

Stainborough Parish Council

Parish Newsletter Autumn 2023

Hanging Baskets

THANK YOU ... to all our sponsors of hanging baskets in Hood Green and Stainborough. The parish has looked wonderful, even though the weather has been challenging at times! The hanging baskets will be left to dry out before being removed but the plaques will be left until next year. Anyone thinking of sponsoring a basket for 2024 please contact the Clerk. Current sponsors will be contacted early next year regarding possibly continuing sponsorship.



WE NEED YOUR HELP

If you are able to help with the organisation of any future events, or to help with any projects within the Parish, such as helping to put up the Christmas tree or help tidying up our green spaces in the villages, please let one of the Parish Councillors or Clerk know. In the past volunteers have run a village support group to care for our village and run community events.

We would like to re-form a similar group.

Would **YOU** volunteer to be part of a small group to work with the Parish Council to help to organise community events and activities? If you have any spare time, whatever amount of time you can spare, and you would like to volunteer, we would like to hear from you.

Access to Wentworth Castle Gardens / National Trust Property

Would residents please remember to re-lock the access gates and replace any chains on the access gates to Wentworth Castle Gardens once used.

Thank you

We have plans for the Recreation Ground BUT we would like your feedback.

We are looking to undertake some repairs to the current playground equipment and start some work to areas of vegetation in the park. Some of the work on the hedges has already started but before we look at the playground works, we would like to hear your views on the use of the Recreation Ground. As ever subject to funding availability but please take this opportunity to let us know your thoughts !!



Please send suggestions to clerk@stainboroughpc.org or give to one of the Parish Councillors if possible **by 31st October**

My suggestions for the Recreation Ground:

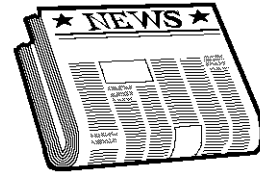
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Hood Green Pavilion Hire

As you may already know, we are fortunate to have the Pavilion in Hood Green, which is maintained by the Parish Council.

Hiring the venue helps us maintain this community facility. You may not be aware that the venue can be hired for small parties or social events. There are facilities included in the hire i.e. crockery, cutlery, fridge and of course, toilet facilities
all for **£10 per hour**.

If you wish to hire the Pavilion or wish to look at the facilities, please contact the Clerk.



Have you got news to share ?

The Parish Council would like to continue to produce a newsletter twice a year but also to give you the opportunity to share news and events your neighbours would like to know about. The Spring edition is planned to be produced in March and the Autumn edition in October (in time for Christmas events).

This is your opportunity to share news. Contact the Clerk for more details.

Highways

If there are any issues you are particularly concerned with, they can be reported on the BMBC website or let the Parish Council know
www.barnsley.gov.uk/services/roads-travel-and-parking/roadworks-and-road-maintenance/report-a-pothole

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The Parish Council would like to thank

Mr Alan Kirk, who retired as a Parish Councillor at the May elections, for his service to the Parish Council and for all his help during the community events held in the Parish.

Also - Welcome to CLr Terry Shaw who joined the Parish Council in May.

The Parish Council

The Parish Council meets 6 times per annum, every 2 months, usually on Thursday evenings from 7pm until 9.30pm, in the Pavilion at Hood Green. This is a voluntary role with no paid remuneration **but** you will be making a vital difference to the community you are part of. If you are interested and would like to just have a chat about what the role of a Parish Councillor entails, the time commitment or anything else please speak to a Councillor or ring the Clerk on 07724 755236.



I can offer help or advice (delivering /producing newsletters - help with some gardening or events)

Name

Telephone Number

Details: