

# Bredon, Bredon's Norton and Westmancote Parish Council



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## New Parish Council Website

On July 1st, Bredon Parish Council is launching its brand new Parish Council Website at [www.bredonpc.org.uk](http://www.bredonpc.org.uk)

Over the last few years we have tried to make sure various forms of communication are used to keep parishioners up to date with information, and how to contact us. First the Clerk got an email address, then the Parish Council joined Social Media (Facebook and Twitter @BredonPC) and finally we have a new website.

On this website you will find all our "Public Documents" which includes Agendas, Meetings, Standing Orders and the newly submitted Neighbourhood Plan.

There are also links to both Village Halls (Bredon and Bredon's Norton) and lots of other "Useful Links" to services within our Parish. This includes all our Sports Clubs; Social Clubs; Schools and other organisations. If an organisation from our Parish has been omitted please contact the Clerk and the website will be updated.

There is a "Contact Us" section where you can send messages to the Clerk and also you will find information about the Councillors themselves.

One of the most useful sections, especially if you are looking for something to do within the Parish, is our "New and Events" section. There are 4 parts of this section:-

- **Events Calendar** - This will display all events within the Parish including regular club meetings; sports fixtures; charity fundraisers and other events. You can search by Date, Location and Category.
- **Add Event** - You are all welcome to submit events yourself. Each event will then be read by the Website's Administrator who will publish it so it appears on the Website. Note : You can upload pictures, posters or images to help promote your event.
- **Local News** - This will contain any important news which effects the Parish. For example, any road closures / maintenance or large planning applications.
- **Join our mailing list** - If you like to be kept up to date, and are happy the Parish Council contacts you, when we think there is something important you should know. In the past we have only ever been able to contact via leaflet drops; noticeboards and social media. Now we can email you. Note : You can unsubscribe at any time in the future.

Hopefully you will keep visiting our site as it grows and evolves into a great source of local information. Please tell everyone you know, especially if someone new moves into the Parish.

## Grass Cutting

The Parish Council's contractor is working hard to keep the village tidy during this fast growing summer season. There have been several occasions recently where residents have contacted the Clerk to report uncut areas of grass - we really encourage this as it helps us to ensure quality - but do please wait to see whether the contractor is returning with different equipment to tackle tricky terrain, which he will typically do within 24 hours of the main cut. Also he has been hampered by cars parked on the verge from time to time, which he really can do nothing about. Please be assured that we are doing our very best to keep Bredon and the surrounding area beautiful for residents and visitors alike.

## Planning Applications

**The Parish Council's role is only advisory. For more details, please refer to [www.wychavon.gov.uk](http://www.wychavon.gov.uk).**

**For consideration by Wychavon:**

**W/16/01299** - Little Orchard, Chapel Lane, Westmancote. Non-material amendment to planning permission W/15/02927 to reduce the size of the utility area resulting in reduction of size of extension. PC has made general comments.

**W/16/01256** - Land either side of Railway, off Eckington Road, Bredon. Notification for prior approval for a proposed change of use of agricultural building to dwelling house and associated operational development. PC objects to the proposal.

**W/16/01152** - 71 Queensmead, Bredon. Demolition of existing garage and two storey extension to side and single storey extension to side. PC has made general comments.

**W/16/01093** - Box Cottage, Lower Lane, Kinsham. Proposed single storey rear extension to form new sun and utility room with new detached garage. PC has made general comments.

**W/16/01157** - The Haven, Chapel Lane, Kinsham. Proposed extension to side and detached garage. PC has made general comments.

**W/16/00485** - The Coach House, Hardwick House, Hardwick Bank Road, Bredon's Norton. Single storey rear extension, partial reconstruction of rear wall, rear Second Floor extensions and raising of lower ridge line to main roof ridge line height. Internally, full refurbishment. PC has made general comments.

## Date of Next Meeting :

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July

takes place in Bredon

Village Hall at 7:15pm

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