



LAUGHTON PARISH COUNCIL

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL: Cllr A Wilson (Chair), Cllr H Hallam, Cllr S Huggett, Cllr J Alford, Cllr M Massingham. You are hereby summoned to:

the Parish Council Meeting.

To be held at the Laughton Parish Small Hall Wednesday 13th December 2023 at 7.30PM

Meeting called by, Lynette Kemp, Clerk

Signed: L Kemp Date: 6th December 2023

PARISHIONERS, OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC, AND PRESS HAVE A RIGHT AND ARE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.

The press and members of the public are reminded that they must remain silent when the meeting is in progress in accordance with The Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960.

The members would kindly ask if you are feeling unwell to not attend the meeting. Thank you

Agenda

- 1. Public Session
- 2. Apologies for absence
- 3. To accept the minutes from the meeting held on Wednesday 15th November 2023.
- 4. Declarations of interest. To receive notices of declarations personal and prejudicial, in respect of items on this agenda.
- 5. Members to agree confidential items on the agenda for the exclusion of the press and members of the public.
- 6. East Sussex County Council and Wealden District Council reports
- 7. Planning and licence applications
 - a) Planning applications received

WD/2023/2768/F 1 Woodside, Lewes Road, Laughton BN8 6BL

Demolition of existing garage and construction of studio and store.

Planning and Building Control - Wealden District Council

WD/2023/2756/LBR Stone Cross Farm, Lewes Road, Laughton, BN8 6BN Retrospective application for the alteration to existing bathroom due to extensive water leak and damage to bathroom and utility room below.

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b) Planning applications approved, refused, referred, withdrawn or appeals WD/2023/2548/F – Land at Prospect House, Brickhurst Lane, Laughton BN8 6DD Installation of 124 Solar PV panels and associated equipment – Approved WD/2023/2126/F - Virginia Cottage, Lewes Road, Laughton BN8 6BQ Construction of new two bay timber frame garage with side store – Withdrawn **Appeal Ref: APP/C1435/W/23/3321437 -** Barn Gate Meadows, Lewes Road, Laughton, Lewes, East Sussex BN8 6BN - **Dismissed**

- c) Other planning matters to discuss or note any other planning matters brought to the attention of the Parish Council.
- d) Licence applications received.
- 8. Financial Matters Authorisation of payments of accounts –To approve accounts for payment (a schedule of receipts & payments will be presented at the meeting) list of payments on separate sheet.
 - a) Bank reconciliation November To approve
 - b) December payments To approve
 - c) Direct Debits To approve
 - d) Draft budget To review and discuss the revisions
 - e) The LGS pay agreement for 23/24 and back pay to April for the Parish Clerk To approve

9. ITEMS FOR DECISION AND ALLOCATION OF RESOURCES

- 9.1 Village Maintenance
 - 9.1.1 Ditches/Flooding
 - 9.1.2 Bus shelters
- **9.2 Community Engagement** drop-in session dates
- 9.3 Dangerous traffic on Shortgate Lane update from working group
- 9.4 Pelham Field/Playground
 - **9.4.1** Goal/basketball hoop repair To receive an update
 - **9.4.2** Infant playground fence To receive an update
- 9.5 Defibrillator for the Parish To receive an update from Cllr Alford
- **9.6 Community Speedwatch** To receive an update from Cllr Hallam
- **9.7 Website/Email** To note the new email addresses are in use
- **9.8 Parish Emergency Plan** To appoint Cllr to progress
- **9.9 Councillor resignation** To note the resignation of Cllr Young
- **9.10 Cycle Rail/Rack at The Green, Laughton** To consider the installation of a cycle rack on The Green for residents and visitors.
- 9.11 Meeting Dates 2024 To note the meeting dates
- 10. REPORTS (by leave) NOT FOR DECISION