



Bishopstoke Parish Council

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Parish Council grants

The Parish Council has awarded grants this month of £1,500 to the Bishopstoke Memorial Hall to cover the costs of repairing the leaks in the water supply.

Parish Council Budget

The Council has agreed the budget for the year 2018-19. In addition to the funds raised from the Burial Board and the allotments, the Council will use £45,000 from the reserves to help offset the costs of the work the Council needs to do this year. The Parish council tax for a band D house will go up to around £55, an increase of less than £8 per household for the year.

Street Pastors Anniversary

The Parish Council wishes to pass on its congratulations to the Street Pastors on their 10th anniversary. The Council is grateful for the work they do around the Parish.

Grass Verges

The Council is aware that there are a number of grass verges around the Parish that are being damaged either by parked vehicles, or by vehicles pulling over to allow others to pass, and is grateful for the details that residents have already passed on. The Council would like any resident who is concerned about a grass verge near them to send details of the location, with a photo if possible, to the Clerk so that the Council can build a case to take to Hampshire County Council to ask them to put protection in place.

Police Beat Surgery

The Police host a Beat Surgery every 4 weeks in the Parish Office, where residents can come in and share any concerns they have with the officers who are here.

The next dates are Monday 26th February and Monday 26th March.

The sessions run from 10am to 11am.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Tuesday 27 February 2018 at 7.30pm in the Parish Council Office, Riverside, Bishopstoke.

For further information, please contact the Parish Clerk: David Hillier-Wheal on 02380 643428; email: bishopstoke.pc@btconnect.com or visit the Parish website at: www.bishopstokepc.uk