

# Dunchideock Parish Council

## NEWSLETTER

November 2018

### *Lime tree - junction with School lane*

We apologise for the delay in felling the lime tree. The contractor selected to fell the tree represented best value, but we have not been in a position to authorise the work without the assurance that the appropriate public liability insurance and risk assessment are in place. We hope that by the time this newsletter is published, the matter will have been suitably concluded.

### *Parish Plan Review*

At the last Parish Council meeting, it was agreed that we would read the Parish Plan which was published in 2005 following extensive consultation. We wanted to establish whether it needed updating and if there were any things we could work on as a Parish Council to keep the plan 'alive' and valid. One issue that was raised in the original consultation is that people didn't know their councillors. We are going

to use the next few newsletters to introduce you to the parish council 'team'. We are all relatively new and would like to let you know what we are trying to achieve.

### *Meet your Councillors*



Cllr Sarah Sharpe

Chairman of the Parish Council and leading on the defibrillator project. It was disappointing to have been turned down for funding by the National Lottery. We have rationalised our plans to provision of 2 units, one at the Village Hall and one near the Lord Haldon Hotel drive. The aim is to pay for one through grant funding and the other through business and private donations. The fantastic news is that due to immense generosity and support, we are optimistic that we will soon reach both targets. If you would like to make a donation

please contact Sarah or our Clerk



Cllr Stephen Moor

Vice Chairman of the Parish Council. Stephen is the Chairman of our Employment & Complaints Committee and he also leads on public information. He is a keen walker and cyclist and you may well come across him updating our parish noticeboards around the village. If you would like to have something added to our new website, please contact Stephen, our Parish Clerk or Chairman.

As a new team of councillors, we need and value your support.

### *Our Next Meeting*

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 15th January 2019 at 7:30pm in the village hall. Please come along and join us.

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**We have a team of 7 motivated and enthusiastic councillors working for you. Please come along to our meetings and have your say**

### **Is there something we can help with?**

Please feel free to contact any of your councillors to ask for our help. You can also contact the Parish Clerk by emailing [parishclerk@dunchideock.org.uk](mailto:parishclerk@dunchideock.org.uk). or feel free to telephone our Chairman Sarah Sharpe on 01392 811614 or email [lowerhorrels@gmail.com](mailto:lowerhorrels@gmail.com)