

USEFUL INFORMATION

Village Website

www.hathersage-outseats.org.uk

What's On

www.hathersage-outseats.org.uk/
category/whats-on

To advertise events, please email:
whatsoninhathersage@gmail.com

Derbyshire County Council (DCC)

Telephone: 01629 580000

www.derbyshire.gov.uk

Your County Councillor:

Judith Twigg: 01629 813292

Call Derbyshire 0845 605 8058

(to report pot holes, streetlights)

Peak District National Park

Authority (PDNPA)

Telephone: 01629 816200

www.peakdistrict.gov.uk

Planning: pam.peakdistrict.gov.uk

Derbyshire Dales District Council

Telephone: 01629 761100

www.derbyshiredales.gov.uk

Your District Councillors:

Jean Monks 01433 650300

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Parish Council Meeting Dates

Next meetings: 22 October, 26

November, 28 January, all at 7.30pm

in Sampson Room, Memorial Hall.

Mobile Library

Thursdays, 10am-1pm, 2-5.30pm

Oddfellows Road Car Park

Member of Parliament

Patrick McLoughlin 020 7219 3511

patrick.mcloughlin.mp@parliament.uk

Police & Neighbourhood Watch

Derbyshire Police Call Centre

Telephone: 101

bakewell.neighbourhoods@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk

YOUR PARISH COUNCILLORS

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OUTSEATS PARISH COUNCIL



NEWSLETTER - SUMMER 2012

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Long Causeway

The Council are very happy to report that Peak District National Park Authority's (PDNPA) Audit, Resources & Performance Committee decided unanimously to recommend that a permanent Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) be put in place for Long Causeway. However, the fight is not over yet! The next stage is a public consultation on the TRO, which started on 20 Sept and will end on 2 Nov. PDNPA have asked for all public comments to be sent to the following email address: long.causeway@peakdistrict.gov.uk. It is important that as many villagers as possible take part in this consultation to make sure that the views of local people are heard (if only by sending a short email saying they support the TRO as a local resident). It is known that some motoring organisations are planning to lobby hard against the TRO.

The Council would like to thank everyone who has helped so far in the fight to protect Long Causeway and to prevent further destruction to this ancient and much loved route.

A further development regarding Long Causeway is that engineers from Derbyshire County Council (DCC) have investigated the revetment wall that supports part of Long Causeway. This had been showing a worrying bulge and had been of concern for some time - we had written letters about this. The decision of the engineers is that the track is unsafe for 4x4s and so they have closed Long Causeway to such vehicles until satisfactory repairs can be made. However, this is only a temporary closure, so the permanent TRO under consideration by PDNPA at the moment remains the only long term solution to saving Long Causeway.

Callow Bank

The Council would like to thank Councillor Chris Cartledge of Hathersage Parish Council and everyone else for their efforts to persuade DCC to change their plans to make repairs to the track at Callow Bank, so that it is suitable for motorised vehicles. There now seems to be a strong case, with lots of evidence, that this track should be designated as a bridleway and this is now under review by DCC. We hope that these unnecessary, expensive and inappropriate works can be prevented.

Queen's Diamond Jubilee

The Council would like to thank all the people who helped in so many ways to make the celebrations of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee such a success. Without each of your contributions, it really wouldn't have happened. So thank you very much to each of you.

Planning

Since the last newsletter, Council have received notifications from PDNPA of planning applications for Thorpe Farm (2 applications), an agricultural building to be built on some land off Hurstclough Lane, major redevelopments at Cow Close Farm, and domestic applications at 7 Cliffe Lane and Tarn Hows, Cannonfields. All were recommended for approval, except Cow Close Farm.

Finances

Since the last newsletter, the Council's principal expenditure, other than the Clerk's salary and office expenses, have been annual subscription payments to various bodies totalling £258, an insurance

premium for £310, audit costs of £219 and training costs of £20.

The Council are pleased to report that the costs of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Celebrations were virtually identical to the donations and grants received. We would like to thank everyone who kindly donated towards this event.

Joint Committees with Hathersage Parish Council

It has been agreed with HPC that two new committees will be set up. One will be the "Village Amenities Group", where areas of joint expenditure, other than those covered by the Recreation Committee, will be discussed (e.g. the village caretaker and the village centre). This committee will have 2 members from Outseats PC and 4 members from Hathersage PC, reflecting that financial contributions to shared amenities are made in the ratio 2:1. The second committee will be a "Combined Councils Working Group" and will have the objective to investigate (and possibly implement) the options for the two parish councils being combined into one. This committee will have 3 members from each council.

Village Allotments

The Council would like to congratulate Hathersage and Outseats Allotments Group for the excellent progress that they have made in setting up the village allotments on Baulk Lane. The Council have agreed to make a contribution towards the costs of fencing in the allotments, which are now much higher than originally anticipated because it was not

possible to divert the footpaths that run across the allotment site. The Council were also very pleased to hear that the application for a Judicial Review regarding whether planning permission was required for the allotments has been refused by Leeds Crown Court.

Requests for a Scooter/Skate Park

A public meeting was held on 8 Sept, which was very well attended by parents and children interested in taking forward the possibility of a skate park in Hathersage. Advice is being sought from PDNPA regarding planning permission. The cost of the park is likely to be at least £85,000. Fund raising has begun and grant funding is also being investigated.

Stepping Stones

The Council would like to thank the PDNPA's Ranger Service in Grindleford for all their help in fixing the stepping stones each time that they have become dislodged over the summer. The stones are large and heavy and it requires specialist equipment to move them back into place, so we are very grateful for their assistance and expertise.

Village Website

The Village Website can be accessed at www.hathersage-outseats.org.uk. As well as offering information on the village and services available, the website also has agendas, minutes and other notices posted by the Council. The Council are currently trying to improve the "What's On" section of the website - if you would like to advertise an event, please contact the email address overleaf.

Heart for Hathersage

The planning application for the Heart for Hathersage (village centre) project has been submitted to PDNPA. This has been widely consulted on already but details of the application should shortly appear on the PDNPA planning portal (pam.peakdistrict.gov.uk), giving residents a further opportunity to comment if they wish.

Swimming Pool

The Recreation Committee is reviewing the 2012 season and, while the weather affected the takings and attendances have been down, an active fund raising group worked hard through the season, arranging some successful fund raising events, including a series of well supported late-night swimming sessions. The Recreation Committee is very grateful to residents who have organised and participated in these events.

It is hoped that further late-night swims can be arranged next season. Support is also being sought for cold water swimming in the winter (yes, there are definitely enthusiasts for this!) and if you would be interested in taking part in such a swim on Boxing Day, please register your support at: coldwaterswim@hathersageswimmingpool.co.uk.

A planning application has been submitted to PDNPA for the viewing area next to the pool and the building of a new entrance (Application. No. NP/DDD/0812/0860).

Parish Council Meetings

The dates and locations of the next Parish Council meetings can be found overleaf and are also on the village website. We welcome attendance by all our residents.