

Clerk Report January 2022

Defibrillator update

Signage received. Council to determine who will fit as it will require fitting above vandalism height therefore warden cannot action.

Additional sign handed to builders' merchants, and one placed on noticeboard. Café to also receive one. 2 incidents over the Christmas break. Apparatus not used but public directed to Defib.

Works to Bunkers Lane Playpark (Signage/Benches/Bins Etc.)

Signage received and being fitted by warden.

Rewilding

Dacorum officer has requested enforcement for vehicle that has parked on verge nominated for rewilding. I met with DBC Officers for a walk around 21/12/21

to assess sites. Report and grant application circulated to council for comment prior to submission January 2022.

Verges Phase 2

To be included in Feb agenda.

Budget Setting

Precept figures arrived 22/12/2021. Reworked figures now with council and on agenda.

Covid-19 Developments

Face masks must now be worn inside Village Halls. Website and Agenda updated to reflect this.

Crime Report Updates from previous Meeting

The Thwaites Crime has been wrongly crimed as Thwaites it was actually Longman House, where unfortunately shoes were taken from outside a property. All other crimes are within parish.

Warden Issues

Warden collected 10 bags of additional rubbish at Gade Tower post-Christmas. DBC refused to take the bags away. I have escalated this to DBC and have been advised that this is now in hand. Miscommunication between DBC teams.

Correspondence received (please note that this may not include all items)

• Cllr Berkeley has copied me into correspondence with DBC re Nash Green and the BAM works, Cllr Berkeley chased post-Christmas and apparently works are due to be finished February 2022.

- Complaint re speeding within parish. Resident reassured of Parish actions (SIDS) but email also forwarded to C/Cllr at residents request.
- Approach from school re collaborative working with art dept. Clerk to circulate and bring back to council. School looking to display art around the parish. Maybe this could be tied in to rewilding and the rewilding information boards.
- Approach from Druglink for collaborative projects for participants. Possible assistance with Rewilding/The Denes project planting and maintenance. Clerk to circulate information.

Training Attended

Nikki Bugden 6/1/2022