Parish Council meetings

Meetings start at 7.30pm and are open to the public.

The agenda for each meeting can be found on the Parish Council's website and Facebook page and on noticeboards during the week before the meeting is held.

Should you wish to ask the Parish Council any questions or raise any points with us, 15 minutes at the beginning of each meeting are set aside for you to do so.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 12th September – Parish Council meeting Monday 10th October – Parish Council meeting Monday 14th November – Parish Council meeting



Rolleston on Dove Parish Council



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Autumn 2022

Footpath walks

Councillors walked the Parish public footpaths during July and identified areas for repair including work required to the steps and handrails on the path up to the fields from the Jinny Nature Trail. In addition, further tree maintenance is planned for the Autumn on the Trail to remove dead, dying or diseased trees and to spread wood chippings on the paths on Tafflands.

If you notice any areas on public footpaths that require maintenance please report these to the Clerk.

Footpath walks leaflets are available on the request to the Clerk and it may also be downloaded from the Parish Council's website.

Free compost bins for residents

As reported in the previous newsletter, the Parish Council successfully applied for funding to purchase 32 No. compost bins which were to be offered free of charge to residents.

The opportunity to apply for a compost bin, funded through Staffordshire County Council's Climate Change Action Fund, proved to be extremely popular. We received 46 applications for a compost bin, this meant that the successful applicants had to be drawn "from the hat" by the Council Chair, witnessed by the Vice Chair. All the compost bins have now been allocated.

Queen's Platinum Jubilee

As reported in the previous newsletter, the Parish Council agreed to purchase a seat to commemorate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. The seat (see photo below) has been installed on The Croft.



Staffordshire Police launches local policing with communities at its heart

Staffordshire Police launched its new local policing model for the county on 27th June, which brings significant investment in the number of officers responding locally throughout Burton and Uttoxeter. Designed to strengthen the force's focus on local policing and partnerships, the new model sees emergency response

officers operate from 10 local areas alongside neighbourhood officers and Police Community Support Officers (PCSOs).

East Staffordshire has a dedicated local policing team with a dedicated Chief Inspector and Inspector - they are Chief Inspector Clair Langley and Inspector Scott Gidman.

Announced in February 2022 by the newly appointed Chief Constable, Chris Noble, the changes have been made to enable officers to respond quicker to emergencies; develop enhanced local knowledge in order to solve problems; have more time to investigate and provide a high-quality, consistent and caring service for victims of crime.

The changes also support the force's policing priorities for the next 12-18 months and the commitments set out in the Police and Crime Plan published by Staffordshire Commissioner for Police, Fire & Rescue and Crime, Ben Adams.

The ten Local Policing Teams (LPTs) which will consolidate teams and increase the force's three current response bases, are:

1.	Leek	6.	Burton
2.	Hanley	7.	Codsall
3.	Newcastle	8.	Cannock
4.	Longton	9.	Lichfield
5.	Stafford	10.	Tamworth