

Barham Parish Council – December 2021 InTouch Report

DATE OF FORTHCOMING PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The date of the next Parish Council meeting has been changed from Tuesday 7th December 2021, to MONDAY 13TH DECEMBER 2021, 7.00pm in Barham Church Hall.

All meetings of the Parish Council are advertised on the village noticeboard (outside the Co-op) and 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)

Further Meetings 2022;
TBC

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.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR WASTE COLLECTION SCHEDULE 2021/22



BMSDC wanted to make sure Barham residents have the most up to date information about waste collections and recycling over the festive period.

The Christmas bin collection calendars are now available, along with lots of other useful information to share with residents www.babergh.gov.uk/assets/Waste-Services/Calendars/ There are also details for the annual collection calendars for 2022 on our website.

PLEASE INSERT THE ATTACHED
CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR WASTE
COLLECTION SCHEDULE, THANK
YOU

K2 RECOVERY GENEROUS DONATION

The K2 Recovery vehicles moved out of the Barham Picnic Site the week commencing 8th of November, having used the area to park their vehicles for the last 12 weeks. K2 Recovery has passed on its thanks to the parish for allowing them to use the area.

They kindly paid the Parish Council for the use of the picnic site, it is hoped that the money can be passed over to the Barham Picnic Site Community Charity, so that they can make good use of the money.

K2 Recovery agrees that it will be great to see the picnic site back to its former self and therefore intend to make a substantial donation to the Barham village towards future new play areas.

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 4 sites in the village which the speed watch team can patrol, it is hoped to add more sites in the future.

18 speeding notices have been sent out to speeding offenders and these offenders 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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