

Carn Brea Parish Council

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Annual Report

May 2022

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Carn Brea Parish Council:

Carn Brea Parish Council operates at the most local level of Local Government with 17 Councillors elected for a term of four years. The Councillors work for the Parish in a voluntary capacity and are supported by a team of paid staff headed by the Parish Clerk.

The Parish Council is always interested in the views of our local residents. Please feel free to contact us, via the Clerk, by telephone, e-mail or by calling into the offices.

The Parish of Carn Brea, lies between Redruth Town and Camborne Town and is made up by the areas of Pool, East Hill, Illogan Highway, West Tolgus, Barncoose, Carn Brea Village, Piece, Carnkie, Tregajorran, Treskillard, Four Lanes, Pencoys and part of Brea.

Membership of the Council:

The Council consists of 17 Councillors. There are 4 Councillors in Barncoose Ward, 1 in East Hill Ward, 5 in Four Lanes Ward, 6 in Pool Ward and 1 in Tolgus Ward. Contact information can be found on notice boards within the parish or on our website.

Electorate:

The number of electors in the Parish is currently 6798.

Council owned land:

The Council owns Wheal Fortune Park, Moorfield Road Open Space and Rock Field (heath at Carn Brea Hill).

Committee Meetings:

The Parish Council conducts its business through a committee system.

The **Full Council** meets monthly on the third Thursday of the month. All meetings start at 7 pm and the public are invited to attend.

The **Planning Committee** meets monthly on the last Thursday of the month, again at 7 pm and the public are invited to attend.

Other Committees meet less frequently and are the Amenities and Projects Committee, Health & Safety and Finance Committee and the Staffing Committee. All these meetings are generally held on Thursdays and at 7 pm. The public are invited to attend these meetings.

Meetings do not take place during August, except for the Planning Committee.

At most meetings the public are invited to attend,, and an opportunity is provided for Registered Electors of the Parish to speak on agenda items. There may be times in a meeting where the business is conducted in private with the public and press excluded. The public speaking part of a meeting it generally limited to 20 minutes. The remainder of a meeting is discussion by the Councillors only.

Agendas and Minutes are published on our Website:www.carnbreaparishcouncil.gov.uk

Treloweth Community Hall and Open Space

Treloweth Community Hall is used every Wednesday for a dance class and is also used by the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group and Brownies. The hall is available for bookings. Details of our Hall Hire Policy along with application form can be found on our website.

To book the Treloweth Community Hall please contact the office on 01209 313014 or email enquiries@carnbreaparishcouncil.gov.uk.

Events

Garden Competition

Thank you to everyone who entered last year's garden competition, we very much enjoyed looking at your wonderful entries. Congratulations to the following winners: -

Donald Houston – Best Kept Garden and Best Container

J. Opie – Best Hanging Basket

Remembrance Day

Carn Brea Parish Council's Remembrance Service was held on Sunday 7th November 21. Carn Brea Parish Council would like to thank Father Peter Fellows for conducting the service and Mr. T. French (Parade Marshall).

Carol Concert

Carn Brea Parish Council had hoped to hold an outdoor Carol Concert last year. Unfortunately, due to the weather the carol concert was cancelled. We hope to be able to hold a carol concert this year, weather permitting.

Grant Aid

Carn Brea Parish Council is committed to supporting and helping local community groups improve the quality of life for Carn Brea Parish residents and does this by offering grants. The Council is funded by the precept paid by the people living in the parish of Carn Brea, and therefore has a duty to act responsibly and safeguard its limited resources.

A grant is a contribution made by Carn Brea Parish Council to voluntary groups, charitable and community organisations towards a specific project or activity which is not directly controlled or administered by the Council to improve the wellbeing of residents of the parish of Carn Brea.

Our Grant Policy which includes an application form can be found on our website.

The Council considers grants quarterly in January, April, July and October.

