
Trull Parish Council Newsletter

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Trull Meadow Meeting

The high number of villagers attending the Open Meeting held at the beginning of October demonstrated the wish of villagers for TPC to investigate ways to safeguard the meadow.

A Working Group has been established by the Parish Council and it is working towards setting up the TRULL MEADOW CHARITY to buy the meadow and maintain it for the use of the village. The asking price is £175,000.

Will you help us save this historic and much-loved meadow?

The charity is still being set up but pledges and promises would be most welcome using the email trullmeadow@gmail.com

Or contact any of the below for more information:

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Comeytrove/Trull Urban Extension

It is thought that the contractors plan to start working on the Comeytrove/Trull development in January at the top end, adjacent to the A38. Trull Parish Council are trying to engage with the developers to discuss the concerns we wrote to them about last year.

Playing Field

The apple piece of play equipment is to be re-installed at the bottom of the playing field, near to the other ball games. New safety surfaces are to be installed under the twin-fly and toddler spinner. Work is anticipated to commence soon.

Planning

Applications considered by Trull Parish Council:

i) 42/19/0042

Application for a Certificate of Lawful Development for the existing use of the ancillary outbuilding as a separate residential dwelling at Fishermans Rest, Sweethay Lane, Trull

RESOLVED:

To object due to the lack of evidence of occupation for four years

ii) 42/19/0043

Demolition of garage and porch and raising roof of dwellinghouse with construction of first floor at Windsong, Amberd Lane, Trull (amended scheme to 42/19/0005)

RESOLVED:

To support

Conclusion of Audit

The External Auditor's Report has been received from PKF Littlejohn LLP confirming that the audit for 2018/19 has been completed satisfactorily.

The certificate of 'Notice of Conclusion of Audit', and a copy of the Annual Governance & Accountability Return has been placed on the website.

SWT ward members

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

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Cllr Alan Wedderkopp is the elected ward member for Trull and Comeytrove on Somerset County Council. He can be contacted at AWedderkopp@somerset.gov.uk

Beat Surgery

The next Beat Surgery will be held at the Hive café in Trull Church Community Centre between 9 – 10am on 21st November.

Trull Parish Council Meeting

The next Meeting will take place on Monday 18th November at 7.15pm in the Pearce Suite, Trull Memorial Hall. Members of the public are welcome to attend.

Agenda Setting

If you have an item that you wish to be discussed by Trull Parish Council, please contact the Clerk

with details of the issue and where possible your expected outcome. The agenda for Parish Council meetings is set one week in advance. Any item received with less notice will be held over to the following month. The agenda is displayed on the official Parish Council noticeboards which can be found on the side of the Geoff Hewett Pavilion and by the Trull Church Community Centre as well as being published on the website: trullparishcouncil.org.uk

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. www.trullparishcouncil.org.uk

Playing Field Committee

The Playing Field Management Committee has responsibility for the day to day running of the King George V playing field and the Geoff Hewett Pavilion. The Chairman Anne Clark can be contacted at ahc_supermum@hotmail.com

Pavilion Hire

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

Advertising on PC Land

Only local not-for-profit events can be advertised on land owned by the Council. Requests must be made in writing to trull.clerk@gmail.com

Planning

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.

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 on 07966 580165 or by email: tessa@westcountryfreedom.co.uk

Flooding

If you have any concerns about flooding or want to report a flood please contact Anthony Kent on: 01823 423196 or email trullpc.chair@gmail.com

Footpaths

For any Footpath issues contact Brian Pretty on 01823 272384 or email bandsp22@btinternet.com

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

For information on the Book exchange please contact Dee Luke. Tel: 07930 377108. Oversized books and magazines cannot be accommodated.

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If you have any issues that you

need to discuss in person, please contact her to arrange a mutually convenient time to meet with her in the parish

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