

Headlines from the May Parish Council Meeting

Terence Patrick and Jonathan Murphy have been re-elected as Chair and Vice-Chairman of the Parish Council for the forthcoming year

Objections made by ourselves and others to a proposal by Martin Grant Homes to build a stable complex on land adjacent to Dedswell Manor Drive have been listened to and the application refused. The Council has also expressed objections and concerns about a development proposed behind Newlands on Oak Grange Rd on land accessed from Bennet Way.

East and West Parish Councils working with the Clandon Society have written jointly to the Inspector running the inquiry into the Guildford Local Plan laying out our objections. We have asked to attend the sessions examining Gosden Hill, Burnt Common, Garlicks Arch and the North Facing Slip Roads as well as the discussions on infrastructure constraints.

Deputy Leader of Guilford Borough Council, Matt Furniss, has indicated he is likely to attend the July meeting of the Parish Council to discuss our concerns on the A247

The Council has new policies on Data Privacy in order to comply with the General Data Protection Regulation. These can be found on our website. We also have a new policy and procedure to deal with Traveller Incursions on Council land.

The Council is supporting a project to refurbish the Clandon Dragon chalk figure on Epsom Road being taken forward by a small but enthusiastic group of volunteers. Contact me if you'd like to join them in celebrating Clandon's history.

We are sorry to announce that long-standing Parish Councillor Rob MacDonald will be stepping down from the Council as he is moving to the West Country. We will be advertising the vacancy from 1st June. If you think you may be interested and would like a no-obligation informal discussion on what it would involve please contact me.

The next meeting of the Parish Council is set for Wednesday 13th June at 8.00pm in the Village Hall.

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