

Barham Parish Council – January 2022 InTouch Report



Barham Parish Council would like to wish everyone a very Happy New Year and all Good Wishes for 2022

DATE OF FORTHCOMING PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

The dates for the 2022 Parish Council meetings will be confirmed in the February InTouch.

All meetings of the Parish Council are advertised on the village noticeboard (outside the Co-op) and hopefully from 2022 on the new noticeboard by Pesthouse Lane. Also on the village website www.barham-suffolk.org.uk and the In Touch Magazine (however Extra Ordinary Meetings may not make the deadline to be advertised in the In Touch)

KIRBY RISE PLAY AREA



We are delighted to report that the new play equipment will be installed on the Kirby Rise green the week of Tuesday 4th January 2022. It will comprise of 5 small pieces of play equipment, a double swing, a log swing with bird's nest basket seat, see saw, springer and a climbing tower with slide.

The Parish Council has successfully bid for funding from BMSDC S106 Developer Contributions and Community Projects Grants. We are also hopeful for grants from the District Councillors and County Councillor also from SUEZ.

Highways Assurance is very kindly providing the fencing of the new play area and the Parish Council express their thanks for this generous donation.

A ROSPA Health & Safety inspection will need to be carried out on the new play equipment before it is safe to use. So please bear with until the inspection is carried out, once all of the safety tape has been removed then the play area will be fit for use. We are hopeful that ROSPA will carry out the inspection on Monday 10th January.

BARHAM PICNIC SITE

The whole site is currently closed to the public. Please do not go there to walk your dogs or enter the site. Trespassers will be prosecuted

BARHAM COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH

The team has had their training and now out in force in Barham – “WATCH YOUR SPEED”. The Police has approved 5 sites in the village which the speed watch team can patrol, it is hoped to add more sites in the future.

Speeding notices have been sent out to offenders and these are sadly all LOCAL RESIDENTS. Speed watch patrols will continue in Barham, “SO YOU HAVE BEEN WARNED”.

We want to be able to continue to carry out speed monitoring in the village, we urgently need more volunteers to join the Speed Watch Team. If you are interested in becoming part of the Community Speed Watch team in Barham please contact the Chairman or Clerk.

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