

Belbroughton and Fairfield Parish Council 8th October 2019

Traffic Order: 2019-113: Church Road, Belbroughton - proposed Prohibition of Waiting at Any Time and No Stopping 8am-4.30pm

Council responded to this County Council proposal, agreeing with it and the desire of improving traffic flows and the safety of children. The proposal will go out to public consultation and depending upon the results the 'Order' will be implemented next Spring. A copy of the proposal is on the Parish Council's website and is also available from the clerk.

New Councillor

Mr Gez Ingram was co-opted onto the Parish Council at the October meeting.

The Chairman warmly welcomed him back.

There remain two vacancies in the Fairfield ward and if you are interested in the role of parish councillor please contact the clerk. This is your opportunity to shape the future of the community. Application forms can be found on the website or posted to you.

The Green, Belbroughton

With the drainage works completed (on time) by the adjacent developer in Hartle Lane, the Parish Council will now be planting eight new trees towards the boundary to the new housing development. These being to replace the hornbeam 'hedge' which previously backed onto the factory buildings.

Little Bell Hall Pool, Drayton Rd. Belbroughton

The logistics and costs of refilling the pool will be assessed, taking advice from North Worcestershire Water Management.

Waste Bin – Grit bins

A new dog waste bin will be sited in Middle Road, Wildmoor. The Parish Council owned grit bins – the green ones! are refilled and are ready for resident use, on the roads this winter.

Lighting - Belbroughton

Councillors decided not to put in lighting on the footpath between the school and the Recreation Centre.

Parish Upkeep

Cllrs. Simon Nock, Sue Pawley, Barb Allington and Ade Homer are to review the schedules of maintenance of both Parish Council owned land and the parish area generally. The aim being to improve and maintain the tidiness of the parish.

Facebook

Council decided not to have a Facebook page, but would review the position in six months.

Council Meeting dates

The next Council meetings are on 4th November, taking place in the Jubilee Room, Belbroughton Recreation Centre and then on 2nd December when we meet in the Fairfield First School. All residents are welcome to attend, the meetings start at 7.30 pm.

Community Engagement

The Council holds an 'Open Surgery' session of up to 15 minutes at the beginning of full Council meetings to give residents the opportunity to meet and discuss any issues directly with their councillors.