

Buckden Parish Council Chair's Report February 2022

1) Fred Day

It was with sadness we learnt of the death of Fred Day a former Councillor. I informed all current and previous councillors and received several tributes to him. I printed those out and put them in a sympathy card and sent that to Jean, his widow. I would like to record in the minutes our thanks to Fred for his contribution to the Parish Council.

2) Tree Planting

As reported at the last meeting the oak tree was planted in the grounds of the Towers on Tuesday 11th January on behalf of the Parish Council to mark the Queen's Platinum jubilee. We hope to put pictures and a report on the event in the next Roundabout.

3) Lucks Lane attenuation basins

I received an email from Cllr Ryan Fuller informing me that he would not deal with any letters that came through to him in relation to the Lucks Lane issues and that residents should address their letters to their District Councillor. In consultation with Cllr Thelwall I wrote back and said that we would make the necessary adjustments on the website to ensure the letters were directed as requested. I have had a copy of the email Cllr Masson sent in relation to the issue. It was very well expressed and certainly outlined very clearly our concerns. We now wait to see what, if any, action will result.

4) Meeting with Brampton Parish Council Chair

I met with Mike Bainbridge the Chair of Brampton Parish Council. Brampton Council will be holding training for Councillors and this will be offered to us as well. I will circulate details as soon as I receive them. The Men's Shed in Brampton is up and running. It is open to Buckden residents we will put details in the Roundabout so that those interested in joining can do so.

5) Platinum Jubilee

Cllr Howell-Jones is leading on co-ordinating information about events to be held the weekend of the Jubilee and this will come under the General Purposes Advisory Group.

6) Signatures on emails

You will have received the email from Ramune informing you that we now have an active Facebook page. Can all Councillors put the following information on their email signatures as we hope that will prompt people to follow us on Facebook.

PLEASE SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH COUNCIL NEWS LETTER via the Parish Council web site <https://buckdenpc.org.uk/>

Please 'like' to follow our new Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Buckden-Parish-Council-101476219095385>

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