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Eskdaleside-cum-Ugglebarnby Parish Council

Notice of Parish Council Meetings for 2019/20

Monday 3 June 2019 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 1 July 2019 7.15pm, Littlebeck Village Hall
Monday 5 August 2019 7.15pm **cancelled but may be reinstated**
Monday 2 September 2019 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 7 October 2019 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 4 November 2019 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 2 December 2019 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 6 January 2020 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 3 February 2020 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 2 March 2020 7.15pm, Sleights Village Hall
Monday 6 April 2020 7.00pm-7.30pm in Sleights Village Hall Annual Parish Assembly followed at 7.45pm by the Parish Council Meeting
Monday 11 May 2020 7.15pm Sleights Village Hall Annual Meeting of the Council followed by the Parish Council Meeting

There will be a public session from 7.00 pm– 7.15pm at each meeting apart from April when the session will be after the Annual Parish Assembly. Members of the public will adhere to the rules set by the council for this session

Bonfires: An annual reminder that bonfires can cause considerable distress to those persons with respiratory problems. You are asked to dispose of garden rubbish bearing this in mind—thank you.



**Community First
Yorkshire**

Volunteering in North Yorkshire Directory is a new service offered by Community First Yorkshire.

Local organisations can advertise volunteering

opportunities, and potential volunteers can search by location, area of interest or cause. Visit <https://portal.communityfirstyorkshire.org.uk/volunteering> for more information or ring 01904 704177.

2019 Parish Council Elections:

The parish council currently has 6 uncontested elected councillors, and is in the process of advertising a Casual Vacancy, as well as 5 post election co-option posts. Please visit the parish council noticeboards for further information on how to apply and deadline dates if you are interested in helping and supporting your community.

Councillor Roles and Responsibilities: At the May Annual Meeting of the Council, councillors were appointed to various monitoring roles. Whilst individual councillors cannot make decisions on behalf of the parish council, these can only be made at full council meetings, they can monitor aspects of the parish and bring to the attention of the full council or the Parish Clerk any issues that arise. The following appointments were made:

Cllr S Gibson—Poppy Wreath layer

Cllr L Jones—Vice Chairman; Liaison person between Sleights Primary School and the parish council; Monitor of the Youth Advisor

Cllr P Perry—Parish Newsletter assisting with content

Cllr D Tate—Reviewing planning applications and producing summary for meetings; monitoring of footpaths; monitoring of parish council assets

Cllr A Watson—Chairman

It was decided that the whole parish council will monitor Parish Plan achievements

Drains—courtesy of Yorkshire Water “You are responsible for all the pipes that are inside your property, these include your toilets, sink drains and any guttering or pipes that are attached to the outside of your building. However, Yorkshire Water can provide you with help and advice regarding your pipework. All the maintenance of these is your responsibility which, should a problem occur you would need to resolve. You’re also responsible for the section of pipe from where the pipes go into the ground, either directly or into a gully close to your property until it reaches a public sewer

If the private or lateral drain* isn't your responsibility as the owner/occupier (for example, if the drain is your neighbour's responsibility):

Yorkshire Water recommend that you tell your neighbour about the problem, perhaps giving them the advice on the Yorkshire Water website so they know what to do next. If your neighbour isn't helpful or doesn't want to co-operate, then contact the Environmental Health department at your local authority (council).

*The lateral drain is part of your private drain that runs outside of your boundary.

If there's a problem with land drainage:

You'll need to contact the Land Drainage or Environmental Health department at your local authority (council). If there's a problem with highway drains (known as gullies) or highway run off you should contact your local Highways Authority. If there's a problem with the watercourse, contact the Environment Agency who may be able to help you. Or you could contact your local authority (council) or the Internal Drainage Board (IDB).”

Yorkshire Water website: <https://www.yorkshirewater.com/pipework>

Environmental Health is at Scarborough Borough Council: 01723 232323

NYCC Highways: Tel: 01609 780780 or email: customer.services@northyorks.gov.uk or

website: <https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/report-online>

Environment Agency on their 24hr hotline number 0800 80 70 60

Please be conscientious in what you flush down the toilet or put down the waste water drain as this can impact on your neighbours!



Bees' needs: The government are trying to encourage everyone to help pollinators, which are essential in ensuring that many crops come to fruition (such as raspberries, apples, pears etc) with research estimating the value of pollination to crops at around £400 million. They are encouraging people wherever they live to improve habitat in five

simple ways:

- 🌱 Grow more nectar and pollen rich flowers, shrubs and trees
- 🌱 Leave patches of land to grow wild
- 🌱 Cut grass less often
- 🌱 Avoid disturbing or destroying nesting or hibernating insects
- 🌱 Think carefully about whether to use pesticides



NHS Heatwave advice: A heatwave can affect anyone, but is most likely to impact the more vulnerable such as those over 75yrs old, babies and young children. People with serious chronic conditions such as heart or breathing problems can also suffer, as well as those undertaking physical working activities or sport. Tips for coping include:

- * Shut windows and pull down blinds/shades when at heat of day
- * Avoid the heat and stay inside between 11am and 3pm if vulnerable
- * Have cool baths or showers, splash yourself with cool water
- * Drink cold drinks such as water, and avoid alcohol, caffeine and drinks with high sugar content
- * Identify the coolest room in the house so you know where you can keep cool
- * Wear loose, cool clothing and a hat and sunglasses when go out

Seek help from a GP or call NHS 111 if someone is feeling unwell and shows symptoms of: breathlessness, chest pain, confusion, intense thirst, weakness, dizziness or cramps that do not go away.



Precept: The Parish Council has decided to increase the precept for 2019/20 financial year from £15750 to £15780; however, this does not impact on residents and will elicit a 0% increase on their council tax bill.

Councillors



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