

Eythorne Parish Council

June 2019 Edition

Annual Parish Meeting

Thank you to those residents who attended the Annual Parish Meeting, we hope you found the presentations interesting and informative. Many thanks to our speakers for giving us their time.

Thank You

The Chair and Councillors would like to express their thanks to the Councillors who have stepped down following the recent election process. Your experience and knowledge on many aspects of Community life, Planning and Council processes has been invaluable.

Parish Council Projects

The Council would like to tell you about the future projects for 2019-2020 financial year.

A Speed Indicator Device will be positioned around the village. There will be 3 posts on Adelaide Road, Chapel Hill and Sandwich Road. The device will face in either direction on all these roads and will flash up the speed of the oncoming vehicle with a "Slow Down" message if applicable. The SID will be periodically moved around the villages to remind drivers of the speed limit. The Parish Council would like to express their thanks to the Speed Watch volunteers to agreeing to help move the device.

The PC still has budget for play equipment for Elvington fenced area for youth play and money towards a pathway on Wigmore Lane between Wigmore Woods and Millyard Way.

The Allotments on Adelaide Road will be fenced off and the pitches marked out ready for occupancy. The response for a plot has been terrific, so the site should be a hive of activity very soon.

Thefts from Vehicles

Julliette West has advised that extra vigilance might be wise in making sure vehicles are locked up and secured properly with no valuables in sight, this is due to an increase in the amount of thefts from vehicles recently across the district. Also do not leave tools in vans overnight as these seem to be targeted for theft.

Damage in the Community

It is with sadness that The PC has to report arson and criminal damage within Elvington recently. The picnic bench on the recreation ground was burnt and damaged beyond repair and the windows in the Community Centre were the target of catapult missiles. The CCTV has identified the people involved and the police are dealing with this. If you see anti-social or criminal behaviour please report it using the details below. It is only through continued reporting that this behaviour can be tackled.

5 Aside Football Pitch

We hope the younger members of the Community and those young at heart, have been enjoying the 5 aside football pitch that has been marked out on Eythorne Playing Field.

End of Year Audit 2018-2019

The unaudited Parish Council accounts are available for inspection from 17 June 2019, these can be found on the Parish Council website on the finance page or through contacting the Clerk.

USEFUL CONTACTS

Eythorne Parish Council website: www.eythornepc.kentparishes.gov.uk

Eythorne Parish Clerk: clerk@eythornepc.kentparishes.gov.uk or 01304 832449 to leave a message
Community Warden – Julliette West: 07969 584174

PSCO – Luke Sanderson: luke.sanderson@kent.pnn.police.uk

Non-emergency crime – ring 101 or www.kent.police.uk/services/report-online or Crime Stoppers on 0800 555 111