



Carn Brea Parish Council

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NEWSLETTER

**Welcome to your Spring Newsletter.
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ELECTIONS

**1st May
2025**

**Stand for your Parish Council Elections on
1st May 2025 and Make a Difference in Your Community**

Are you passionate about your local community? Do you want to help shape the future of your neighbourhood? If so, standing for your Parish Council elections could be the perfect opportunity for you to make a meaningful impact.

You don't need any special qualifications or experience to stand for the Parish Council. What matters most is your commitment to your community and your willingness to contribute your time and energy.

We advise that the 2nd April 2025 is the deadline for submitting your nomination papers and you can learn more by attending a Parish Council meeting, connect with current Councillors, contacting the Parish Office or accessing full details within our Standing for Elections document which can be found on our website: www.carnbreaparishcouncil.gov.uk.

Standing for your Parish Council elections is a rewarding way to give back to your community and help guide its future. Whether you're passionate about community services, environmental issues, or local development, your contributions can make a real difference. So, take the first step today—stand for your Parish Council and be a catalyst for positive change in your neighbourhood.



In our Winter Newsletter which is available on our website we advertised the three different awards for which we are asking for nominations; Clarence Coombe, Marise Levenson and Local Achievement Award.

If you wish to nominate someone for an award, this should be done in writing by letter or email to the Clerk stating the award nominated for and the reasons for the nominations. All nominations should be received by 14th March 2025.



We are saddened to announce the death of Cllr. Chris Jordan. Chris has been a valuable member of Carn Brea Parish Council for almost 22 years, supporting many projects across the Parish during his tenure. He was also our Tree Warden along with being the first to volunteer to help when needed. Chris was always extremely proud of his 100% attendance and will be sorely missed. Our thoughts are with his family and friends.



Recently the Council made the decision to request that Dogs are kept on leads within Moorfield Road Open Space.

The Council understand that walking a dog is one of the most enjoyable activities for both pet and owners. However, it is crucial that the Council consider the safety and well-being of both dogs and the community. Putting dogs on leads is an essential practice for the safety and well-being of both the dog and the community. By keeping dogs on leads, owners can enjoy peaceful walks while contributing to a safe and respectful environment for everyone.

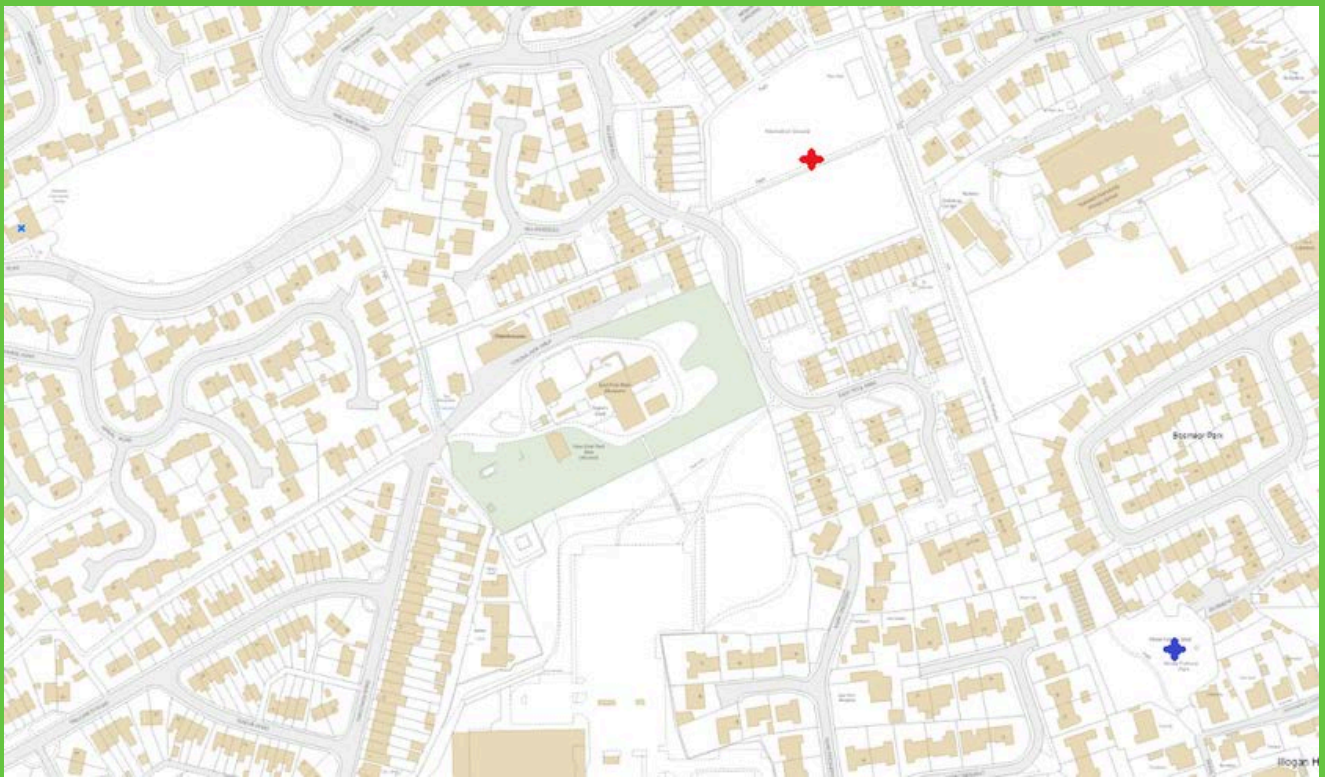
Safety for the Dog: Dogs, regardless of their training can become unpredictable. A leash keeps them safe from running into traffic, preventing accidents and injuries. Dogs are naturally curious and even the friendliest dogs can have territorial instincts. Keeping them on a lead reduces the risks of conflict with other animals, ensuring their safety and well-being.

