

## BPC Covid-19 Decision & Payments Log – 012

Cheques written	
Mr A Doe 3393 - £350.00	Tree work at allotments
CPRE 3394 - £36.00	Annual subscription
Sustrans KCRP 3395 - £100.00	Donation
Heart of Kent Hospice 3396 - £50.00	Donation
3397 DATA PROTECTION REDACTED	
3398 DATA PROTECTION REDACTED	
Mrs N Attwood 3399 - £44.67	Expenses
Cavanagh 3340 - £2005.00	Decorating at halls

Decisions made outside of meetings due to Covid-19 pandemic.	Actions	Further information
The decorating is now completed at the halls and Cllr Manser has been to inspect it; as she was happy with the work, the cheque has been released for signing.	-	-
Cllr Gooch and Cllr Vizzard are both booked on to the Vision Zero: The Road Safety Strategy for Kent 2020-2026 (3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2021)	The closing date for the consultation is 15 <sup>th</sup> March 2021. Any comments that BPC wish to make will be submitted by the Clerk.	-
Cllr Manser reported that some rubbish had been dumped at the parish field. Cllr Gooch took photos of the rubbish and the Clerk has arranged for the waste to be removed.	MBC will be removing the waste at a cost of £50.00.	-
There have been a few complaints received regarding an article ('Grumpy Corner') in the Barming News. Cllr Gooch has dealt with the complaints and offered to print the responses in the next edition.	Anyone who wishes to comment on items are more than welcome to have their views printed in the next edition if they wish.	-
Simon Webb has been selected to represent the Conservative Party as candidate for the Rural West division for KCC and will be attending some of our future meetings.	The Clerk will send him future zoom links.	-
The MBC play equipment report has been received and it mentioned a possible broken weld on the witches hat/rope equipment.	The Clerk has contacted Creative Play to ask them to investigate the weld as the equipment is still relatively new. The Clerk will keep members updated. Cllr Muthana kindly went to have a look around the play area and has sent a report in to the Clerk. The witches hat seems to be sound but there are a few jobs that BPC can deal with in house (repairing slats etc) so any volunteers would be great!!	Cllr Gooch and her husband fixed the fence at the play area, had a tidy up and inspected the rope equipment and agrees that it seems sound. Cllr Manser sprayed WD40 on the padlock so this should now free up. Many thanks to everyone who helped out – much appreciated. The Clerk has cancelled the repair visit by Creative Play and informed MBC that the equipment is in working order.

The MBC PSS funding grants will be agreed at the MBC meeting on 24 <sup>th</sup> Feb. It looks at though we will have a decrease in funding of 15.8%	The Clerk will keep members informed as soon as the figures are confirmed.	
The Kent Community Railway Partnership emailed the Clerk to thank BPC for the recent donation and asked for ideas for future projects/events.	Cllr Manser requested that a shelter is installed at East Farleigh station which the Clerk has forwarded to KCRP.	
The Clerk has arranged this year's audit with David Buckett which will again be a remote one due to the pandemic. The actual audit will take place on the first week of May but the supporting documents will be sent prior throughout April.	The Clerk will keep members up to date with progress.	
A meeting has been arranged following the planning committee for Oakapple Lane. Unfortunately, only one representative from BPC is allowed. Cllr Gooch and Cllr Vizzard have been sent invitations so I am sure that they will keep us all informed.	Cllr Gooch & Vizzard to report back to members after the 12 <sup>th</sup> February meeting.	

Planning application comments:

20/501773 – Land off Oakapple – went to committee and Cllr Gooch represented BPC and spoke on our behalf.

20/505748/TPOA – Banky Meadow ME16 9JX – No objections (Cllr Gooch, Muthana, Manser & Williams)

20/500233/FULL – 28 Maryland ME16 9EW – No objections (Cllr Gooch, Manser & Muthana)

21/500161/SUB – Walnut Oast – No objections (Cllr Gooch, Cllr Manser)

Emailed to members: 05/02/2021

To be signed off by the Chairman at the next meeting: