and staff of Stalmine Primary School and the children of Moss Side Nursery. A retainer of 20 medals is currently being held by the Clerk if any other children of the parish wish to receive one. This has been advertised on the notice board, via Facebook page and the council's website. It will also be placed in the Green Books next edition.
- b) The new planter has been purchased and will be delivered on 16th June. Lengths man Mark has been informed and will build it when it is delivered.

Parish Planters

I have spoken to Mark (lengths man) and he has told me the week commencing 5th June he has had to work extra hours to ensure the plants have been watered in the warm weather. I have asked him to do the same for the week commencing 12th June, until we are able get some volunteers to help.

Speed Indicator Devices (SpIDs)

The report from Paul Connel has advised that the council are to obtain any residents opinions on the placement of the SpID's. I can confirm that information has been placed in the Green Book, the council's Facebook page, the council's website and on the notice board. I have received two comments back from residents who agree and support the SpIDs.

Website

The website has now been up-dated with all the councillor's details; the new councillor's emails are still to be confirmed. The Audit details are displayed and current 2023 documents have been updated also. Due to the increase of email addresses the direct debit has increased from £34.80 - £39.60 starting from the 1st of June 2023

Playground maintenance

Inspection of the playground has shown that the bark which is placed around the zip-wire has become very low. Wyre Borough Council have confirmed that now the ground is dry they are able to access the area with their vehicles to top up the bark.

Lengths man mower

The lengths man now has the new mower and has been assembled by Armstrongs and checked that is in working order. He has reported that the old mower has broken, and is unusable. He has been told that it will cost approximately £200.00 to fix, so I have asked him to get a price for the mower as scrap and have that receipted back into the council's accounts. The Lengths man has reported back that it is £1,50 per kilo and the mower is 20 kilos, scrap price would be approximately £25.00.