Tivetshall Parish Council

Clerks Report

As there was no report in February as I was on leave visiting my sister in New Zealand and attending my nieces wedding which was a most enjoyable trip and apart from the jet lag of a 33-hour journey home I am now refreshed and ready to start again.

We are awaiting the decision from the Parish Partnership on another SAM 2 machine to which will add to our ability to understand the areas that have the worst speeding issues and these reports are sent to the Police by Dudley Adshead and the parish council are aware of the issues around the school at certain times and are actively trying to work with our county council to get the whole area around the school, village green and village hall as a 20 mph zone so watch this space for more information on this.

The parish council have also enrolled in the new Gov.uk email scheme and this should be up and running by the end of April and I understand that we have had a holding email address but once the scheme is finalised all councillors and the clerk will have Gov.uk email boxes and this will allow the council to work in a more professional manner and give us more protection from scams and the like.

Our handyman Nick will be out of action for a while as he has a procedure and as such will be unable to undertake his wonderful work.

The parish council have also managed to get a grant via the DHSC scheme to provide a new defibrillator and cabinet with the parish council only pay £750 rather than the £1750 these vital defibrillators cost. The parish council contacted Waveney Pumps to ask if we could site it there but received no reply and as such contacted The Old Ram and they were only too happy to help and the new defibrillator and cabinet will be sited there once received. If a new scheme becomes available, we will endeavour to contact Waveney Pumps again to get one installed there. The Parish Council thanks Victoria at The Old Ram for her assistance in siting the new defibrillator. The Parish council will also install emergency bleed kits in the 2 defibrillators we have and this will be done once they are purchased.

I look forward to seeing everyone at TTJ before I leave for my trip and always happy to chat and assist where possible and under the powers we have.

Finally if you have any issues I would ask that you email me on tivetshallpc@outlook.com rather than on the face-book site as I see the emails daily but be aware that I do only work 8.5 hours a week and that any agenda items must be received by myself 7 working days before the meeting date to give me time to get them on the agenda that I post around 7 days before the meeting actually takes place

See you all at TTJ

Handyman's Report

Our handyman Nick will be out of action for a while as he has a procedure and as such will be unable to undertake his wonderful work. But has been a valuable asset since starting work in the village and will be missed while he recuperates.