

THURGOLAND PARISH COUNCIL

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Update of actions July 2020

Item No.

- 2020/019 **Scarecrow Trail** – The Village Welfare 's event the “Scarecrow Trail” held on 4th/5th July was very successful. Numerous residents and visitors took part and the event was even featured in local press.
- 2020/020 **Thurgoland Village Welfare Football Pitch** – Thurgoland Parish Council and Thurgoland Village Welfare have jointly agreed to meet the cost of a feasibility study in relation to the condition of the football pitch in Thurgoland Recreation ground .
- 2020/021 **Planning Matters**
- 21.1 **App 2020/0317 Land off Halifax Road, Thurgoland**
Amended site plan with changes to the Open Green Space to enhance the appearance of the site when entering the Village was received and comments sent to BMBC Planning Dept. Still under consideration by the Planning Department.
- 21.2 **App 2020/0481 Karrubra, Roper Lane, Thurgoland, Barnsley, S35 7AA**
Removal of garage and erection of extensions to house – **approved** (The Parish Council advised BMBC it had no comments to made on the above application)
- 21.3 **Draft Royston Masterplan Framework Public Consultation**
Public consultation regarding a Masterplan Framework covering an area of land known as ‘MU5’, Land at Lee Lane, Royston – No comments were submitted
- 21.4 **Draft Hoyland South Masterplan Framework Public Consultation**
Public consultation regarding a Masterplan Framework covering an area of land known as ‘Hoyland South’ between Sheffield Road and Clough Fields Road - no comments were submitted
- 21.5 **App 2020/0646 Jephcote Cottage, Old Mill Lane, Thurgoland** – external alterations to property including new window and erection of boiler house. – The Parish Council have no comments to make on the application.
- 2020/022 **Crane Moor Recreation Ground**
- 22.1 **Bench**
Quotes attached regarding the purchase a replacement bench in Crane Moor Recreation Ground which will be maintenance free. It is proposed to purchase either a backed bench at a cost of £484.80 or a traditional style bench at a cost of £595.00 including VAT, fixings and delivery. Quotes to Councillors for comments before purchase.
- 22.2 **Letter of thanks**
A letter of thanks has been sent to Mr Dickinson and the Clerk will inform Mr Dickinson when a new bench is agreed.

- 2020/023 **Thurgoland Cricket Club**
Due to the current restrictions of social distancing Thurgoland Cricket Club have felt unable to resume matches in the current season whilst ensuring the safety of all involved. Therefore as the Cricket Club has received no income this season, the Clerk would be grateful for comments from Councillors to the suspension of the rent (£25.00) for the cricket field for this season.
Would Councillors please contact the Clerk with any comments.
- 2020/024 **Crane Moor Nook – Drain issue**
Concern has been raised regarding an issue with the drain on Pog Lane, Crane Moor and the Clerk is to receive an update from Yorkshire Water shortly as to the work planned and timescale for repairs
- 2020/025 **Roads and Transport**
Old Mill Lane, Thurgoland (Vale House to Stones Wood View) will be closed for approximately 1 week to install a new gas service. This will be advertised as usual.
- 2020/026 **Thurgoland Parish Website**
26.1 The Councillors details on the website need updating and Councillors are requested to let the Clerk know by e-mail, post or telephone of any changes they wish to make (copies of existing website information attached).
26.2 The Accessibility Statement will be added to the website next month
- 2020/027 **New Model Code of Conduct for Local Councils**
Reminder to Councillors - any comments to be sent to the Clerk by 10th August 2020 regarding the consultation by The Local Government Association in relation to the proposed new Model Code of Conduct.
- 2020/028 **Funding for Parish and Town Councils** - Letter from Mayor Dan Jarvis
A copy of the letter (issued to Councillors herewith) from Sheffield City Region Mayor Dan Jarvis to all local Parish and Town Councils has been received relating to Parish and Town Council funding during the Coronavirus pandemic.
- 2020/029 **Over-75s TV Licence**
A copy of a reply to a Thurgoland Parish Councillor from Sheffield City Region Mayor Dan Jarvis given to Councillors and placed on the Parish Noticeboards and website.
- 2020/030 **Annual Accounts and Audit work**
The Notice of the period for the exercise of public rights and other information required by Regulation 15 (2), Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 is displayed on the Parish Noticeboards and Parish Website expired on 24th July 2020. No requests for information had been received.
- 2020/031 **Payment of Cheques**
Payment of the following cheques will be made:
- | EXPENDITURE | | |
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| Payee of Cheque | Description (inc vat) | Amount |
| A. Sturdy | Clerk Salary July 2020 | as agreed |
| A. Sturdy | Expenses | £ 19.98 |
| INTEREST | 30 June 2020 | £0.04 |

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the above payments – thank you