CARN BREA PARISH CONSEL PLU CARN BREA

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CHAIRMAN'S UPDATES

New Parish Clerk appointed.

The Council are pleased to announce that it has appointed Sarah-Jane Noakes as its new Parish Clerk following a lengthy selection process. There was great interest in the post and a very high standard of applicants. Sarah-Jane was an exceptional candidate and we wish her every success in her position as our Clerk. We will now be recruiting an Administration and Financial Assistant to support the important work of the Council.

Parish Precept.

Having to pay the Council Tax rarely gets a laugh. It is one of those annoying costs, like VAT, that hits us all in the pocket. The principal source of income to Carn Brea Parish Council comes via the Parish Precept. This is a charge added on to the main Council Tax. For the financial year 2018-19 we have made an increase on our Parish Precept of 3.53%. For a Band D property this amounts to an annual increase of £2.71p. which is 5.2p a week. We do work very hard at keeping our costs and charges down. I hope you will feel this increase is reasonable.

Neighbourhood Plan.

Our Neighbourhood Plan (NP) Working Group continues to work towards the creation of a Local Plan which will influence where development should take place, or not, and the associated issues of necessary infrastructure. We have held Public Open Sessions at Treloweth Hall, Carnkie Village Hall, Four Lanes United Methodist Church, and Carn Brea Village Hall. A big thank-you to everyone who came along and gave us views, comments, and suggestions.

Every single contribution has been appreciated and will be used to work towards our Local Plan. Some of you have volunteered to help, and we will soon be inviting you to a meeting to discuss how that might be achieved. A NP can have a big impact. For example St Ives and their requirement that all new homes must be for local people.

Dog mess.

This is not a pleasant subject. Not at all. But we have a problem with dog mess in Treloweth Open Space, the park next to our offices. There is no point in beating about the bush, there are several dog owners and walkers who are not clearing up their dog's mess. The vast majority of people do, and thankyou for doing so. We know that most people are responsible. But the amount and frequency of mess

left in the park is not acceptable and we would ask everyone who takes their dog into the park to clear up. We will be monitoring this over the next months and if there is no improvement we may have to consider firmer measures. Please, clear up.

Cllr Bob Drew.

New Councillor for Four Lanes

On Thursday 29th March 2018 a by-election took place to elect a councillor to fill the vacancy in the Four Lanes Ward following the recent untimely death of Cllr Bernard Webb.

At the Official Count and Declaration Mr Jack Trevena of Four Lanes was declared the winner and we warmly welcome Jack to the Parish Council.

Cllr Trevena was born in Lanner, lives in Four Lanes with his family and works in the construction industry. He joins the current four other councillors representing Four Lanes Ward, Cllrs Angela Blakeway, Robert Hendry, Rosemary Shepherd and Florence Macdonald.

The election result was Jack Trevena 146 votes, Jean Pollock 63 votes, with a turnout of 10.9%.

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CARN BREA'S NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN REPORT

We are delighted to tell you that we continue to make progress on a Neighbourhood Plan (NP) for Carn Brea Parish.

In the past few weeks we have held Public Open Events in Pool, Carnkie, Four Lanes and Carn Brea Village. Residents were able to view and comment on displays of the responses we received to our NP Questionnaire which was sent out across the Parish with our last Newsletter.

Thank you to all of you who replied to our Questionnaire, and thank you to everyone who attended our Public Open Events and provided us with feedback on the displays.

All of the views and comments you have made are valued, will be recorded and analysed and we will use them to help produce the NP.

Our next step is to create our

NP Steering Group, which will oversee the preparation of the NP, progress it to Independent Examination, scrutiny by the Planning Inspectorate and finally to a Public Referendum before becoming Planning Policy.

The Steering Group will consist of Parish Councillors and volunteer members of the local community. We are looking for members who can bring value to the project, with a range of skills, knowledge and experience.

The chief areas for policy development in Carn Brea may include new homes, business/office space, public transport, leisure, green spaces, infrastructure, schools/nurseries, facilities for young people, healthcare and roads/pathways.

