
Trull Parish Council Newsletter

Chompies Chippy

Delicious fish and chips are now being dished up weekly. Come and give them a try, they will be in Trull Memorial Car Park every Thursday between 4.45pm – 8.30pm. Follow them on Facebook @chompieschippy.

Far Pavilions

The Geoff Hewett Pavilion is available to hire for sports, exercise classes or private functions. Anyone who wants further information should contact the Bookings Secretary Sue Khattab on 07561 127537.

PC Meeting

Our next meeting will be on Monday 16th March. We have lots to talk about and we are hoping that many of you will come along. So much so, that we have a larger venue this time. Please join us in the Trull Primary School Hall, starting at 7.15pm. The agenda will be available on our website from Monday 9th March. If you have an item that you would like to discuss at the meeting, please make sure that we have more than 8 days notice and we will gladly include it on our agenda.

Playing Field Management Committee (PFMC)

Just in case you didn't already know.. the PFMC manage the upkeep and maintenance of the pavillion, the playing field and the play equipment. They meet at least four times a year, and as with the

Parish Council Meeting, members of the public are urged to come along. In fact, the PFMC are looking to co-opt a new committee member, so if you would like to join them or would like to have a chat about potentially joining, then please contact our Parish Clerk; Sammie. Our next meeting will; be on Thursday 7th May at 7pm.

Trull Meadow

Trull Parish Council is working alongside the Trull Meadow Trustees to save the village from major development. It is hoped that a decision on how to proceed will take place at the next Parish Council Meeting on Monday 16th March. Please come along. If you have an item that you would like to discuss at the meeting, please make sure that we have more than 8 days notice and we will gladly include it on our agenda.

ComeyTrull Urban Extension

This development is due to go before the Planning Committee mid-March for full planning permission. There are some major changes that may be imposed on the village. Potentially, Trull could be looking at a 40m roundabout outside the village store, a spine road to take the traffic from the A38 directly into Trull, the demolition of an ancient wall and an increase in potential flood risk.

Playing Field

Not long now and there will be a Petanque area coming to the playing field. Thanks to Tess's (PFMC Vice-Chair) dedication we are at the stage of now wrapping up the finer details. We will keep you posted.

In the coming weeks, you will see that the play area is getting re-surfaced – so apologies if this means any littlies aren't able to play, but we assure you, it wont take long.

If you have any ideas on what you would like to see in the playing fields, please contact our Parish Clerk; Sammie.

Bricks & Mortar

Applications considered by Trull Parish Council;

42/20/0001 Erection of a single storey extension to the rear of Hunters Oak, Sweethay Lane, Sweethay, Trull

RESOLVED:
To approve.

42/20/0002 Application to fell one oak tree and to carry out management works to one oak tree and one field maple tree included in Taunton Deane Borough (Trull No.1) Tree Preservation Order 1992 at Little Oaks, Honiton Road, Staplehay

RESOLVED:
To approve the application subject to Tree Preservation Order regulations.

42/20/0005 Prior notification of proposed demolition of chicken coups on land south west of Taunton

RESOLVED:

To add no comment but to make note that the footpath is nearby and it must be given consideration.

The Parish Council can make comments on applications in the area to be considered by SWT. To discuss an application contact Tessa Dean or David Lindfield

VE Day

Friday 8th May will be marked in style here in Trull. We have some great ideas so far – feel free to make a suggestion! We are hoping to start the day at 10.15am with WW2 vehicles entering Trull. There will be a street party and organised games for adults and children. At 3pm, there will be a tea dance with a piper playing the lament. There will be a ceremony at the church at 7pm and provisionally there will be a band from 8pm.

Website

The Trull Parish Council website has information about Council business and your Parish Councillors. It also has minutes, agendas and newsletters plus details of the Playing Field Management Committee.

Advertising on PC Land

Only local not-for-profit events can be advertised on land owned by the Council. Requests must be made to our Parish Clerk; Sammie.

Open Spaces

The Open Spaces Working Group usually meets on the first Sunday and the third Wednesday of the

month. Anyone who wants to join in, should contact, Tessa Dean.

Flooding

If you have any concerns about flooding or want to report a flood please contact Anthony Kent.

Verge maintenance

Roadside verges and footpaths are the responsibility of SCC who should be informed of problems at <http://www.somerset.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-transport/problems-on-the-road/report-an-overgrown-verge-or-hedge-on-the-road/> Or <http://www.somerset.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-transport/problems-on-the-road/report-a-problem-with-a-public-right-of-way/>

Book Exchange

There is a book exchange for everyone to use in the village – located in the Telephone Box. Please feel free to donate any unused books that are in good condition. Unfortunately, we are unable to keep magazines in the book exchange as they don't weather too well!

SWT Ward Councillors

Cllr Sarah Wakefield and Cllr Martin Hill are the ward councillors representing Trull, Pitminster and Corfe on Somerset West and Taunton council. Cllr Wakefield can be contacted at cllr.s.wakefield@somersetwestandtaunton.gov.uk Cllr Hill can be contacted at cllr.m.hill2@somersetwestandtaunton.gov.uk Cllr Alan Wedderkopp remains the elected ward member for Trull and Comeytrove on Somerset County Council. He can be contacted at AWedderkopp@somerset.gov.uk

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