Safety for people: An unleashed dog can cause accidents by startling people, especially children or the elderly, which could lead to falls or injuries. Not everyone is comfortable around dogs and some individuals may have allergies or phobias. Keeping a dog on a lead shows respect for others and their personal space.

Social Responsibilities: Responsible dog ownership, helps foster a positive perception of owners and their dogs within the community. It encourages a harmonious coexistence between dog owners and non-owners.



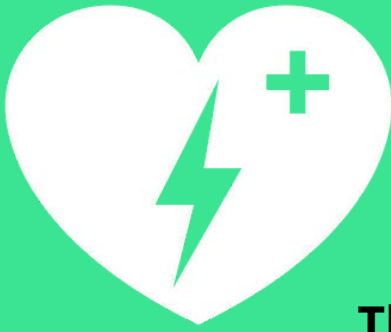
Where you can walk your dog off a lead locally.



Within close proximity to Moorfield Road Open Space in which dogs are requested to be kept on leads, there are two open spaces in which dogs can be exercised off leads.

The red cross shows a large piece of land at East Pool Park and the blue cross show land at Wheel Fortune Park. Both pieces of land also have play equipment for those who also have children.

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CBPC are delighted that as part of the ongoing project to provide Community Defibrillators within the Parish, in December 2024, they completed 2 further installations with the help of Duchy Defibrillators at Taylors Tyres in Barncoose Lane, Illogan Highway and at The Grapevine Church in Lower Broad Lane, Illogan. These installations

would not be possible without the support of the garage and the Church and a huge thank you to everyone who has supported the 2024 project. By time you read this, the Council will have also taken over the existing Defibrillator Unit at Premier Stores in Pool and will now maintain this for the local community.

Following feedback and requests for additional locations to be included for the Speed Indicator Sign, the Council invested in a 2nd unit and an additional 5 locations have been added to the ongoing schedule for 2025. Work will commence in March to install the posts needed at these additional locations and to date the Police have used the data provided by CBPC to target certain areas as part of their enforcement program.



Looking Back - Looking Forward

The precept remains the main source of income for the Council and for the 2025-2026 Financial Year this has been set at £275,000 which represents an 8.2% increase (£7.84) on a Band D property at £103.71 for the year.

After a significant review and planning, the Council will be submitting a planning application in 2025 to Cornwall Council for improvement and extension works to Treloweth Community Hall. The works are necessary to future proof the facilities for the Parish Team and Grounds Person. The works will be largely funded by existing reserves that have been set aside for this project, however due to a significant increase in building materials and labour, the Council have approved the application for a loan to ensure that the project can be delivered.

Making improvements to the Council's Open Spaces for the community has been a key objective for the Council, and following several consultations the Council are delighted that the new play park in Wheal Fortune Park was opened in November 2024 paid for using existing reserves.

This year, the Council are working on a project to make improvements to the Open Space at Moorfield Road with an initial project to provide a circular path with links to the entrances making it fully accessible throughout the year to all those in the Parish.

Full details on the work the Parish Council carries out can be found on our website:

www.carnbreaparishcouncil.gov.uk



The Annual Parish Meeting will take place on 14th April 2025 at 7pm at Treloweth Community Hall, Pool, Redruth, Cornwall, TR15 3QB.

This is an opportunity for the Parish Council and other Local Organisations to report on what they have been doing over the last year.

At the Annual Parish Meeting we will present awards, receive Carn Brea Parish Council's Annual Report, invite local organisations to give a report and provide residents of Carn Brea Parish the opportunity to raise any matters of interest or concern.

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