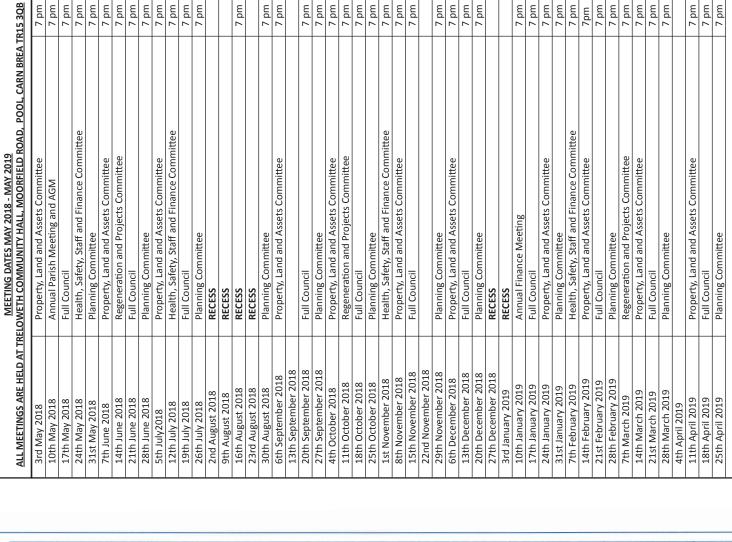
Plans are intended to have great impact on planning matters. For

instance many of you will be aware of the impact of the NP produced by St Ives Town Council in which they created a policy related to new homes built in the town not becoming second homes. St Erth Parish has just decided its NP and last month a planning application in St Erth was refused by Cornwall Council as it was sited at a location which St Erth had identified as unsuitable for the village. That said, St Erth had been careful to identify several sites which they saw as suitable and sufficient to meet the known housing need of

So a NP can be crucial for us to identify similar policies for Carn Brea. We are working away on the Plan on your behalf and will report to you again in our Newsletter.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

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MEETING DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION AFTER DISCUSSIONS WITH COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS.



False claims of Telephone Preference Service:

Fraudsters are cold-calling victims, falsely stating that they are calling from one of the well-known UK telecommunication service providers. They call victims claiming to provide a 'Telephone Preference Service' - an enhanced call-barring service, which includes barring international call centres.

The fraudsters ask victims to confirm/provide their bank account details, informing them that there is a one-off charge for the service. Victims instead see monthly debits deducted from their accounts, which they have not authorised. The fraudsters often target elderly victims.

In all instances, direct debits are set up without following proper procedure. The victim is not sent written confirmation of the direct debit instruction, which is supposed to be sent within three days.

On occasions when victims attempted to call back, the telephone number provided by the fraudster was either unable to be reached or the victim's direct debit cancellation request was refused.

During 2017, there were 493 Action Fraud Reports relating to this fraud.

Protect yourself:

- There is only one Telephone Preference Service (TPS). The TPS is the only official UK 'do-not-call' register for opting out of live telesales calls. It is FREE to signup to the register. TPS never charge for registration. You can register for this service at www.tpsonline.org.uk.
- You will receive postal confirmation of genuine direct debits. If you notice unauthorised payments leaving your account, you should contact your bank promptly.
- Always be wary of providing personal information, or confirming that personal information the caller already claims to hold is correct. Always be certain that you know who you talking to. If in doubt hang up immediately.

If you have been affected by this, or any other type of fraud, report it to Action Fraud by visiting www.actionfraud.police.uk or by calling 0300 123 2040.

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Trees replanted after vandalism



Station Road, Pool

Cornwall Home Library Service Befriending with Books



We deliver, free of charge, books, befriending and more to people who can no longer get to the library because of health, mobility or caring responsibilities.

Are you interested in receiving the Home Library Service?

Do you, or someone you know, like reading?
Do you struggle to access the library service?
Would you enjoy a home visit from a friendly volunteer with books to suit you?
(We can provide fiction/non-fiction, large print and audio)

Would you like to join our Volunteer team?

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We would love to hear from you To find out more please get in touch: Sharon.skinner@royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk 01209 218179 / 07714 898666





Community Book Shares

One of the projects we are keen to explore for the community is the use of redundant BT red telephone kiosks as Book Shares.

Outside The Countryman Pub at Piece we have taken over the familiar red box, fitted it out with shelving and installed a wide range of books, there for you to borrow, read, and return. People are making use of it and we are pleased that the facility is being appreciated.