Awards



The Clarence Coombe Award 2020 was presented by Patricia Coombe and the Chairman of the Council, Cllr. Paul Holmes to Kathryn Marsh for being a volunteer Event Director for Parkrun at Heartlands which promotes healthy lifestyles in the community and is supported by Carn2Coast Health Centre.

The Clarence Coombe Award 2021 was presented by Patricia Coombe and the Chairman of the Council, Cllr. Paul Holmes to Alex Clifton. Alex is the retired CEO for Carn Brea Leisure Centre and was CEO for a large number of years. He led them through a number of difficult times as a local charity.





A Community Service Award was presented by Patricia Coombe and the Chairman of the Council, Cllr. Paul Holmes to Leon and Hayley Hill for their support in the installation of a defibrillator in Pool and for their support to a family who lost their home and business in a devastating fire.

Parish Newsletter and Website

The Council strives to improve the dissemination of information to the local residents and the Parish Newsletter is a permanent quarterly publication.

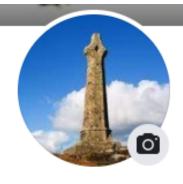
Carn Brea Parish Council have now published two of its new format newsletter which aims to be more accessible, easily transportable, more colourful and full of information for residents. If you have ideas about how and what you'd like to hear from us, please contact the Carn Brea Parish Council team.

The newsletter is delivered throughout the parish and is also available on our website.

The website provides information on forthcoming events, councillor information, contact details, agendas and minutes from meetings.

Social Media

Carn Brea Parish Council's Face Book Page Goes Live



Carn Brea Parish Council

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We have recently launched our Facebook page to keep you informed about events and news around the Parish. Please take a look and let us know what you think. https://www.facebook.com/CarnBreaParishCouncil finds us.

Everything from Road Works, Council Meeting Dates, Volunteering Opportunities and Events to keep you and your family entertained.

Please follow us to keep up to date.

Consultations

As well as being consulted on planning matters, Carn Brea Parish Council are consulted on a diverse number of issues throughout the year. The following are items that we have been consulted on:-

- Camborne, Pool, Illogan and Redruth Community Network Panel TRO Year 3
- New Footway and Waiting Restrictions Chariot Road, Illogan Highway
- Cornwall Council Hackney Carriage (Taxi) / Private Hire Vehicle, Operator and Driver Licensing Statement of Practices, Procedures and Policy
- Peninsula Transport visions and goals for the Southwest transport network
- Leisure Centre Consultation
- Review of Licensed Vehicles

Pool Vision Community Consultation

Recently you will have received through your letterbox a leaflet about the 'Pool Vision', asking for your views on the proposals to address the development of the Pool area.

Issues such as 'Should Pool become a Town (like Redruth and Camborne)?'

If so, what should it be called? Where is the town centre, or where could it be?

The Vision plan set out possible developments on land between Station Road and Dudnance Lane, including (potentially) a replacement hospital for Redruth/Camborne Hospital at Barncoose.

The period of Public Consultation has now ended. You can view the resulting report at https://letstalk.cornwall.gov.uk/poolvision. Based on the feedback provide from the consultation, an updated final version of the Pool Vision document will be published on Cornwall Council's website. This version should appear during February and following sign-off from stakeholders.

Planning Committee

Over the period January 2021 to December 2021 the Planning Committee has considered a total of 76 applications in its role as a statutory consultee on behalf of the parish. The committee supported 51 applications and objected to 20 applications.

The committee raised concerns on 2 applications, had no further comments for 1 application and 2 applications were not in Carn Brea Parish.

Neighbourhood Plan 2021-2022

A further challenging year for the group has been because of restrictions of COVID.

With face-to-face meetings stopped as well as face to face consultations.

However, 2022 has started well for the group with a new Chairman and a new enthusiastic member.

Carn Brea Development Boundary Assessment has been completed.

There were two areas identified which could be considered for development and therefore Development Boundaries. The two areas were Four Lanes and West Tolgus.

The drafts of these boundaries were consulted with their local communities.

