

Ravenshead Parish Council

Ravenshead in Bloom and the Best Kept Village competition

Apologies for the typo in last month's newsletter. Planting of the tubs in the precinct will take place on Saturday 1st June at 10.00am in preparation for the Best Kept Village competition, which will be judged during June. Whilst the County Council will be spraying the weeds that are beginning to grow at the edges of roads and pavements during the coming months, we would urge all residents to take a look at the front of their own property and give it a tidy before the judging commences. With everyone doing their little bit, we should be able to show off our fantastic village with it looking at its best.

Parish Council accounts

The Parish Council accounts have recently been the subject of both an internal and external audit and have once again passed with flying colours. Thank you to Belinda Kalka, our RFO (Responsible Finance Officer) and Parish Clerk for keeping our finances in such good order. The accounts are available for public inspection and a summary will be placed both on our website and on the Parish council noticeboard in the precinct. Inspection is by appointment only, Monday 3rd June- Friday 12th July.

Annual Parish Meeting

As previously advertised, the Annual Parish meeting was held on 20th May. In addition to a report being delivered on the activities of the Council in the preceding twelve months, it was also an opportunity for residents to ask any questions. Thank you to the residents who attended and participated. It must be assumed that as no other issues were raised, other residents must be happy with the running of the Parish Council!!

Leisure Centre Refurbishment- Update

The final costings were recently approved by the Parish Council and we expect work to commence in August and take around six months to complete. Once we have met with the site manager, we will be able to update users of any closures, which we hope to keep to a minimum.

Martin Smith

Chairman, Ravenshead Parish Council