

Freckleton Parish Council



Fylde

Newsletter

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On Remembrance Sunday, I was proud to place the wreath on the War Memorial on behalf of the Parish Council. Earlier at the church service, it was good that members of the Scouting movement attended and I was very pleased at the number of young people that came to the service at the War Memorial.

It is one way we can show the younger generation how important it is to participate in remembering those who gave their lives so that we may have a free and democratic society.

We are a busy Parish Council and have a good relationship with the Police. They keep us informed of the problems that occur around the village, from time to time. I thank them and look forward to the re-opening of the Police house, which we are assured will be in the near future. I feel that this will be a good time for the village.

It is distressing that so much litter is left on the streets in the centre of the village, particularly broken bottles. Please try to keep our village tidy.

I invite you to join the Parish Council for the Tree lighting and Carol service, at the Cenotaph on Tuesday 4th December. The service will be followed by refreshments in the Village hall.

In conclusion, I wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Peaceful New Year.

Councillor Mrs. Marlene Dowling, Chairman

Forthcoming Events

- 3rd December 2007 – Full Council meeting.
- 4th December 2007 – Tree lighting and Carol Service.
- 7th January 2008 – Full Council meeting
- 4th February 2008 – Full Council meeting

Vandalism Costs

People are congregating in the Memorial park and on Bush lane playing fields and causing damage to Council property.

Below is a summary of what the Parish Council spent cleaning up, last year and so far this year.

2006-07

Repairs to Council property	£3,547
Pick up litter, beer cans & broken glass	£5,500
Repairs to machinery, caused by objects & broken glass	£14
Total	£9,061

2007/08 (April to September 2007)

Repairs to Council property	£1,055
Pick up litter, beer cans & broken glass	£2,750

Repairs to machinery, caused by objects & broken glass	£1,000
Repairs to Toilets at club day	£785
Total	£5,590

You can help the Council and help to save your money by calling the Police, on the number below, whenever you see people drinking or mis-behaving within the Village.

Police - 08451 25 35 45

Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005

Proposed dog control order at Bush Lane Playing Fields, Freckleton

Consultation notice

Proposal: Freckleton Parish Council is proposing to make a dog control order under the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005. The order would cover Bush Lane Playing Fields, Freckleton.

Effect: The order would -

- (1) make it an offence to permit a dog to enter the Northern part of Bush Lane Playing Fields, and
- (2) make it an offence to not keep a dog on a lead in the Southern part of Bush Lane Playing Fields, including the car park area.

Map: You can inspect a map showing the effect of the proposed order free of charge up to 21 December 2007:

- at all reasonable hours on the community notice board opposite the Cenotaph, Preston Old Road. Freckleton;
- on the website of Freckleton Parish Council at www.freckletonparishcouncil.org.uk;
or
- Between 9.00 a.m. and noon Monday to Friday at 3, Lythall Ave, Lytham.

Your views: You can make representations about the proposed order by writing to the Head of Legal Services, Fylde Borough Council. Town Hall, St Annes FY8 1LW, or by email to ianc@fylde.gov.uk. The closing date for representations is 21 December 2007.

Ian Curtis,
Head of Legal Services
Fylde Borough Council
Town Hall
St Annes

The list of Councillors and telephone numbers are:-

Freckleton East Ward

Councillor Mrs. S Delany	01772 632349
Councillor Mrs. M.M. Dowling	01772 633488
Councillor Mrs. M Whitehead	01772 686436
Councillor T. Threlfall	01772 633964
Councillor St. J Greenhough	01772 634638
Councillor Linda Burn	01772 634889

Freckleton West Ward

Councillor Mrs M.E. Foster	01772 631184
Councillor T.J. Fiddler	01772 634889
Councillor L. Rigby	01772 634111
Councillor C. Robb	BT Talk type 1800201772635814
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Co-opted Members

Councillor P Quinn

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Contact point

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Communication

Advance notice of all Parish Council meetings are published on the three Council notice boards, within the village. One is situated on the footpath in front of the Coach & Horses car park, one on Lytham road, at the junction of Balderstone Road and the other is situated at the entrance to the car park on Preston Old road, opposite the Library.

The minutes of all the Parish Council meetings are held in a folder in the Library and are open to view by anyone.

The Parish Council website

The new website is at www.freckletonparishcouncil.org.uk

Please visit this web site to keep up to date with the Council's business. All minutes of meetings, Agendas, Newsletters and contact points are available.