The group is now working on: -

- Infrastructure and Community Facilities
- Accessible and Connectivity (Transport)

And soon we will study: -

- Economy and Employment
- Green Infrastructure, Biodiversity and Geo Diversity
- The Local Housing Market

Memorial Bench



Carn Brea Parish Council are delighted to have finally been able to install the Tanya Dovey memorial garden bench in the communal garden in Appin Gardens, Balkin Way. The bench is in memory of Tanya Dovey, a resident of Appin Gardens, who passed away prior to the onset of Covid 19, and who spent her final years maintaining and improving the communal garden. Her energy and enthusiasm were her hallmarks, and her love of flowers and shrubs was captivating. The installation of the bench had been delayed through the impact of Covid, but it is now in place in the garden where Tanya loved to spend her time. Our thanks go to Guinness Homes for allowing us to place the bench in the garden.

Moorfield Road Open Space





We have been improving the entrances to Moorfield Road Open Space as requested by our residents. We hope that this improves accessibility to the open space.

Police Liaison Report 2021-2022

Police Liaison Report

Inspector Sophie Curtis has recently been confirmed as the Sector Inspector for the Camborne / Redruth area. She has been fulfilling the role for some time and has engaged with the Parish Council through the CPIR (Camborne, Pool, Illogan, Redruth and Mining Villages Community Network).

The Policing priorities for the area include Violence against Women and Children, Disrupting County Lines Drug Networks, Speeding Vehicles and Anti-Social Behaviour. These are in addition to the "normal" policing activities of the area. Much of the Parish is covered by the Redruth and Illogan Local Policing team led by Sgt Andrew Charman. The Parish Council reports monthly on the crime rates for the area, these are available for you to view at www.police.uk.

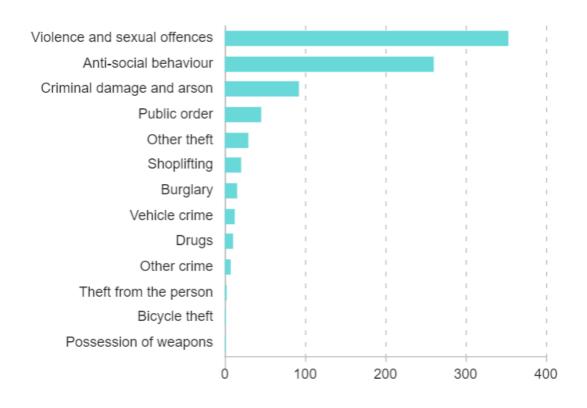
Please continue to report incidents to the Police. Don't assume someone else will do it, or think it won't get looked at, every report is important. Urgent and life threating reports should be made via 999 / 112, less urgent reports can be made via 101 or online at www.police.uk/pu/contact-the-police/report-a-crime-incident

The Parish Council will continue to work with the Police and other statutory bodies to improve the parish. We are currently engaged with National Highways, The Police and our MP to improve safety on the A30 overbridge at Broad Lane following a number of recent incidents.

Crime Levels

Over the 12 months to Feb 22, we have seen an overall reduction in the total number of reported crimes, as seen in the graph below. The table shows the broad level breakdown of the reported incidents.





Commemorative Tree



The Coronation of HM Queen Elizabeth II took place on 2nd June 1953 and on 2nd June this year Her Majesty will have been Queen for 70 years and will celebrate her Platinum Jubilee.

To mark the occasion the Council has planted a Commemorative Tree in the Treloweth Open Space next to our offices. The tree is an Oak sapling grown from an acorn from The Darley Oak which still grows near Darley Ford, near Linkinhorne on the edge of Bodmin Moor. The Darley Oak is believed to be at least 1000 years old and is the oldest tree in Cornwall. Much folklore is attributed to the tree, including special healing powers and the belief that wishes made to the tree will eventually come true.

The tree will be officially 'unveiled' at our Big Lunch Celebration on 5th June.

Please come along and make a wish, you never know!

