

WESTON ON THE GREEN PARISH COUNCIL

Parish Clerk Update – 3rd May 2023 Parish Council Meeting

1. Standing Orders and Direct Debits Paid by Parish Council: Transactions up to 19th April 2023

Payment Date	Payee	Amount Paid	Purpose
28/03/23	Clerk – J Mullane	-	Clerks Pay – March 2023
13/04/23	Nest Pensions	-	Clerk pension contribution - March 2023

2. Confirmation on Payments Received by Parish Council up to 19th April 2023:

Payment Date	Payer	Amount Received	Purpose
20/03/23	Driver & Vehicle Licensing Agency	£198.75	Cheque received for refund of road tax for community vehicle when SORN declared
14/04/23	Cherwell District Council	£11,865.74	Council precept payment – first instalment
17/04/23	Oxfordshire County Council	£2,206.82	Grant contribution for verge grass cutting

3. Parish Council Bank Account Information

The balance on the Parish Council two bank accounts on 19th April 2023 were:

- Community xxx114: £27,564.61
- Business Premium xxx629: £39,207.16

4. Asset of Community Value – Ben Jonson Inn

Following the approval at the Extraordinary Parish Council meeting held on 21st April 2023 the application to register the Ben Jonson Inn as an asset of community value has been submitted to Cherwell District Council. Cherwell District Council have eight weeks to process the application and either accept or reject the nomination.

5. Oxfordshire County Council Highways Update on Works

- Village potholes and drains: continuing to monitor and report potholes and drains. Record numbers of defects are being reported across the county.
- Mill Lane and Knowle Lane: queried again over resurfacing but no update as the Dragon Patcher has been drafted in to fix potholes/defects.
- Westlands Avenue footpath: Highways Inspector will look again at missing kerb stones repair but it may take some time as there is very little budget for minor civils work.
- Manhole cover to rear of North Lane: fixed

6. Coronation Parade Road Closure – 7th May 2023

Cherwell District Council have approved the road closure for the Coronation parade on 7th May 2023 from 12.30pm-2.30pm . This will affect Church Lane between its junctions with Mill Lane and Gallosbrook Way. Official notices are to be displayed to highlight the closure and the Council will provide equipment nearer the time.

7. Administration Information

Parish Council Meeting Dates 2023 – 7th June, 5th July, 2nd August, 6th September, 4th October, 1st November, 6th December

Next Meeting Papers Distribution Date: TBC

Internal Audit End of Year Review: 22nd / 23rd May 2023

Next Village News Content Deadline: Thursday 4th May 2023

Cherwell DC Parish Liaison Meeting – Wednesday 14th June 2023, 6.00pm, Bodicote House, Banbury