NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL

Community Governance Review

Following the Parish Council meeting in June when it was resolved to put in a submission regarding the Parish boundary in Nancledra, the Parish Council also made a submission to request no change to the remainder of Towednack as a Parish, in response to Ludgvan Parish Council's submission that Towednack become a ward of Ludgvan and hence cease to exist as a Parish in its own right. Towednack Parish Council are strongly opposed to this proposal and Councillors will fight hard on your behalf to ensure that the Parish retains its own identity and does not get taken over by a Parish ten times its size.

The Community Governance Review Panel are holding a series of Public Engagement meetings across Cornwall. The one relating to the Penzance area, which will include Towednack and Ludgvan, is due to take place on Monday 16th September at St John's Hall with a 6.30pm for 7.00pm start and will aim to finish by 9.30pm. The Panel have said that 'they would like to have the opportunity to invite views from residents and parish council representatives around key proposals that would involve significant boundary changes and/or the creation of new parishes. This will help the Panel to formulate their Draft Recommendations. By the end of November or December 2019 Full Council will receive the Panel's proposed Draft Recommendations for discussion and the Council will then undertake a full public consultation between December 2019 and March 2020.' If you want to see Towednack remain as a Parish in its own right, please do come along and let the Review Panel know how you feel.

To see more information about the submissions and / or the Public meeting please see the following: https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/elections/community-governance-review or ring the Clerk on 07986 667509. Alternatively, both submissions can also be found on the Parish Council website under the News section (www.towednackparishcouncil.gov.uk).

Local Landscape Character Assessment

Please see information under Penwith Landscape Partnership advert regarding volunteers required to help record details of our local landscape and help protect it for the future.

Meetings

The Council welcomes all residents to the monthly Parish Council meetings. There is a 15 minute period near the start of the meeting, which is set aside specifically so that residents can voice any concerns they have on any parish matter. After this period, they may choose to leave, or stay and listen to (but not join in) council deliberations. The Parish Council needs to know residents' views on parish matters to enable it to make balanced judgements and sound decisions on the important matters that affect our community. The Parish Council usually meets on the last Tuesday in the month at 7.00pm (exceptions to this are August when there is no meeting, and December due to Christmas). The meeting dates for the next four months are: 24th September, 29th October, 26th November & 17th December. Agendas for, and minutes from, all meetings are published on the Parish Noticeboard and the Parish Council website.

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