

SOUTH PICKENHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Wednesday 18 January 2023 in the Home Farm Hospitality Suite*

(Entrance through side door)

Members of the public are welcome to attend the meeting

AGENDA

1. Open Meeting
2. Apologies for Absence
3. Minutes of the last meeting (held on 9 November 2022)
4. Matters Arising (items not already on agenda)
5. Receive reports from NCC; Breckland Council
6. NCC Parish Partnership Scheme 2022/23 – Update on benches
7. Update on greeting new residents (Cllrs C and S Chalkley)
8. Highways/Rangers issues – Update on any outstanding/new issues –
 - Bus Shelter – needs cleaning out;
 - Slow Down Signs (too expensive); Chevrons on fence (not approved);
 - Notice Board Map – pulls away from backing – reported to Highways.
9. NCC Parish Partnership Scheme 2023/24 – Application submitted for road markings and signs indicating the need to slow down on the bend approaching South Pickenham, from the North, or leaving South Pickenham heading North. Cost indicated as £2,000 (50-50 arrangement) – a grant to be sought for the Council's share if the bid is approved.
10. To consider Parish Precept 2023/24 (currently £1,000.00 pa) – expenditure review provided to Chairman and Cllrs prior to the meeting for consideration.
11. Correspondence – a) Photo ID will be needed to vote in the May elections (on 4 May); b) BDC to provide grants of up to £500 to help communities to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III on 6 May 2023; c) a 2nd scheme will provide joint funding for up to £200.00 for flags and banners to celebrate the day; d) Correspondence from Barclays Bank re the Council's account.
12. Approval of Accounts/Cheques issued – As agreed at last meeting: cheques for £72.50 for Horse World Welfare and for CRUSE; cheque £25.00 for British Legion; Clerk's wages – 5 hrs per month (Nov/Dec 2022) = £120.00 + £5.00 Work from Home Allowance + £36.00 Training for Elections = £161.00. DD payments to npower – November 2022 £10.88; December 2022 £9.71; January 2023 £12.79; Accounts for South Pickenham – Bank balance as at 30 December 2022 = £964.94.
13. Public Discussion Time
14. Matters for next Meeting
15. Date and time of next Meeting