LAPWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

CLERK'S REPORT DECEMBER 2022

The Parish Council met on Monday 12th December 2022 at 7:30pm in the village hall, the meeting was attended by six Councillors, Cllr George Illingworth (WDC) and four members of the public.

The Council had received two applications for the Councillor vacancies and Cllr John Hall and Cllr Sue Cole were unanimously co-opted to the Council. The Council has also received two expressions of interest for the role of Parish Paths Wardens, both will be appointed in our January meeting.

It's been confirmed that Mr Philip Seccombe, Warwickshire's Police and Crime Commissioner, will be attending the Council meeting on Monday 13th February 2023. He will be speaking for 30 minutes at the start of the meeting; due to the time limit we are taking questions in advance - if you have a question that you would like to be raised then please email it to the Clerk <u>clerk@lapworthpc.org.uk</u>.

The new accessible swing seat has been successfully installed at the play area, along with two new benches. The Council has also resolved to purchase paediatric defibrillator pads and a bleed control kit which will be kept in the defibrillator cabinet outside the village hall. Provided by The Daniel Baird Foundation, a bleed control kit is designed to be used by members of the public to help prevent catastrophic blood loss from an accident while waiting for the paramedics. West Midlands Ambulance Service will be notified so that callers are directed to the kit if needed.

Warwick District Council have produced a detailed Cost of Living leaflet which provides information on the government and local support packages available, as well as the professional organisations able to offer advice and assistance for residents during these difficult times. Copies of the leaflet have been left on the shelf in the hallway inside the village hall to take way, alternatively please contact the Clerk if you'd like a copy.

Warwickshire County Council are promoting the Warm Welcome locations that have been established in various facilities across the county for those who are struggling with energy costs or who are feeling vulnerable or isolated. Residents are invited to attend on their own or with their family or friends, to have a safe and warm place to spend some time. You can find more details at www.costoflivingwarwickshire.co.uk/home/warm-welcome-locations

The next meeting of Lapworth Parish Council will take place at the village hall on Tuesday 10th January 2023, 7:30pm.

Minutes and Agendas for meetings are on the Parish Council website www.lapworthpc.org.uk

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