# Bredon, Bredon's Norton and Westmancote Parish Council

#### October 2016, Issue 38 New Homes Bonus Footpath

Wychavon has approved £15,000 of New Homes Bonus monies as a contribution towards the creation of a footway on the east side of the Eckington Road between the playing fields and the public footpath (B4080), the entrance to which is just opposite the lane which leads to the railway bridge. Cllr Hardman is also contributing from his member's fund.

### **Parking on the Pavement**

Please can drivers refrain from parking on the pavements. Not only is it an offence, but more importantly anyone walking with a pushchair or on a mobility scooter has no way of passing.

### **Police Report**

Please find below the Police report from Julie Pardoe, Police Community Support Officer, for the months of July and August:-

- On 16th July there was a burglary in Blenheim Drive when the residents were out, a small amount of cash was taken.
- On 21st July a burglary took place in Westmancote, a neighbour witnessed some males acting suspiciously and immediately rang the police. Enquiries are on going.
- On the 26th July we had an arson reported to us by fire brigade which occurred at a derelict property on Main Road.
- On the 19th August we received a report of a theft of cash from a property in Westmancote. It is unclear when the money was stolen.
- A theft took place from the Royal Oak on the 21st August. CCTV was obtained of persons unknown reaching over the bar and removing items.
- On the 31st August we received a report of a pushbike which had been stolen from a property on Tewkesbury Road. The driver of a silver Land Rover was seen to take the bike. The registration of the vehicle is BD03 CTV but unfortunately there is no keeper registered to the vehicle.
- Overnight of the 1st/2nd September the back window was broken on a car in Pippins Road. Nothing was taken from the vehicle.

The team are hoping to hold a Home Security 'Light Up' event around the 14th/15th October in Bredon and surrounding villages as part of our burglary awareness campaign.

## **No Dogs on the Playing Fields**

There are signs by the entrances to the Playing Fields informing dog owners that dogs are not allowed on the playing fields. Dog faeces can cause serious illness and even blindness. It is a health hazard to users of the playing fields, which includes children, pregnant women and the various sports players.

If you happen to notice anyone with a dog on the Playing Fields please can you politely remind them of this.

We live in a lovely village with many alternative dog walking routes. The new footpath, when completed, will offer a nice circular route around the north of the village to Westmancote. Remember if your dog does happen to foul, please bag it and bin it in one of the numerous dog bins we have located around the Parish.



**Planning Applications** 

The Parish Council's role is only advisory. For more details, please refer to www.wychavon.gov.uk.

For consideration by Wychavon: W/16/01867 The Stones. Westmancote. Resubmission of approved application ref W/15/02394/PP Single storey rear extension to form Garden room. Raised roof and new gables over existing Utility and Ground floor bedroom to form master bedroom at first floor level. Alterations to South East and North West fenestrations. PC has made general comments.

**W/16/01780** - 37 Plantation Crescent, Bredon. Single storey extension to front. PC has made general comments.

**W**/16/01995 - 47 Hill Close, Westmancote. Removal of existing rear conservatory & leanto entrance canopy & erection of rear & single-storey extension and 1<sup>st</sup> floor dormer roof extension. PC has made general comments.

W/16/01800 - The Acorns, Lower Lane, Kinsham. Application for Certificate of Lawfulness (proposed) - loft Conversion with rear dormer & skylights. PC has

made general comments. W/16/01820 - 8 Homestead Close, Bredon. Erection of single storey side extension to include dining room, study and downstairs shower/wc. PC has made general comments.

W/15/02945 & W/15/02965 - True Blue Farm, Lower Lane, Kinsham. Conversion of barn to dwelling. PC has made general comments.

Date of Next Meeting : Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

takes place in Bredon Village Hall at 7:15pm

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