

## **NOTES FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ON 2 JULY 2018**

### **Comments Raised by Parishioners**

A parishioner offered to help in the initial stage of a possible Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP). This initial stage would scope the possible extent of a NDP for Beenham, leading to a report that will enable the PC to decide whether to proceed with an NDP.

The preparation of an NDP is a long and time-consuming business and will need the assistance of many more local people. However, if an NDP is prepared it will allow us to say what kind of development we would like in Beenham, rather than be exposed to outside developers and plans made for us by WBC.

### **Trees on the Rec**

It was agreed that trimming of the growth around the base of the lime trees on the Rec, together with trimming of the lower branches, will be carried out as soon as possible. This will improve road visibility.

### **Waste Collection**

WBC no longer includes community buildings such as the Village Hall and Community Room in the domestic waste collection. The PC is responsible for the Community Room, and has arranged for a private collection. All users of the Community Room and School Hall are being asked to minimise the waste they put into the PC wheelie bin, to minimise the cost of the waste collection.

### **Beenham Village Events**

PC thanked everyone involved in the Summer Fayre for their hard work. PC agreed to make a contribution to BVE for costs involved in the Christmas and summer events.

### **Planning Matters**

18/01176/COMIND – Marley Tiles – New sand bin and cement silo within existing site. No objection.

***The next Parish Council meeting is on Monday 6 August 2018 starting at 7.00pm in the Community Room. All parishioners are welcome to attend.***

All correspondence to the council should be addressed to the Parish Clerk.

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