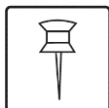


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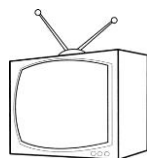
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The Parish Council met on 17th May and 28th June and considered a number of items of business.

GRANTLEY NOTICEBOARD



The Parish Council has agreed to commission a new noticeboard to be made by Peter Dean in Galphay and funded jointly with the Village Hall Management Committee.



The switchover to **digital television** in this area will be complete by 26th September 2012. For more information or help switching see digitaluk.co.uk or call 08456 50 50 50

HIGHWAYS

Concerns about poor quality, temporary road repairs will be raised with Highways North Yorkshire.



The Parish Council is corresponding with Highways North Yorkshire on a number of issues which require attention, including the road surface near the junction in Grantley.

The Parish Council has adopted a new **Code of Conduct**.

A copy of this new code is available from the Clerk. Councillors will be required to register their interests and these lists will also be available in due course.

A letter has been sent to Harrogate Borough Council suggesting that some small-scale housing **development** could be allowed in villages.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

The next Parish Council meetings will be held at 7.30pm on 24th July (in Grantley Village Hall) and 20th September (in Sawley Village Hall).

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COUNCILLORS

After the May elections and Annual Parish Council Meeting the Parish Council is now made up as follows:

John Scannell – Chairman
Martin Kirbitson – Vice Chairman
June Learoyd
Michael Lumb
Trevor Kitchen
Martin Soley
Rachel Wigginton

The main contact for the Council is the Clerk, Iona Taylor.

PLAY EQUIPMENT IN SAWLEY WE WANT YOUR VIEWS!

The Parish Council was able to secure funding from Harrogate Borough Council to purchase some new equipment for Sawley.

This funding had to be used by the end of June, so it was agreed to buy role-play panels which will fit in the existing play area. These will be installed in the next few weeks.

However it has been suggested that some trim-trail or exercise equipment could be installed in a linear fashion along the far side of Sawley Village Green (next to the hall, parallel to the road).

Before looking in to the options, cost or funding of this the Parish Council would like to know whether Sawley residents would support this idea?

Examples of the equipment that's available can be viewed on any play manufacturer's website, such as fawns.co.uk.

The Parish Council would consult further on any resulting scheme, but needs to know whether there is support in principle.

IF YOU LIVE IN THE SAWLEY WARD AND HAVE RECEIVED THIS NEWSLETTER ON RED PAPER, PLEASE ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW AND RETURN TO ANY PARISH COUNCILLOR, OR THE CLERK.

Question 1

Would you support the provision of equipment along one edge of Sawley Village Green?

Yes / No

Question 2

If yes, would you prefer the equipment to be aimed at playing on, or exercising on?

Play / Exercise / Both