

Bredon and Bredon's Norton Parish Council

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Bredon Village Hall Reopens

We are living in strange times and getting used to the new normal. The Council believes it should support the community wherever it can. One of these areas is looking after and running the Village Hall.

When lockdown occurred the Village Hall was shut and the manager put on furlough. Over the last month the Parish Council has worked hard to make the Village Hall COVID secure. We have created a one way system; installed automatic hand sanitisers; added social distancing markers and posters to remind users to distance, wash hands and keep safe.

Things may change and the hall may have to close again if a second wave of cases hits our local area, but the Council was pleased that we opened on Sunday 6th September. Many users are returning, with more hopefully returning in the future.

For the community's well-being, both physical and mental, the Village Hall plays a key part. A list of classes running is on Bredon Parish Council website. The Council also launched an Instagram account for Bredon Village Hall @bredonvillagehall - please follow to get the latest news & updates.



Police Report

On 27th August it was reported that a car had hit a tree and caused damage in Lower Westmancote, however, there were no vehicle details obtained and therefore no further action was taken.

On 29th August suspicious activity was reported in Dock Lane. No registrations were obtained and no offences were reported.

A number of complaints, dating back to the 18th August, were received of vehicles are being driven over crops in fields at Bredon's Norton during the evenings. No vehicle details have been obtained but patrols in the area have been increased.

Kemerton Conservation Trust reported that the lakeside hide at Kemerton Lake Nature Reserve was seriously vandalised during the weekend of 28 August. The hide is in Bredon parish and was built with contributions from parishioners. The police have issued several Community Protection Notice Warnings to individuals over the last year, but the reserve continues to attract high levels of anti-social behaviour.



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/20/01528 - 3 Oak Lane, Bredon. Single storey extension to rear, together with alterations to form a granny annexe. **PC has made general comments.**

W/20/01563 - 23 Blenheim Drive, Bredon. Alterations to existing carport and porch extension. Replacement rear fence. **PC has no objections.**

W/20/01592 - Meadow View, Mill End, Bredon. Erection of detached dwelling and associated parking. **PC has objected.**

W/20/01611 - 8 Blenheim Drive, Bredon. First floor side extension. **PC has no objections.**

W/20/01517 & W/20/01518 - Priors Garden, Dock Lane, Bredon. Re-building of collapsed wall. **PC has no objections.**

Date of Next Meeting:

Monthly Parish Council

Monday 12th October

takes place in Bredon

Village Hall at **7:15pm**

This meeting will take place virtually, please contact the Clerk for access to this meeting.

