

# **BREDHURST PARISH COUNCIL**



**To all councillors: you are hereby summoned to attend an  
ORDINARY MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL TO BE HELD AT  
BREDHURST PRIMARY SCHOOL  
On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2017 at 6:30pm**

Members of the public and press are invited to attend. At the discretion of the Chair the meeting may be closed and then opened to the public for questions. Any items for full discussion will be placed on next month's agenda.

## **AGENDA**

**160. Apologies for absence**

CLRs to consider if apologies are acceptable.

**161. Declarations of interests**

CLRs to declare any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in matters to be considered on this agenda.

**162. To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2017**

**163. Police briefing**

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**164. Matters arising (for information only)**

CLRs to receive an update on action points from previous meeting.

**165. Playing field**

CLRs to consider the lease of the playing field.

**166. Village maintenance**

- a. Playground repairs – to consider the recent inspection report and any possible need for repairs.
- b. Tree survey – to consider the recent report and any necessary work.
- c. Resurfacing in The Street – to consider the possibility and quotes for resurfacing work in The Street.
- d. Footpath clearance in Dunn Street – to consider quotes.
- e. Drain clearance – to receive a progress report.
- f. AONB sign – to receive a progress report.
- g. Verge maintenance, grass cutting and bulb planting – to receive an update and consider the purchase of plants and soil.

**167. Allotment**

CLRs to consider any applicants for the vacant allotment.

**168. Maidstone Borough Local Plan Main Modifications**

CLRs to consider the main modifications and formulate a response if necessary.

**169. KALC membership**

Cllrs to consider whether to renew membership of KALC at a cost of £202.15 (inc VAT).

**170. Annual Parish Meeting**

Cllrs to consider arrangements for the APM.

**171. Planning**

- a. Land at Gibraltar Farm – appeal granted.
- b. Any other planning matters.

**172. Finance**

- a. Financial statement and bank reconciliation – to receive and accept
- b. Payments to be made:
  - i. Clerk – wages and office rental (for information only – paid by BACS)
  - ii. Bex Ratchford – stamps and mileage to training course 10.52
  - iii. James Carr – hedge cutting 920.00
  - iv. Tree survey 350.00
  - v. OFN – grass cutting (£195) and allotment gate (£70) 265.00
  - vi. YPO – dog sign 21.30 tbc
  - vii. KALC membership 202.15

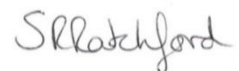
**173. Reports from parish councillors**

**174. Reports from borough and county councillors (if present)**

**175. Correspondence**

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**176. Close of meeting**



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