STALMINE-WITH-STAYNALL PARISH COUNCIL

8 December 2020

CLERK'S REPORT

Road closure

Temporary road closure on Union Lane, Out Rawcliffe, from 0900 on 26 October until 1700 on 13 December or until completion.

Tree work

Regular walk-throughs of the wood have taken place to monitor the suitability of the ground. Drier weather is forecast, therefore it is hoped that some work will be possible prior to Christmas.

Woodland management

Four companies have been approached to provide a quotation for producing a woodland management plan. Discussions have taken place with the two companies that have responded so far and they have indicated that they will work up a cost. The difficulty appears to be the small size of the wood and the financial viability to the company of completing the work. (see agenda)

Planters and beds

These have now been planted with winter flowering pansies.

Complaint

The council received a complaint regarding comments made at the November planning committee of Wyre Council in respect of a local planning application. As the council had not commented on this application and had not sent a representative to the committee meeting there was no case to answer. The member of the public was informed of the facts and advised that planning decisions are made by Wyre Council and any complaints regarding the processing of an application/comments made by committee members/councillors should be referred to Wyre Council.

Free parking in Wyre this Christmas

To support local businesses following the end of national lockdown on 2 December, Wyre Council will be offering up to 4 hours' free parking per day on pay and display car parks on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays throughout December in the run-up to Christmas.

On these days, users may park free for a maximum of four hours per day (two hours on Rough Lea Road in Cleveleys) and no ticket is required. Free parking is limited to one visit per day, per user. Anyone returning to a car park on the same day or wishing to park in excess of the free time limit will be required to purchase a ticket to cover the additional time of parking.

This offer will be available up to and including Christmas Eve on the following car parks:

Up to 4 hours' maximum free parking per day:

Fleetwood - Custom House Lane
Cleveleys - Derby Road East

Derby Road WestNorth Promenade

Jubilee Gardens

Poulton - Wheatsheaf Way

Garstang - High Street

Up to 2 hours' maximum free parking per day (3 hours' for Blue Badge holders in disabled bays only):

· Cleveleys - Rough Lea Road

Please note, Albert Street car park in Fleetwood is currently not in use as a pay and display car park as it is being used as a COVID-19 testing site for appointments.