

## BURLEY PARISH COUNCIL

The full meeting of Burley Parish Council (B.P.C.) was held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 6.30pm in Myrtle Hall.

PRESENT Cllr Daubeney (Chairman), Cllr Russell, Cllr Clarke, Cllr Martin, Cllr Johnstone, 6 members of the public and the Clerk.

PLANNING Decisions communicated by NFNPA since BPC Meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2018: -

Address	Proposal	BPC Recommendation	NFNPA Decision
Burley Manor Hotel, Ringwood Road	Retention of external staircase to 'Charcoals'	R2 - Refusal	Refused
-Ditto -	-Ditto - (Appn. For Listed Building Consent)	R2 - Refusal	Refused
Long Pond House, Pound Lane	One & two storey extns. etc. (Non-material amendments)	Comments not required from BPC	Raise no objection
Land at Burley Manor Hotel, Ringwood Road	10no. Shepherd huts; 10 no. parking spaces; associated landscaping works (Demolition of existing outbuildings)	R5 – NPOs to decide	Refused
Forest Garden, Beechwood Lane	Retention of terrace as built	R5 – NPOs to decide	Granted

Applications considered at BPC Meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2019: -

Address	Proposal	BPC Recommendation
Communications Site at Forest Lodge, Lyndhurst Road, Holmsley	Replacement telecom mast & compound (i.e. 1no. X 30m. high new mast & associated modern equipment in place of existing 1no. X 22m. high mast and equipment)	R5 – NPOs to decide
Blackbush Lodge, Castle Hill Lane	Single storey extn., rooflight; alterations to fenestration; demolition of existing conservatory	R5 – NPOs to decide
9 Meadow Close	Single storey rear extn.; new front porch	R5 – NPOs to decide
Oakley, Mill Lane	One & two storey extensions (AMENDED PLANS)	R5 – NPOs to decide

PRECEPT 2019/20 BPC has set the precept (the proportion of Council Tax received by the Parish Council) for 2019/20 at £13,467. This has been held at the same level since 2016/17; this equates to £17.02 per annum for a Band D property.

ROADS AND TRAFFIC Pinch points bollards in Burley Street and Pound Lane have been knocked out again in recent weeks – these will be replaced in due course. A fresh recommendation from Hampshire Highways (HH) is being sought on whether directional priority signs would now be helpful in preventing these regular occurrences. Broken fencing on the footpath opposite the fire station is expected to be repaired by HH soon.

VILLAGE BURGLARIES BPC would like to remind residents that we have been experiencing several break-ins in our village. The thieves seem to be looking for easy pickings and have been targeting outbuildings, stables, garages, garden sheds etc. with some high value items being stolen. The local Police are aware of the issue, but we would ask that you are all particularly vigilant, please keep your out-buildings secure and report any suspicious activity.

FIREWORKS BPC is consulting with NFNPA and the Verderers over the worrying trend of large private firework displays being held at various times of the year. Increasingly these are not just being held on 5<sup>th</sup> November or New Year's Eve but all year round and are often extensive in size and duration. Fireworks and their associated noise cause a considerable amount of distress to livestock, neighbouring residents and pets; there is also the additional risk of fire to thatched properties in the area. In November it is the preferred option for people in the village to attend the "Village Bonfire in the Park" or officially organised firework displays.

POUND LANE REPLACEMENT TREE PLANTING As you may have noticed all 6 of the new tree saplings have now been planted. Their enclosures, protecting them from animals, have been reduced from 2m to 1.5m in height to meet the requirements of the Verderers and FC.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY Annual Assembly at the Village Hall: Monday 29th April;

Spring Litter Pick Sunday 28th April; Autumn Litter Pick Sunday 6th October.

NEXT MONTHLY MEETING The next monthly meeting will be Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019 at 6.30pm in Myrtle Hall.