



## EDLESBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

### Edlesborough Parish Council News (Including Edlesborough, Dagnall & Northall) July 2017

#### **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Edlesborough Parish Council**

On 18<sup>th</sup> May the Annual General Meeting of Edlesborough Parish Council was held.

Cllr Alan Williams was elected as Chairman with Cllr Scott Mineikis as Vice-Chair.

Council agreed Cllrs responsibilities, financial limits, annual subscriptions, representatives for outside bodies and the renewal of EMH car park licence.

The full minutes can be viewed at [www.edlesborough-pc.gov.uk](http://www.edlesborough-pc.gov.uk)

#### **Hedge Cutting**

Following guidance from the NFU, RSPB & RHS the parish council will not be carrying out any hedge cutting throughout the villages between 1<sup>st</sup> April and 31<sup>st</sup> July unless the hedge, tree or shrub overhangs a highway or any other road or footway to which the public has access so as to endanger or obstruct the passage of vehicles or pedestrians, or obstructs or interferes with the view of drivers or vehicles or the light from a public lamp, overhangs a highway so as to endanger or obstruct the passage of horse-riders.

This is with the exception of the hedge which borders the Green alongside the High Street and Pebblemoor, this hedge will be cut following a thorough inspection for nesting birds.

The parish council asks parishioners to ensure that the planting around the boundaries of their properties does not cause a danger or inconvenience to others.



#### **Rights of Way**

Following Bucks CC Devolution of services EPC is now responsible for many of the Rights of Way in the parish. Our contractor will attend to these paths once a month during the growing season ensuring they are useable. Any concerns regarding path can be reported direct to the Clerk or by making a report on the Bucks CC website [www.bucksc.gov.uk](http://www.bucksc.gov.uk)

#### **Edlesborough Green Play Area**

Due to the unseasonably dry the older section of the play area remained closed for longer than originally planned. EPC have now taken the decision to re-open the area. More grass seed will be sown in the autumn.

Please would parents remind their children NOT to climb the fence to enter and exit the play area. This is causing damage to the fence. Thank you.

#### **Dagnall Village Hall**

Following a comprehensive proposal EPC has agreed to make a donation towards the refurbishment of Dagnall Village Hall toilets.

The DVH Committee have organised a Village Fete for the 5th August to raise more money for the village hall. All parishioners are encouraged to support this event on the Dagnall Recreation Ground.

#### **Edlesborough Parish Neighbourhood Plan**

The open house events held on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May were well attended, with many parishioners wanting to support the EPNP.

The consultation period for the Edlesborough Parish Neighbourhood Plan closed on the 18<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

The plan is now with the external examiner. If the plan is approved by the examiner AVDC will organise a referendum. All parishioners registered to vote can participate. You will be asked a simple question Yes or No to approving the Edlesborough Parish Neighbourhood Plan.

### **ABF - The Soldiers Charity Ride**

On Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September cyclists aged from 8 – 80 years will be riding through our Parish taking part in the ABF - The Soldiers Charity Bike Ride.

Numerous signs will be displayed throughout the village directing the cyclist. Anyone wishing to know more about this event can contact Jacqui Sage-Passant on 01525 211498 or 07941 107699

### **Streetlights**

Please report failed streetlights in Edlesborough, Dagnall and Northall to the Clerk for repair.

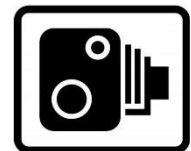
When making a report please ensure you provide the Clerk with the information displayed on the lamp post.

### **Allotments**

Edlesborough Parish Council currently has vacant allotments at the Cow Lane site. Anyone wishing to take on an allotment should contact the Clerk. Fees are £2 per pole and plots range in size from 10 – 20 poles.

### **Speedwatch**

The EDaN Traffic Management team are looking for volunteers to help with their new Sentinel device. If you have an interest in slowing down traffic in the villages or are concerned about Road Safety, please contact Louise Turner on 01442 843123 or by email at [louisefanthorpe@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:louisefanthorpe@yahoo.co.uk)



### **Edlesborough Parish Council Meetings**

The next Edlesborough Parish Council Meetings will take place as follows:

- Edlesborough Memorial Hall, Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017
- Edlesborough Memorial Hall, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2017.

The meetings will commence at 7:30pm.

All Parishioners are welcome to attend all Ordinary Parish Council meetings and may ask questions, raise issues and give suggestions during the Open Forum before the formal start of the meeting. The full minutes of the Parish Council meetings are normally available to view on the website or from the Parish Clerk.

To keep up to date with the latest information on the Neighbourhood Plan, Planning Applications etc. please visit the Edlesborough Parish website and to look out for day to day events visit our Facebook page.

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