If you have any books that you would like to donate to us we will happily take them and use them as space becomes available. We can collect if it helps you. Ring or email us, please.



Mini library at Countryman Inn

That space may well become available quite soon as we are in discussion with BT about taking over the red kiosk in Carn Brea Village, outside the Village Institute. It no longer has a telephone fitted and it would be ideal to transform into a second Community Book Share. We hope BT will agree to us adopting this

Looking ahead we would be interested to hear your thoughts about where else in the Parish we might create another Book Share. Please let us know if you have a good idea and we will see what can be done.



Ready to borrow

HEARTLANDS PARK RUN

There is a new event launching in the parish in a few weeks time. Some of you may be familiar with 'parkrun' - a weekly (9 a.m. every Saturday at some 600 or so venues throughout the UK, and many others worldwide too) 5k run or walk, with the aim of bringing people together to socialise and be physically active whatever your ability or personal challenges. The venue is our very own English Heritage Site at Heartlands, which provides the perfect facility of a flat multi-lap course, car parking (but we urge you to walk or cycle to the event if you can), toilets... and best of all, a fantastic café' in which to socialise after the run.

We are hoping that this can be just the start of greater things. The organisers would like to help those of you who are new to running...

even those of you who can't run for various reasons...there are lots of other opportunities for alternative physical activity or volunteer roles. In the first instance, they are looking for volunteers to help make the run take place on a weekly basis. This might involve operating stopwatches for timekeeping, using barcode scanners just like in the supermarket, marshalling, run directing (i.e. managing the whole run on any given Saturday). Full training and support is provided for all of these roles, and you can choose to volunteer regularly or just occasionally, even run one week, volunteer the next.

If you require more information or would like to volunteer, please email Steve Fenney at steve@ optiadapt.com

David Ekinsmyth CC **Cornwall Councillor for Illogan**



At last we are beginning to see some signs of spring and summer but it does seem to have been a long time coming.

The last two months have thrown some big challenges out for the maintenance of the roads and other infrastructure, most clearly seen in the increase in number of potholes in the roads and damage caused by flooding and icy conditions. The Council are working hard to repair these but if you find one needing attention you can report it direct on the Cornwall Council website if you are to. Otherwise the telephone still works! There should be a reply almost immediately but the repair may take a little time longer. If you let me know as well I will endeavor to follow up.

Planning matters have been significant in West Tolgus and Broad Lane, which are the areas within my CC Division. The Government is keen to see houses built so that our young people can find affordable accommodation and Developers are happy to oblige. We have to ensure that the new properties are built where

we want, in a style we want and in the numbers we are prepared to accept. The CBPC Neighbourhood Plan is now under development and when complete it will give the local community and more direct influence over all these planning matters.

At a Countywide level, along with my fellow Councilors, I have been involved in approving the budget, making recommendations on the future size of the Council and right now deciding on whether The Council should make a financial contribution to the proposed Stadium for Cornwall.

All these issues are overshadowed continuing by the financial cutbacks substantial and reductions in central government support. With a rapidly aging population the Adult Health and Social Care costs have risen sharply and like most other Authorities most of the increase in Council Tax rates this year are accounted for by this.

I am very happy to hear any views from those in my bit of the area and am available by most methods of modern contact and in my regular monthly surgery held at 10am on the first Saturday of each month in Penwartha Hall Illogan.

It can sometimes feel like all the news is bad and there are many difficulties ahead, but with them come opportunities and we must be ready to take these and move forward together.

I hope the weather keeps on improving and we all have a great summer and then everything will feel a whole lot brighter.



HEARTLANDS UPDATE

HEARTLANDS EVENTS

6 May - Baby & Children's Pre-Loved Items Sale

18 May - Clairvoyance Evening 19/20 May - Healing Light Festival

26/27 May - Antiques Fair

3 June – Cornwall Mother, Baby & Child Fair

15/16 June – Catalyst 2018

1 July - Baby & Children's Pre-Loved

Items Sale 1 July - Clairvoyance Evening

7/8 July – Geekfest 4.0 14 July – Vibrant Living Show Every Wednesday Evening: – Wednesday Night Gamers

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