

Blofield Parish Council

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You are invited to a Meeting of the Parish Council to be held at Blofield Courthouse on Monday 9th March 2020 at 7.30pm for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Agenda

- 1. Welcome and Introduction to the meeting by Chair
- 2. To consider apologies for absence
- 3. To receive Declarations of Interest on items on the Agenda
- 4. Open Forum for parishioners to raise questions on and/or make statements about matters on the agenda and to receive a report from the District Councillor and County Councillor
- 5. To approve the Minutes of the parish council meeting held on 10th February 2020
- 6. To report on matters arising from the Minutes not on the Agenda: for information only

PROJECTS

- 7. To receive an update on the proposed new school and agree any necessary actions (RC)
- 8. To receive an update report on current projects and agree any necessary actions (RC/SO)
- **9.** To receive an update on the Parish Partnership Bid 2020/21 (footpath diversion of FP5 and FP7) and agree next actions (ME)
- **10.** To receive a report of Churchyard works and agree next actions (ME)
- **11.** To receive an update on ongoing works and Marty's Marsh Friends grant application and agree any necessary actions (YB)
- **12.** To receive an update on Marty's Marsh Culvert and agree next actions (RC)
- **13.** To receive a small projects update and agree next actions (SD)

FINANCE

- 14. To consider an additional read only SCRIBE license for £29 (SO)
- **15.** To consider renewal of the NPTS membership for 202021 (SO)
- **16.** To approve invoices for payment (SO)
- **17.** To approve the following revised documents drafted by the finance working party (SO)
 - Standing Orders
 - Finance Regulations
 - Risk Assessment
 - Freedom of Information Scheme
 - Annual Review of the Effectiveness of Internal Control
 - Annual Review of the Effectiveness of Internal Audit
 - Duties of the Responsible Financial Officer

- Investment Policy
- Business Continuity Plan
- Communications Policy
- Complaints Policy
- Code of Conduct
- Grievance Policy
- Disciplinary Policy
- Filming and Recording Policy
- Lighting Policy
- **18.** To note a meeting of the data protection working party, review of GDPR documents and processes and agree any necessary actions (SO)
- **19.** To consider financial support towards a youth support worker at Acle Medical Centre and Acle Academy (SO)

UPDATES / CONSIDERATIONS

- 1. To consider any further GNLP comments (RC)
- 2. To receive a Blofield Fuel Charity update (PW)
- **3.** To consider joining a County Allotments Forum for National Allotment Society Members (SD)
- 4. To note correspondence received from the Courthouse management committee regarding a survey and receive an update regarding planned building works in Summer 2020 at the Courthouse (RC)
- 5. To receive an update from the Courthouse Management Committee Meeting (SS)
- 6. To receive an update from the Jerome Meyhew multi-parish meeting (RC)
- 7. To note any correspondence received (SO)
- 8. Other reports and items for the next agenda for information only
- **9.** To note the date of the Annual Meeting of the Parish Thursday 12th March 2020 at 7:30pm at the Heathlands
- **10.** To note the date of the next Parish Council planning Meeting Monday 23rd March 2020 at 7:30pm at the Courthouse
- **11.** To note the date of the next Parish Council Meeting Monday 6th April 2020 at 7:30pm at the Courthouse
- **12.** To resolve to pass a formal resolution (under the Public Bodies and Admissions to meetings Act 1960) to exclude the press and the public for the remaining agenda items (RC)
- **13.** To review the clerk and assistant clerk performance and remuneration (RC)

Sarah Osbaldeston Parish Clerk 3rd March 2020

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