

Haxey Parish Council Newsletter – March 2019

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2019/20 Precept

The Parish Council have resolved to reduce the precept for the next financial year from £42,000 to £40,000.

Defibrillator Locations

The Parish has 4 defibrillators in the parish and are located as follows: -

Village Hall - Low Burnham

Stonecroft Farm – East Lound

Haxey Memorial Hall - Haxey

Cricket Pavilion, Haxey Playing Field - Haxey

Westwoodside Village Hall - Westwoodside

Heritage Signage

The Heritage Trail Information Boards at Westwoodside (Park) pond and by the Church have been renewed thanks to the volunteer efforts of Colin Matthias and with assistance from joiner Pete Oliver.

Elections

Parish and town councils are led by democratically elected councillors from the local community.

These local councillors decide on what services and projects the council will deliver. As representatives of the first tier of local government, and the closest to their communities, local councillors are best placed to engage with their residents and find out what the real local issues are and how to overcome them.

Local councils run elections to encourage residents who are passionate about their community to stand for election and thus contribute towards what goes on in their community. There are currently 120,000 councillors serving on the 10,000 local councils in England.

Do you, or someone you know, have what it takes to be a local councillor?

Contact your local council to find out more.

Why don't you stand for your local council and influence what happens in your community?

The nomination process is between March 20th and April 3rd. Papers are available from the NLC Elections Office 01724 296245 or from the home page of the Parish Council website.

Haxey Parish Council Annual Parish Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Parish Meeting of Haxey will be held on Monday 29th April, 2019 at 7pm in The Foreman Carter Centre, Westwoodside Playing Field, Westwoodside

1. To receive apologies for absence.
2. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 21st May, 2018.
3. To receive any matters arising from the last meeting.
4. To receive details of the Parish Council accounts for the year ending 31st March 2019.
5. To receive the Parish Council Chairman's Report.
6. To receive a report from Humberside Police.
7. To receive an update report on The Foreman Carter Centre.
8. To receive a report on the Isle of Axholme Hatfield Chase Partnership projects.
9. To receive any other items of business from Parishioners.

Best Kept Village

Haxey Parish Council have entered the competition again this year.

This year the Parish Council have split the parish so that the villages will be judged individually.

This will be Haxey, Westwoodside, Low Burnham and East Lound.

If you have any ideas on how to improve an area in your village please contact Cllr John Smedley on 01427 752199 or the Clerk on 0784 220 1877. The Parish Council has funding to assist with approved improvements to the area.

Judging will take place at the end of July, beginning of August so please do your bit to help and keep the villages tidy and litter free.

Reporting Crime

Please ensure that you log all crime via 999 or 101, dependant on the crime. It is extremely important to do this to ensure there is a true record of criminal activity in this area.