

ASH-CUM-RIDLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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13 February 2020

Dear Councillor

You are hereby summoned to attend the next meeting of the Ash-cum-Ridley Parish Council which will be held at **7.45pm on Thursday 20 February 2020 at Ash Village Hall, The Street, Ash, TN157HB.**

Yours faithfully

Alison de Jager
Parish Clerk

AGENDA**1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE****2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

- a. Declarations of Interest – Notification of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and of Interest Other Than Pecuniary declarations of interest which have not already been entered in the Members' register of interests.
- b. Changes to Register of Interest – a reminder that any alterations or new interests must be registered with the Monitoring Officer within 28 days.

3. DISPENSATIONS

To consider any requests received from Members to grant a dispensation in order to participate in discussion and voting, as appropriate, on matters to be considered at this meeting where a Member has an interest in Appendices A or B of the Council's adopted Code of Conduct.

4. TO APPROVE THE MINUTES of the Parish Council meeting held on Thursday 16 January 2020 (Attached).**5. POLICIES****(APPENDIX A PURPLE)**

- a. To carry out a review of the Grants Policy.

6. VICTORY IN EUROPE (VE) DAY 2020

- a. To note that the NAG Social Committee has not responded to our enquiry regarding events for VE Day.

7. PLANNING**(APPENDIX B GOLD)**

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| a. Applications | attached |
| b. Decisions | attached |
| c. Appeals | None at time of Agenda |
| d. Enforcements | None at time of Agenda |

- e. To note the minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 06 February 2020.
- f. To note that the Planning Committee has responded to the government consultation on strengthening police powers to tackle unauthorised encampments.

8. FINANCE

(APPENDIX C PINK)

- a. To note the current financial position and accompanying reports.
- b. To authorise the cheques signed since the last meeting.
- c. To note that the minutes of the meeting of the Finance Committee held on 18 February 2020 will be distributed with the March 2020 Agenda.
- d. To give consideration to the appeal for funding from the New Ash Green Rugby Club for the junior section as per the attached letter.
- e. To give consideration to the renewal of the membership of Action with Communities in Rural Kent for the Parish Council, Ash Village Hall, Hodsoll Street Village Hall and New Ash Green Youth & Community Centre in the amount of £80 for the Parish Council and £55 for each for the Halls.

9. SPORTS CENTRE

- a. To note that the minutes of the meeting of the Sports Centre Management Committee held on 17 February 2020 will be distributed with the March 2020 Agenda.

10. Great British Spring Clean 2020 – to consider taking part in the Great British Spring Clean to be held from 20 March 2020 – 13 April 2020.

11. BARNFIELD PARK

- a. To note that the next meeting of the Liaison Group will be held on 03 March 2020.

12. NORTHFIELD

(APPENDIX D GREEN)

- a. To note the minutes of the meeting of the Northfield Management Committee held on 22 January 2020.

13. BURIAL GROUND

(APPENDIX E BLUE)

- a. To note that the next meeting of the Burial Ground Committee will be held on 27 January 2020.

14. YOUTH

- a. Youth – to note that a funding application has been submitted to UK Youth to subsidise the youth provision
- b. 8 – 12's Steering Group –

SUSPENSION OF MEETING TO ALLOW FOR THE COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCILLORS' REPORTS

15. HIGHWAYS

16. FOOTPATHS

17. TRANSPORT

- a. To note that the next meeting of Arriva, KCC and the Parish Councils will be held on 03 March 2020.

18. HEALTH

19. ASH, HODSOLL STREET AND RIDLEY

- a. Ash –
- b. Hodsoll Street -
- c. Ridley – Bowdler's Well

20. THE BULLETIN, PARISH WEBSITE

- a. Bulletin:
- b. Website:

21. NEW ASH GREEN FOCUS GROUP AND POLICE

(APPENDIX G RED)

- a. To note the minutes of the meeting of the Focus Group held on 13 January 2020.

22. THURSDAY LUNCH PROVISION

23. KENT ASSOCIATION OF LOCAL COUNCILS

24. REPORTS, CIRCULARS AND CORRESPONDENCE. (All publications available from the Clerk)

- a. Sevenoaks District Council Weekly Planning Lists
- b. Sevenoaks District Council Press releases to date

RISK ASSESSMENTS: *Copies of the risk assessment visual check sheets for the Burial Ground and Hodsoll Street Playing field are available from the Parish Office.*