



Curdridge Parish Council News

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Chair's Notes - April 2017

Fly tipping – The Parish Council was pleased to hear from our District Councillors that two offenders were recently fined £3250 and £5400 respectively for fly tipping in the Droxford area. It is usually very difficult to identify and prosecute offenders for lack of good evidence. However, if you happen to see anyone in the act, please take down any vehicle numbers and report the incident to the Parish Council and, via our web site, to Winchester City Council. Please **don't** try to challenge offenders.

You should also be aware that if you employ builders, gardeners, or anyone to take away rubbish, that you should check thoroughly what is going to be done with the rubble/prunings/rubbish and so on, as ultimately you can be held responsible for any illegal disposal.

Talking of rubbish, the current waste management contract for East Hampshire and Winchester is up for renewal soon and it could mean changes to our **refuse collections** - again !

Speedwatch – After volunteers being trained by, and suitable sites agreed with, the police, they suddenly announced that Speedwatch would be restricted to 30mph zones/roads only. This would mean that some of our agreed

sites would no longer be allowed. Cllr Newton has raised this matter at the Police and Crime Commissioners Forum and it was agreed that they would investigate.

The Parish Council has made a grant of £500 to the **Curdridge Scout and Guide HQ** as a contribution towards re-cladding the rear wall of the building, which has begun to leak. We have a small fund available in our budget for such grants, which we have also used to support the Reading Rooms.

We have decided to have a **Curdridge Parish Council stall at this year's Curdridge Show**. The idea is that parishioners can have the opportunity to chat to us to voice any queries, or to tell us how much you value our volunteer efforts on your behalf! We will also listen to complaints (should there be any) but they may require you to hand over an ice-cream first. (Mine's a 99 thanks).

Kevan Bundell

Oakwood Curdridge Lane
Curdridge SO32 2BH -
Demolition of existing garden store and erection of replacement garden store.

Case Officer: Curtis Badley.
Case No: 16/03506/HOU.
PERMITTED.

Lower Lockhams Kitnocks Hill Curdridge SO32 2HJ - Single storey side and rear extension, swimming pool and pool house construction. Case Officer: Robert Green. Case No: 17/00324/HOU.
PERMITTED.

Foster Yeoman Ltd, Station Hill, CURDRIDGE, SO30 2DN - Installation of a portable building at the entrance of the site. The building will be used to house the weighbridge office serving the rail fed asphalt depot. Case Officer: Judith Smallman. Case No: PLAN/JS/WR081.
GRANTED.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Our **Annual Parish Meeting is to be held at 7pm on Thursday, 20 April 2017 at the Reading Room**. Please feel free to come along and listen to presentations by representatives from the County and District Councils and Hampshire Constabulary and to raise any questions you may have.

Next Planning, Highway & Licensing Meetings (if sufficient business) 6 April 2017, 4 May 2017, 1 June 2017.

Next Full Council Meetings 20 April, 18 May, 22 June 2017. Council Meetings start at 7pm and are held at the Reading Rooms.

Contact details for the Council are published in this magazine. Approved Minutes are available on the Parish Council website.