

Whittington Parish Council

Agenda Parish Council Meeting **Monday 15th July 2024** in Whittington Village Hall

Preceded by an open public meeting at 6:45pm

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Clerk to the Parish Council, Gillian Newton

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Monday 20th May 2024 (attached)
3. Clerk's report – Clerks & Councils Direct may newsletter Issue 153 & 154 available www.CLERKSANDCOUNCILSDIRECT.CO.UK Email clerkscouncils@btinternet.com
4. **PACT**. No crimes reported during March. 2 crimes reported during April on or near Manor Farm; common assault under investigation. <https://doitonline.lancashire.police.uk/ContactAnOfficer/Create?collarNumber=3511&firstName=James&lastName=Hodgson> The link to local crime figures available at <https://www.police.uk/pu/your-area/lancashire-constabulary/upper-lune-valley/?tab=CrimeMap> Tel: 101 for non-emergencies, or from an internet connected mobile, 112. Download <https://what3words.com/about-us/> to identify your exact location eg: bus stop at village hall is **surprises:splashes:printers**

5. Finance

- a) Change of signatories mandate form to be completed - Stuart Close and Louise Morgan to be removed and Cllrs David Hutton and Janet Preston to be added
- b) CHEQUE £76.78 Marjorie Hall, gardening supplies from Agrigem Ltd
- c) CHEQUE £26.58 Marjorie Hall strimmer fuel
- d) CHEQUE £150.00 open gardens event
- e) Standing order Clerk's wages £350.00 for 6th July
- f) Standing order HMRC PAYE £87.40 18th July

Current account as of 14/06/2024 £16,116.12

Bonus Saver Account as of 14/06/2024 £146.89

6. Planning

- a) **23/01488/VCN** Outline application for the erection of 18 dwellings with associated access and change of use of barn to a mixed use comprising dwelling (C3) and a shop/tearoom (A1/A3) and relevant demolition of the existing agricultural buildings (pursuant to the variation of conditions 2 on planning permission **19/00245/VCN** to make amendments to the approved scheme) for Candelisa Ltd, Whittington Farm, Main Street, Whittington, LA6 2NX **Application permitted.**
- b) **23/01392/FUL** Erection of a dwelling (C3) with associated hardstanding and landscaping for Mrs Fiona Benn, Land East of Tithe Barn, Main Street, Whittington **Awaiting decision**
- c) **24/00104/FUL** Concreting of existing yards for Mr Malcolm Fell, Chapel Farm, Docker Lane, Newton, LA6 2PA **Application permitted**
- d) **24/00295/FUL** Change of use of agricultural land to residential curtilage for Rural Candelisa Ltd, Whittington Farm, Main Street, Whittington, LA6 2NX **Application granted subject to conditions**
- e) **24/00521/FUL** Demolition of existing shed and erection of replacement shed for Mr Andrew Brenan, 1 Rectory Gardens, Church Street, Whittington, LA6 2NS **Awaiting decision**

- f) **24/00600/FUL** Demolition of existing agricultural building and erection of an agricultural livestock building and **24/00599/FUL** Erection of an agricultural livestock building for Mr David Airey, West Hall, West Hall Lane, Whittington, LA6 2PO **Awaiting decision**
Planning applications available for public viewing at <http://planapps.lancaster.gov.uk/publicaccess/>

7. **LALC/NALC**

8. **Lancaster City Council**

9. **Lancashire County Council**

- a) June & July issue of Consumer Alerts sent electronically and displayed on noticeboards.
b) Public Rights of Way Local Delivery Scheme – apply for next year?

10. Co-option of Janet Preston to the Parish Council

11. Traffic issues reported to “LoveCleanStreets” <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/report-it/report-it-on-the-go/> **Carriageway trip hazard of kerb stones on Church Street, near 2 Rectory Gardens, reported 12/02/24 COMPLETED?**

12. Electronic communication update. Contact 3 villages Email wagtailnews@gmail.com
whittingtonvillage@gmail.com

13. Whittington Parish Council website – James Reilly, “Easy Web Sites LTD” invited to the meeting.

14. D-Day Anniversary 6th June – beacon lighting £1,200 raised and donated to North West Air Ambulance

15. Whittington Village Survey

16. Footpath linking Church towards Village Hall

17. Lune Valley Ramble

18. LESS Lancaster District - finding land for a community farm

19. Whittington Gardening Competition – Hanging Baskets, Container & Tubs, Front Garden and Secret Garden. Prizes 1st £30; 2nd £20; 3rd £10; Judged during summer months. Prizes awarded at August Bank Holiday Summer Event.

20. Business introduced by Councillors

Date of next meeting **Monday 16th September** in Whittington Village Hall at **7.00pm**
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Dates of meetings 2024 18th November

Dates of meetings 2025 20th January; 17th March; 19th May (Parish Assembly, APCM & PC meet.); 15th September; 17th November