

THE EYEOPENER

HURN PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER



Autumn 2020

Christmas Tree Lighting Service and Children's Christmas Party

The Christmas Tree Lighting Service and Children's Christmas Party is always the highlight of our calendar year. The event is popular with children and adults alike and holding it on the first Sunday in December seems to mark the formal beginning of the Christmas season.

However, as things stand with COVID-19, we are not yet sure whether it will be possible to hold this year's event. We will let you know as soon as a decision is made, one way or another.

Neighbourhood Plan

Hurn Parish Council has begun work on developing a Neighbourhood Plan that, when adopted, should give us more say on development within the local area. However, due to COVID-19, it has not been possible to progress the plan over the past six months. Apart from anything else, we have not had access to Hurn Sports Club for our regular meetings.

However, the Government has recently announced possible major changes to the planning system and is consulting on two separate documents titled "Planning for the Future" and "Changes to the Current Planning System". These are likely to have significant impacts on issues such as housing development and the Green Belt.

Whilst we think that Neighbourhood Plans will still be encouraged in the future, their focus may be narrowed to issues such as design or open spaces.

Therefore, we have decided to pause work on our Neighbourhood Plan until the planning landscape becomes clearer, towards the end of 2020.

Proposal for Water Park on Hurn Farm Quarry Site

Earlier in the year we made you aware that in response to the first phase of the new BCP Plan process a "Call for Sites" was made. This is standard procedure at the start of making a new Plan. A proposal has been put forward for the main Hurn Court Farm Quarry Site to become a Water Park. It would cover 48.13 hectares and the promoters are The Lagoon, Elysium and the Malmesbury Estate.

To be clear, this is just a strategic proposal at the moment which has been put forward as part of the new Local Plan process and has yet to be assessed by planning officers. It is not a planning application.

You can view the interactive map which shows all proposals across BCP at:

<https://bcpcouncil.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=16946c1881c54105a6fe6f637799d84d> You can access the link via the newsletter on the Parish website.

Hurn Parish Council Contact Details

If you have any queries regarding any of the items in this Newsletter, or want to contact your Parish Councillors, their contact details are as follows:

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Council meetings being held Virtually

Virtual Hurn Parish Council Meeting Date – 2020

Due to Coronavirus currently all Parish Council meetings are being held virtually.

To join the meeting: go to the Hurn Parish Council website www.hurnparishcouncil.org.uk

Your Council

Minutes and Agenda

Meeting Date

Open Agenda

Click on [Join Meeting](#)

Please allow 10 minutes before the meeting is due to start to launch Skype or Teams and join the meeting.



Monday, September 14th

Monday, October 12th

Monday, November 9th

Monday, December 14th