

WONERSH PARISH COUNCIL

Matters Arising Update for Wonersh Parish Council Meeting on Thursday 8th February 2007

69. Millenium Clock,Blackheath – still pending
112. Bus Shelter on Wonersh Common Rd – the bus shelter has been taken down and is being re-erected in Blackheath Lane. It requires some re-shingling on the roof and replacement of two feather boards - this amount will come out of “general maintenance” budget. No money has been spent on the shelter for at least three years.
135. Wonersh to Shamley Green footpath - pending information from Mrs St. John
189. Playgrounds – “No dogs” signs have been delivered and are awaiting installation.
- 06/101 Litter picking – Council warden job – the Clerk has contacted the person given to her by Ewhurst Parish Council but has not yet had a response. There has been one enquiry from a local resident regarding this job but, after discussion she decided not to apply.
- 06/105 Parking on the Commons – the Clerk has had a visit, a phone call and a letter from residents regarding the posts at Lawnsmead, all expressing concern as to where residents will be able to park. The general opinion appears to be that many of those parking along Lawnsmead do not live there. The Clerk suggested that the residents might get together and then write to the Council with any propositions to resolve the problem, or attend the PC meeting.
- 06/106 Rospa Playground Recommendations - the Clerk has presented the problem to WBC Health and Safety dept and is awaiting a response.
- 06/139 Wooden posts along Wonersh Common Rd – the Clerk has now e-mailed Simon Hall at Highways twice and left 2 messages but there has been no response. Today, the Clerk has left a message saying that she will recommend to the Parish Council on 8th Feb that this work goes ahead as, in the absence of any communication from Highways, she assumes that they are giving permission by default.
- 06/140 Highways – community gang - Agenda item 11
- 06/142 Cleaner Neighbourhood Act - deferred until Clerk can find out more information as to activities of other PCs with regard to this Act
- 06/143 Reports from Working Parties.
(b) Blackheath Traffic calming project – the village signs have been delivered.

- 06/144 Reports from councillors
(b) Village Design Statement – some members of the VDS committee met with Geraldine Moloney to look at the amendments required before resubmission for the Scrutiny committee meeting on 06.02. These were agreed upon and have been submitted as an amendment. If the Exec. Committee approves the VDS, the amendments will have to be incorporated in to the body of the report before it is printed in bulk. The Clerk has just heard today that the VDS was adopted yesterday!. It has to go to the Exec. Committee on 20.02 but that is more or less a formality. Geraldine Moloney sends her congratulations.
- 07/007 Clerk's Salary – See Agenda item 13
- 07/011 Lowering of the speed limit at The Street, Wonersh – the Wonersh Parish Plan committee has met and devised a strategy for setting up a traffic management committee in Wonersh. The setting up of a 20mph speed limit will come under the remit of this committee and will possibly need to be part of a bigger plan for speed control in other parts of the village. For that reason, the Clerk has not been in touch with Highways about reducing the speed limit on The Street, Wonersh as resolved at the last PC meeting.
- 07/012 Annual Assembly – Blackheath Hall has been booked. Sarah Henderson has been invited to speak. Following a meeting of the Wonersh Parish Plan committee, it was thought to be a good idea to ask a representative from each of the P Plan committees to give a short resumee of the major needs identified by the questionnaire, what has been achieved so far and where volunteers are still needed. The Clerk will write to each committee and ask them to nominate a speaker.
- 07/013 PBA Tree Assessment - in view of the bad condition of one of the horse chestnuts on Wonersh playground, the Clerk has asked Kestrel for a quote. See Agenda item 9
- 07/015 Reports from Councillors
a)Parish Plan for Wonersh – the committee have now met and formulated an action plan which can be printed and circulated, hopefully, with the parish magazine prior to the Annual Assembly. There will be a short presentation at the Annual Assembly from all three parish plan committees and volunteers will be recruited for specific projects.
The committee has been unable to find any other members currently.
None of the parish councillors have responded to Mrs Howard's draft action plan presented at the last Parish Council meeting.
- c) Become a Councillor - the pack is being circulated. The meeting for this area where councillors are being asked to bring along potential councillors is on Feb 28th at 7pm at Guildford Guildhall.