

## **HARDEN PARISH COUNCIL**

**The next Monthly Meeting is on  
Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2012 at 7.15pm in Harden Memorial Hall**

### **AGENDA**

You are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of Harden Parish Council  
on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2012 at 7.15pm, in the Memorial Hall, Harden

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST** - to receive disclosure of personal and prejudicial interest from members on matters to be considered at the meeting. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.
- 3. PUBLIC REPRESENTATION** - members of the public are invited to raise any matters of concern for a maximum of 15 minutes.
- 4. TO CONFIRM MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 11<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2012** (previously circulated).
- 5. QUEEN'S JUBILEE: TREE PLANTING PLINTH PLAQUE** – to receive an update on the commemorative oak tree plaque.
- 6. MEMORIAL HALL: REFURBISHMENT** – to ratify a decision taken at the meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> October regarding the joinery work in the meeting room of the Memorial Hall.
- 7. MEMORIAL HALL: FEASIBILITY STUDY MEETING** – to receive update on meeting with BMDC et al.
- 8. REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY** – to consider the final arrangements for Remembrance Sunday on 11<sup>th</sup> November.
- 9. CHRISTMAS LIGHTS** – to finalise arrangements for Harden's annual Christmas lights event on 9<sup>th</sup> December, including refreshments.
- 10. BUDGET** – to consider the possibility of spending surplus funds on necessary works in the village (for example, employing a litter picker for 4-6 hours per week.)
- 11. HARDEN POST OFFICE** – to consider the residents' concerns re the proposed downgrading of the local Post Office.
- 12. PAYMENTS FOR APPROVAL** – any items to be noted (to include £325.00 for electrics work to Memorial Hall and £24.10 for Clerk's expenses).
- 13. CORRESPONDENCE** – any items received by the Parish Council for discussion, to include:
  - Emails from BMDC re Midgeham Cliff End Quarry planning application – submission of details;
  - Email from Denholme Town Council re wind turbines across South Pennines;
  - Email from BMDC re consultations re Council Tax Benefit and the Social Fund changes (consultation periods end 30<sup>th</sup> November and 28<sup>th</sup> November respectively).
- 14. PLANNING DECISIONS** – none received.
- 15. PLANNING APPLICATIONS** - to consider the Parish Council's response to the following applications:
  - a) **12/04186/FUL**, Harden Primary School, Long Lane, Harden  
New velux roof light windows
  - b) **12/04183/FUL**, Cuckoo Nest Barn, Harden Road, Harden  
Conversion of an existing derelict barn to form new dwelling
  - c) **12/03988/FUL**, 1 Meadow Close, Harden  
Addition of pitched roof to existing garage and construction of extension to rear
  - d) **12/04421/HOU**, Springbank, 2 Cockcroft Fold, Harden Road, Harden  
Construction of first floor extension

**THIS IS A PUBLIC MEETING – EVERYONE WELCOME**