

YANWATH & EAMONT BRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

APRIL NEWSLETTER

Parish Council Meeting Held on Tuesday 12th March 2024 at Eamont Bridge Village Hall

Present Chairman Councillor C Battersby

Parish Councillor D Scott J Murray D Brookes

Also, Present Westmorland & Furness County Councillor Neil Hughes.

Parishioners Philip Pyrah Sandra Pyrah.

Clerk A. Noble

Register of attendance book signed by all present

123/167 Declaration of Interest

Resolved it be noted that no member declared any interest in any item on the agenda.

123/168 Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 9th January be confirmed as a true record and signed by the chairman.

123/169 Common Land – Glendowlin

Councillor Battersby and parishioners Philip and Sandra Pyrah have started to clear the rubbish from the common land. Some of the concrete has already been removed by an unknown person. Items remaining wood, wire and general rubbish. Councillor Battersby will look at what rubbish can be removed by car, the remaining will possibly be needed to be burned. Clerk to contact the Environment Department of Westmorland and Furness to check that a fire on the common land will be acceptable. Councillor Battersby has planted a further eighty trees on the common land.

A suggestion of restationing the dog bin onto the gate at the common land was discussed. Place on next Agenda

123/170 Metal Gate -Public Rights of Way Yanwath

The metal gate at the public Right of Way Yanwath has now been repaired.

123/171 Parish Precept

The clerk reported she had applied to Westmorland & Furness County Council for a Precept for 2024/2025 of £6000

123/172 Footway – Eamont Bridge to Yanwath

Westmorland and Furness Councillor Neil Hughes, reported Monies will be available to be shared between three councils Monies for improvements The other two councils have agreed all the grant could be given to Yanwath & Eamont Bridge Parish Council towards the footway.

123/173 Reduction of the B5320 road

Councillor Hughes reported the Eden Traffic Management team have completed the 30 mph speed limit assessment. Our Parish is one of the 21 parish locations within the Eden Area.

123/174 Road C3043 North of Highfield between Askham and Yanwath

Councillor Hughes reported the C3043 north of Highfield will be closed 3rd April until 12th April between the hours 8-00am to 4-00pm. If this is not possible the 27th -31st May will be the alternative. Traffic controls will be set up

123/175 -E Mail CALC-Portrait of the King

All Parish Councils can apply for a free portrait of HM the King. Councillor Battersby proposed Councillor Murray seconded the parish council should accept a portrait. Clerk to apply for a portrait.

123/176 Wall Corner -A6 and B5320 road

The Parish Council have not received a reply from Lowther Estates. The parish council have requested that Lowther repair their wall that has been damaged. Clerk to forward further letter.

123/177- E Mail – Westmorland & Furness County Council-Re-Charge for Footway Lighting

The Westmorland and Furness Council will not be recharging for the district -owned footway lighting. This means the Parish Council will no longer be invoiced for 2023 -2024 footway lighting .The 2024-2025 lighting will be reviewed.

123/178 E Mail CALC – Training.

The January to July 24 has been forwarded. Developing your Skills Training Programme

123/179 E Mail CALC- Levelling Up

The appropriate sum for section 237 of the local government a/c 1972 for parish councils has been increased from the amount of £9-93 for 2023/2024 to £10-82 for 2024/25

123/180 E Mail CALC -A66 Red Hills Update

The programme for closures on the A66 Red Hill scheme areas follows Eastbound until 7-3-24. Westbound 8th until 19th March Eastbound Closures 20th March until 27th March 2025

123/181 Pot Holes

Councillor Brookes raised the problems of potholes requesting the repair to pot holes be on top of the road work programme.

123/182 E Mail -Damian Greenfield – 2024 North West Stakeholder Survey

National Highways in our North West region has launched its 2024 on-line stakeholder Assessment Survey. The survey will help the highways to understand priorities in the Strategic Road. Survey Completed.

123/183 E Mail Rural Services Network

The Rural Bulletin

123/184 E Mail - NALC

NALC Newsletter -Legal update

123/185 Westmorland & Furness Council

Westmorland & Furness County Council want to hear the views of Penrith residents on a new parking permit process set to launch in spring 2024

123/186 E Mail -CALC - Appointment of a Treasurer

The appointment of Treasurer/Board Director for CALChas been chosen.

123/187 E mail-CALC -Cumbria Fire and Rescue Community

Cumbria Fire and Rescue Service is currently consultation on its Community Risk Management Plan. The CRMP sets out the services priorities over the next four years. The link www.cumbriafire.gov.uk/our-community-risk-management-plan-camp-2024-2028

123/188 E Mail-CALC

New Employment Contract Template

123/189 E Mail-CALC- Radio Cumbria .

Make a Difference awards Eight Categories. Volunteer. Community. Fundraiser. Carer. Great Neighbour. Bravery The Green Award. The Annual Award.

123/190 E Mail- CALC -Westmorland & Furness Council Community Fund

Community Grants Fund-Grants that contribute towards the setting up of new community initiatives or the purchase of new equipment or refurbishment costs for existing groups 0-19.Services Fund -Grants to support projects and initiatives for organisation's who deliver activities for organisations who deliver and prospect for young people.

123/191 D Day Flags-6-6-24

Various size D Day flags are available to be purchased. Councillor Battersby proposed Councillor Murray seconded the Parish Council should order the smaller flag

123/192 Glasdon Booklet

123/193 Clerk Council Direct

123/194 Leaflet Elan City

123/195 Resolved all the accounts on the Agenda have been presented amounting to Twenty Eight Pounds. Eamont Bridge Village Hall. Hire of hall.

123/196 Resolved all items on the Agenda should be noted.

Next Meeting

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday 14th May 2024

Eamont Bridge Village Hall

Time 6-30pm

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