

To Members of St Helen Without Parish Council

6th July 2023

You are hereby summoned to attend the Meeting of St Helen Without Parish Council to be held at Shippon Church Hall on Monday 17th July 2023, commencing at 7.30 p.m.

Members of the public and press are welcome to attend and may make representations under item 5 of the agenda. Anyone wishing to address the Council will be given three minutes to do so. They may then observe the rest of the meeting but will not be able to speak other than at the express request of the Chair.

clerk@sthelenwithout-pc.co.uk or Tel: 01865 321555.

Anna Clarke
Clerk, St Helen Without Parish Council

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence
2. Declarations of Personal or Personal and Prejudicial Interests
3. Matters raised by members of the public
4. Attending Councillors and MOD
5. Minutes of the meeting held on 22nd May 2023
6. Matters arising from the Minutes
7. Dalton Barracks SPD / CPRE
 - Progress to Date
 - Masterplan
 - Transport Consultancy
8. Matters raised by members of the Council
9. AGAR Amendment

10. Finance and Administrative Matters

a) Accounts for payment

Payee	Purpose	Total	VAT
Parish Clerk	Salary June & July	£1,283.40	
Clerk Expenses	Expenses June & July	£104	
MRH Services	Move SID Location/change battery/Service Inspection Playground	£192	
BGG	Grass cutting recreation ground	£264	£44
	Grass cutting verges	£1008	£168
MRH Services	Repair entrance to rec ground	£114.68	
	Charge SID battery & relocate	£42	
	Charge SID battery & rotate	£48	
	New sign playground area, fitting and materials	£32	
ST Grounds Maintenance	May & June Bin Emptying	£40	
Mike Page	Zoom Subscription	£91.14	

b.) Grants

WaDS – WaDS Stock Festival

11. Correspondence

Oxfordshire County Council

Oxford United's proposals for the land known as 'the Triangle'

Oxfordshire County Council and Oxford United Football Club are in negotiations on the terms on which council-owned land could be used for the development of a new stadium for the club. The land, known as 'the Triangle', is located east of Frieze Way and south of the Kidlington roundabout.

Please find out more and fill in the online survey to give your views. It should take around 15 minutes to complete. <https://letstalk.oxfordshire.gov.uk/stadium-land-use-negotiations>

OCC June Newsletter

Notice of Confirmation of Modification Order Section 53, Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981.

Definitive Map and Statement of Public Rights of Way for Oxfordshire

Marcham Bridleway No. 3 (part) Modification Order 2023, ref 03654

On 26 June 2023 the above Order made under section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 was confirmed.

Highway maintenance open day - Saturday 15th July

To have a look around at the site equipment and some live demos – including using sand to have a go at lining (road marking), along with chatting to both Milestone and County Council staff.

Community Tree Care Volunteers

The Tree Service recently undertook planting efforts across the county, with at least one tree planted in every parish. As we enter the summer months, we are reaching out to each community to recruit any volunteers interested in caring for the new trees, particularly with regular watering. The Tree Service is able to provide watering cans and advice on young tree care to any volunteers. The scheme is very informal with no commitment requirements. For anyone interested in volunteering, contact tree.planting@oxfordshire.gov.uk

The Community Tree and Woodland Opportunity team will also be looking at possibilities for future planting projects over the next few years, with a strong focus on community involvement and benefit, so please do reach out to us should you become aware of any relevant opportunities and share our information with any members of your parish with an interest in tree planting.

Matthew Barber Police & Crime Bulletin

OALC

June Update

Vale Communications

Abingdon and Wantage get high-definition CCTV upgrade

Twenty-six new high-definition CCTV cameras have been installed in the Vale, with 20 rolled out across Abingdon and six in Wantage town centre.

Vale News

Planning Surgeries for town and parish councils

Want the lowdown on the latest planning issues affecting your town or parish? Our planning team holds monthly surgeries where you can discuss general planning queries. You can book 15-minute online meetings.

Climate Action Fund webinar is available on youtube

Last week the Climate and Biodiversity team hosted a webinar on our Climate Action Fund which is currently open for applications for funding for projects that help to tackle climate change and increase people's awareness and knowledge of the climate emergency. [Climate Action Fund 2023/2024 - Vale of White Horse District Council \(whitehorsedc.gov.uk\)](#)

Summer season set to start at Abbey Meadow

Abbey Meadow outdoor pool in Abingdon will open ahead of the school summer holidays on Saturday 22 July until the start of September.

Latest images unveiled for new council HQ

A new building that will kickstart the revitalisation of Didcot Gateway is now one step closer, with updated images of the proposed council headquarters released today and a formal planning application expected soon. Both South Oxfordshire and neighbouring Vale of White Horse District Council plan to call the office home, as it will provide a flexible, sustainable workspace central to the two districts and help them become carbon neutral councils.

Have your say on the South and Vale Air Quality Action Plan

We are inviting you to have your say on the [Draft Air Quality Action Plan 2023-27](#) for South Oxfordshire and the Vale of White Horse, which outlines the actions we will take to improve air quality

in the districts.

This survey will ask you a few questions to find out your views on both area wide and targeted actions. We are carrying out a six-weeks consultation which runs from Thursday 15 June to 11.59pm on Thursday 27 July 2023.

How to comment The quickest and easiest way to comment is to use our online comment form which is available here: <https://survey.southandvale.gov.uk/s/AirQualityActionPlan/?m=73149804o1spw>

Other

Ava Recreation Playgrounds
JACS UK Street Furniture
Kompan UK

Volunteer Link Up – Good Neighbourhood Scheme - If a new scheme would like to set up, we offer a start up grant of £500, free DBS checks on volunteers and insurance.

Tel: 07545 923327 email: oxfordshiregns@vlu.org.uk

Oxfordshire Treescape Project - We wanted to let you know about an exciting change for the [Oxfordshire Treescape Project](#): from July 2023 the Oxfordshire Treescape Project will be run from within [Community Action Groups Oxfordshire](#), rather than the charity [GrowGreenCarbon](#).

We think that this is a positive step for the project – one of our important learnings over the last two years has been how important it is for community-driven nature recovery to have support for the groups and individuals doing the work, which is where CAG Oxfordshire’s expertise lies. [These five slides](#) give more details on our vision for this. We are working to make the transition as smooth as possible, but please bear with us if we are slow to respond to emails during this time. From the end of June, please use naturerecovery@cagoxfordshire.org.uk to contact us; we will advise you if and when contact details change.

12. Cllrs reports and items for future agendas

13. AOB

14. Date of next meeting

To confirm the date of the next Parish Council Meeting, which is scheduled for 7.30 p.m. on Monday 11th September 2023 at Shippon Church Hall.

Minutes & Agendas can be found on our website at: <https://sthelenwithout-pc.co.uk>