

NOTICE TO PARISHIONERS

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS APRIL 20 ONWARDS

We intend to follow advice we have received from BANES Council and the National Association of Local Councils (NALC) and complete by email the business that would have been considered at the scheduled 16th April Parish Council Meeting. The Clerk and I will be co-ordinating that process between Councillors to record and publish the decisions made as usual.

We are also following that advice in cancelling this year's Annual Parish Meeting and Annual Parish Council Meeting that would both have been scheduled for May.

We will not be holding our usual, public, Parish Council meetings either in the TRC or Dunkerton Parish Hall until further notice.

We are, however, keen to ensure that parishioners who want to follow the Parish Council's decision-making discussion on any particular issue retains the ability to do so even though they will not be able to sit in on the appropriate meeting. So if anyone has a particular interest in any item on the agenda for the 16th April meeting please let me or the Clerk know and we will make appropriate arrangements.

Dependent on developments in the progress of the current pandemic beyond May and the further advice from BANES and NALC we may in future look to carry out Parish Council meetings in real time on line using one of the increasingly popular conferencing apps.

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Chairman D&TPC

Further detail on the legal basis behind BANES and NALC advice to Parish Councils can be found here:

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/2020/392/contents/made>

<https://www.nalc.gov.uk/coronavirus>