

## **COUNCIL BUSINESS**

As Government guidance changes in the light of the coronavirus pandemic, the Council has been responding in the way that it provides services in the community.

### **Meetings**

Meetings of the Council resumed with effect from 13<sup>th</sup> July and notice of the meetings to be held will be posted on the Council's website. Meetings are being held face-to-face as the Council is satisfied that all reasonable precautions are being taken to comply with Government guidance.

### **Council Business**

The Clerk is working from home and can be contacted as usual by e-mailing [clerk@warboysparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:clerk@warboysparishcouncil.co.uk) or by writing to 2 Blenheim Close, Warboys, PE28 2XF (telephone 01487 823562).

### **Parish Centre**

The Parish Centre has re-opened with additional hire conditions and a risk assessment for its use in the current situation. The smaller room will not be available and hirings are restricted to the larger main hall with a temporary capacity of 20 persons to comply with Government guidance.

### **Playgrounds**

The playgrounds at Adams Lyons, Jubilee Park and Orchard Close re-opened on 4<sup>th</sup> July in line with Government guidance. The Council is unable to physically restrict access and concluded that it was preferable to re-open with guidance to users rather than having unregulated use. The guidance is referred to elsewhere on the website.

### **Tennis Court**

The Council has decided regrettably not to re-open the tennis court for safety reasons. The court surface has been deteriorating for some time and there is a danger that players could slip and hurt themselves.

### **Litter Bins**

To help minimise the risk of infection from coronavirus when out in the village, please do not drop litter. If you can, please take your litter home with you and avoid using the litter bins around the village as much as possible.

### **Grass Cutting**

The verge in the High Street is currently being cut by a member of the public who has volunteered to help while he is at home during the pandemic. The Council is extremely grateful to him for his help and support.