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In 2017 we dealt with 25 planning applications, 19 of these were granted by the National Park and New Forest District Council planning officers, 5 were refused and 1 has yet to be decided. A revised application 16/11494 for work at Stuckton Chapel has been submitted to NFDC. Applications can be viewed at nfdc.gov.uk/planning tel. Lyndhurst 02380 285000, and at newforestnpa.gov.uk/planning tel. Lymington 01590 646600.



We were pleased to welcome Bernadette Tully as a co-opted parish councillor at our council meeting in December. Bernadette has lived in the parish for 17 years and she was part of the group that produced the Parish Plan in 2005.

We have written to our County Councillor, Edward Heron, edward.heron@hants.gov.uk copied to HCC Highways, Desmond Swayne MP and Natural England to express our concern about the state of the parish roads and requesting action. We have received a response from Colin Taylor, Deputy Director HCC Highways & Traffic, informing us that work at North Gorley, Hern Lane, Gorley Lynch and Pentons Hill is now scheduled for February.

Several roads in the parish have been flooded, we would like to remind residents of their responsibility to remove debris from ditches on or adjacent to their property and land to prevent, or reduce the risk of flooding, please report other blockages to our clerk, Martine. Potholes, or other road problems can also be reported to Martine or by telephone to Hampshire County Council (HCC) 0300 555 1388 or online at www3.hants.gov.uk/roads

HCC Countryside intend to carry out ditching work with a digger from 28th February to 2nd March and controlled gorse burning will take place during February as part of commons maintenance work.

The New Forest Land Advice Service provides management advice and management plans for grasslands, heathlands, woodlands, watercourses, ponds and other environmental features; for information and a list of informative downloads see newforestnpa/landadvice tel. 01590 646600. The Service also runs courses on rural skills, volunteers and land owners in Hyde Parish recently took part in the hedge management course and learned how to lay, coppice, plant and protect hedgerows. Excellent examples of the work done can be seen on Hern Lane and Hyde Lane, and local work in progress can be seen on a video at newforestnpa/ourpastourfuture/betterboundaries

The NPA are consulting on whether the Draft January 2018 Local Plan (2016-2036) 'complies with the legal requirements, the duty to co-operate and is sound' before submission to the Planning Inspector/ Secretary of State. The Plan and documents can be viewed at newforestnpa/localplan and a response can be made online until 5.00pm on 28th February. Councillors responded to the public Draft Consultation in October 2016.

Saturday 7th April - Please join us for our annual litter-pick, bags and pick-up grippers will be available opposite the school at 10am - or pick what you can when you can. Litter can be dangerous to animals, it can block ditches and it is unhygienic and unsightly, please help us to clear it up. Thank you to those residents who pick up litter all year, especially after holiday periods when there is usually an increase.

Saturday 14th and Sunday 15th April - there will be a cycling event in the Forest, all routes will start from Somerley between 7.40 and 10.a.m.. One route is Ringwood, Blashford, Ibsley, S + N Gorley, Hyde Lane, Stuckton, Fordingbridge and onwards to Somerley. The route map will be on our parish notice boards and on the Events website. www.ukcyclingevents.co.uk/events/wiggle-new-forest-spring-sportive enquiries@ukcyclingevents.co.uk tel. 01425 653372.

We hope cyclists will adhere to the NPA voluntary code, see www.newforestnpa.gov.uk/cycling-code Participants are required to wear visible numbers back and front as requested in the Code.

Wednesday 23rd May - 7.15 pm at Hyde Memorial Hall - The Annual Parish Meeting. Agenda details, will be on our noticeboards and in our May Newsletter. Please make a note of the date, we would welcome your support.

Non-Emergency Health Care Advice.

West Hampshire Clinical Commissioning Group are asking community groups to distribute the following information:

- NHS Choices website – <https://www.nhs.uk> for advice on a wide range of illnesses and conditions
- Local pharmacists – are health professionals and able to give advice
- NHS 111 – if you need urgent advice (and you cannot wait until your GP surgery reopens)
- Local hubs – people can make an appointment by calling their own GP surgery or NHS 111. Appointments are available with a GP or practice nurse at the 'extended hours' hubs, which are open every weekday until 8pm at Andover, Winchester, Romsey, Hedge End, Ringwood and Lymington. Weekend opening times vary.

999 only if someone is seriously ill or injured and their life is at risk.

'I would also urge people to check on older or vulnerable neighbours and ensure they have enough prescription medication and over the counter remedies'. *Heather Hauschild, Chief Officer.* There is more information on the website www.westhampshireccg.nhs.uk

N.B. The 'extended hours' hub at the Ringwood Medical Centre, The Close, BH24 1JY, is only open on Saturday mornings, you can book a same-day appointment there on a Saturday, by calling The Practice at Lymington Hospital 01590 630545.

*There is a Walk-In Health Centre at Avon Approach, Salisbury SP1 3SL (off Castle Street).
open 18.30 - 22.00 weekdays, 8.00 - 20.00 weekends.
<http://www.salisburywalkincentre.co.uk> 01722 331191*