

Westham Parish Council Spring Newsletter 2009



WESTHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Welcome to the Spring edition of Westham Parish Council Newsletter.

Committee Meetings at the Amenity Hall, Stone Cross School, Adur Drive 2009, May 11 Annual Parish Meeting, June 8, July 13, Sept 14, Oct 12, Nov 9, Dec 14
Full Council Meetings 2009

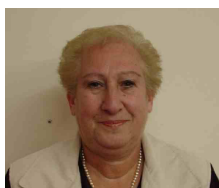
April 20*, May 18# AGM, June 15#, July 20*. Sept 21*. Oct 19#. Nov 16 *
#At Stone Cross School
*At Westham Village Hall
All meetings start at 7.30pm

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Barbara Molog
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How has the Parish spent your money from April to September 2008 - an example

Street Lighting	£ 6691.29
S137 (Grants)	£ 5436.00
Subs and insurance	£ 5439.58
Wages and audit	£ 10914.06
Rates & overheads	£ 14449.24
Outside maintenance	£23945.98
Repairs & renewals	£ 52.28
Vat	£ 7599.08

Total expenditure for the 6 month period was £74437.51 Total expenditure for the whole year 2007-2008 was £109962.61
Based on these figures the recommended precept for 2009-2010 was agreed at £126075.00

Warm Front Grants

If you own your own home or rent it from a private landlord, you may be eligible for a grant under the Warm Front Scheme. For example applicants aged 60 or over in receipt of one or more of the following - Income Support Council, Tax Benefit Housing Benefit, Job Seekers Allowance (income-based) Pension Credit, Income-related Employment & Support Allowance. If you have a query about the Warm Front Scheme, please contact

enquiry@eaga.com
or call freephone 0800 316 2805

News from around the Parish

Butcher's Field (near the famous Pevensey Castle)

This was purchased in 2002 by Westham Parish Council to commemorate the Queen's Golden Jubilee and has recently been used to graze sheep. At the far end of the field there is a commemorative stone to celebrate the life of the late John Vincent. There are benches in the field so that residents can enjoy the views of the Castle.

Over the coming years it is hoped that some work will be undertaken in order to restore the soil so that suitable meadow plants can be reinstated.

COME AND ENJOY THE FUN

After a very successful arts and crafts morning sponsored by the Parish Council another one has been organised for Friday 17 April in the Amenity Hall at Stone Cross Primary School from 10-12. Children between 5 and 16 are invited and entry is **free**. Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult though.

WESTHAM POND

Over the coming months the fencing around Westham Pond will be replaced

HAVE YOU EVER VISITED ADUR PARK (off Friday St) the Parish recreation ground currently used by Pevensey and Westham Football Club - any other ideas for its further use please let us know.

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