Carn Brea Parish Councillors

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Cllr. M. Roberts	Pool	01209 216157
Cllr. B. Watkins	Barncoose	cllr.b.watkins@carnbreaparishcouncil.gov.uk 07873 222735

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Councillor Attendance 1 May 2021 – 7 April 2022

Councillor	Full Council Attendance	Staffing Committee Attendance	Amenities and Projects Committee Attendance	Health & Safety and Finance Committee Attendance	Planning Committee Attendance
Cllr. J. Bradbury	0/2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cllr. E. Clemence	3/9	N/A	3/6	N/A	N/A
Cllr. D. Cooper	9/9	N/A	1/1	2/2	9/9
Cllr. S. Dale	12/13	N/A	6/6	5/5	10/11
Cllr. M. Davis	5/7	2/5	2/6	N/A	N/A
Cllr. R. Drew	13/13	18/18	6/6	5/5	11/11
Cllr. E. Glanville	7/9	12/15	N/A	2/4	N/A
Cllr. P. Holmes	13/13	14/18	6/6	5/5	10/11
Cllr. C. Jordan	13/13	5/5	6/6	5/5	11/11
Cllr. M. Moyle	13/13	16/18	6/6	2/2	8/11
Cllr. J. Paton	2/2	N/A	N/A	1/1	2/2
Cllr. J. Pollock	13/13	13/18	6/6	5/5	10/11
Cllr. M. Roberts	1/1	N/A	N/A	0/1	1/1
Cllr. B. Watkins	4/9	N/A	1/1	N/A	5/9

Financial Report

Carn Brea Parish Council Income and Expenditure Account for Year Ended 31st March 2022

31 st March 2021		31 st March 2022
	Income Summary	
200,510	Precept	200,510
9,359	Council Tax Grant	8,507
209,869	Sub Total	209,017
	Operating Income	
6,551	Admin & Comm Costs	2,528
0	Events	(
0	Treloweth Hall	720
0	Devolution	(
0	Neighbourhood Plan	
216,420	Total Income	212,265
	Running Costs	
95,176	Admin & Comm Costs	97,700
1,095	Newsletter	2,372
0	Events	1,478
0	Regeneration	(
8,282	Treloweth Hall	11,604
1,709	Vehicle	1,743
6,875	Devolution	(
23,749	Open Space	24,463
2,449	Neighbourhood Plan	4,032
139,335	Total Expenditure	143,392
	General Fund Analysis	
141,283	Opening Balance	136,580
216,420	Plus: Income for Year	212,265
357,703		348,845
139,335	Less: Expenditure for Year	143,392
218,368		205,453
81,788	Transfers TO/FROM Reserves	95,204
136,580	Closing Balance	110,249

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Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2022

31/3/21				31/3/22
		Current Assets		
0		Sales Ledger		0
2,149		VAT Control A/C		2,431
3,971		Prepayments		4,352
12,287		Current Bank A/C		4,091
9,477		Unity Current Accounts		20,414
200		Petty Cash		145
197,394		Lloyds Premier Deposit Account		262,110
179,150		Unity Instant Access Account		179,259
-	404,628	Total Assets		472,802
		Current Liabilities		
0		Current Liabilities Lloyds Credit Card	14	
0 6,255			14 5,247	
		Lloyds Credit Card		
6,255	7,780	Lloyds Credit Card Purchase Ledger Creditors Accruals	5,247	7,081
6,255 1,525		Lloyds Credit Card Purchase Ledger Creditors Accruals	5,247 1,800	7,081
6,255 1,525		Lloyds Credit Card Purchase Ledger Creditors Accruals Deposits	5,247 1,800	
6,255 1,525		Lloyds Credit Card Purchase Ledger Creditors Accruals Deposits Total Assets Less Current Liabilities Represented By	5,247 1,800	
6,255 1,525	396,848 136,580	Lloyds Credit Card Purchase Ledger Creditors Accruals Deposits Total Assets Less Current Liabilities Represented By	5,247 1,800	465,721

The above statement represents fairly the financial position of the authority as at $31^{\rm st}$ March 2022 and reflects its Income and Expenditure during the year