

BISHOP'S HULL PARISH COUNCIL

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18th DECEMBER 2008

1. The Police were unable to attend this meeting, but they had attended the Local Action Team meeting and several items of local interest were discussed. There had been a burglary at Barr and several other break-ins in the locality, but members were pleased to note that there had at last been a decline in vandalism in the refurbished play area.
2. Parking in Heron Drive and surrounding roads was discussed – the Clerk had received a response from SCC saying that a meeting would be held shortly between the appropriate authorities and that they were considering the wider problems of commuter parking in Taunton in the light of the proposed expansion of the Park and Ride service.
3. Estimates were considered, and it was agreed to leave the precept at the same level as last year - £20,000.
4. The Local Action Team, the Village Events Group, the Woodland Group and the Frank Bond Centre all reported on their various activities. All are short of volunteers, and urge more local people to come forward to help. The new VEG Group was to meet on 12th January. The refurbished Frank Bond Centre looked very splendid and the new facilities are much appreciated by all. The 'grand re-opening' had been a great success.
5. Footpaths – Mr Burgess, as the Parish Footpaths representative, had recently walked all the paths and submitted a list of repairs etc to the local authority. He was particularly concerned about the collapsing path T3/6 which runs from Roughmoor into the town centre, and said that urgent action need to be taken to either repair the path or securely fence it off.
6. Information about all Parish Council meetings and members is on the village noticeboards and the Website – www.bishopshull.org.uk
7. The next Parish Council meeting is on Thursday 22nd January, 2009, at the Frank Bond Centre, starting at 7.30 p.m.

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