



Stanford Rivers Parish Council Newsletter

Issue No 34

Village Hall Purchase

The money from the Public Works Loans Board is in place and the Parish Council hope to complete the purchase of the village hall within the next few weeks: attention will then be turned to improving the car park facilities.

Precept Funding

The Precept for the 2014/15 year was set at £19134 which in addition to our hitherto normal expenditure includes loan repayments on the village hall and a provision for its upkeep.

Highways

It is our constant thought to control speed on the A113 through Stanford Rivers and we are pleased to announce that an extra VAS (Vehicle Activated Sign) has been allocated to us.

The existing ones at the ends of the village do slow the traffic, but speeds are inclined to gather especially through Hare Street. The precise location of the new sign is being considered.

On the subject of speed control, we are still looking for more volunteers to join our **Speed Watch Team**. The job is far from onerous and great service to the community.

If you would like to know more please contact Cllr Robert Jackson on 07785 370566

Parish Council Vacancy

Due to the resignation of Robert Manning we have a vacancy on the Parish Council and will be looking to co opt a new member. If you would like to put your name forward please contact our Clerk, Susan De Luca via email on stanforddriverspc@gmail.com.

We are pleased to say that so far we have two applications for the vacancy and these and any others will be considered at the next Parish Council Meeting on the 9th January.

Next Parish Council Meeting

The next Parish Council Meeting will be on Thursday 9th January at Toot Hill Village Hall at 5pm. Member of the public are most welcome

Planning Applications

<u>Ref:</u>	<u>Details</u>	<u>Advisory</u>
EPF/1948/13:	Millside, Toot Hill Road. Garage extension.	No objection
EPF/2029/13	Highlands Farm, Extend existing storage building and erection of new stable building.	No objection
EPF/2095/13	5 London Road Little End. Removal of existing single storey porch: proposed two storey front extension: alteration and extension to roof to remove flat roof elements.	No objection
EPF/2099/13	Brook Cottage, Mutton Row – Proposed two storey and single storey side extensions, dormers and porch. (revised application to EPF/0223/13)	Objection
EPF/2185/13	39 Berwick Lane – Demolition of existing previous two storey extension: addition of two storey side extension replacing existing with connecting glass link to existing outbuilding at eastern side of main dwelling: internal alterations to existing main house to accommodate new extension: alterations to existing outbuilding to enable linked connection: demolishing of additional existing outbuildings within the site as indicated on site plan. (Resubmission of previously withdrawn application EPF/0666/13)	No objection