



## **Lancing Parish Council**

*Working in partnership  
with the local  
community to make  
Lancing a great place to  
live, work, visit and enjoy.*

**Summer 2019**

## **Message from the Chair of the Council**

Summer will be a busy time for Lancing Parish Council and all organisations working with Lancing's young people. Between us all, the summer will be packed with lots of different activities to keep everyone happy and occupied. There will also be several events on Beach Green for the whole family. Take a look at the Village Calendar on our website to discover what there is for you. The Funfair will be back at Monks Rec. after so much positive feedback last year. It's good to have things going on in the centre of our village too. The Village Market is there on the third Saturday of each month; this includes the Parish Council and Youth Council Surgery. Come along and discuss your issues, or just come and say "Hello". We are always pleased to see you. So now we just have to hope that the weather this year will be as good as it was last year. Have a very happy time and if you'd like to help with any activities, just contact the Parish Council Office to let them know.

**Councillor Gloria Eveleigh**

### **Lancing Parish Youth Council (LPYC)**

LPYC has created a Community Garden and Allotment at the Parish Hall through a grant from the Parish Council.

The Youth Council offers young people between the ages of 13 and 19 a platform to voice their opinions on local issues – contact the Parish Council Office if you're interested.

## **Parish Council Annual Report**

The Parish Council's 2018-19 Annual Report is available on the website & in hard copy from the Parish Council Office.

## **Monks Rec. Improvement Project**

The final design for the new building has now been drawn up - let us know your thoughts.



Some new trees are also due to be planted around the edges of the site.

## **Keep Lancing Safe**

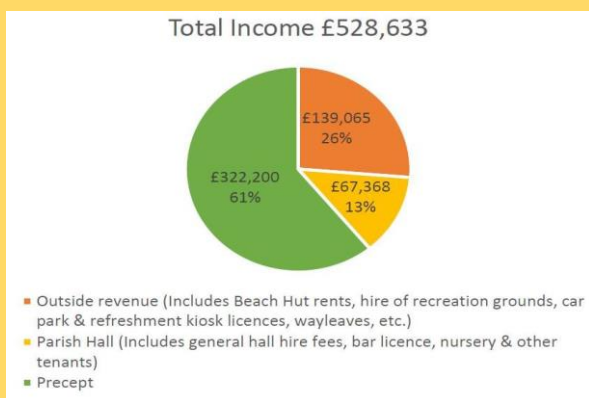
We continue to work with other agencies, including the police, to eliminate anti-social behaviour in Lancing.

## **The Great British Spring Clean**

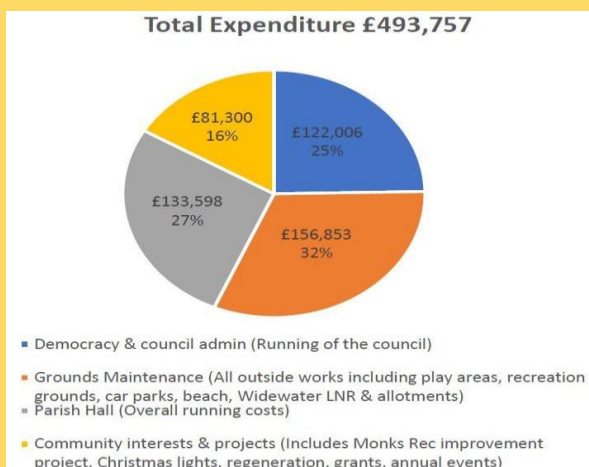
Supported by Lancing Parish Council, Keep Lancing Lovely participated in Keep Britain Tidy's Great British Spring Clean on 31 March. Displays and sound advice on recycling was provided by WSCC's Waste Prevention Team. Blue Dawg Entertainments supplied the music and the Parish Council handed out reusable aluminium bottles, which were well received.

## Lancing Parish Precept

The primary source of income for most parish councils to run their services comes from the Precept, a local tax collected by the District Council on behalf of the Parish Council. However, Lancing Parish Council is able to offset the precept by prudently using income received from beach huts, car parks and the Parish Hall. The Precept did not increase for 2018/2019 and equates to £51.68 per household per year or 99p per week.



Any excess income goes into reserves and can be used for future Council projects.



## Grants

Lancing Parish Council awards grants totalling £5000 to support charitable, voluntary and/or non-profit-making organisations in Lancing. Application forms are available from the website or Parish Council Office. Applications must be received by 31 August.

## A new defibrillator at the Parish Hall



A defibrillator has been installed at the Parish Hall, fronting onto South Street. Instructions are shown on the yellow cabinet - dial 999 for the code to open the cabinet. The post code is BN15 8AJ.

## Parish Surgeries

Parish Surgeries offer an ideal opportunity for residents to discuss local issues with Parish Councillors. These are held at the Lancing Village Market from 10:00 am to 12:00 Noon.

## Events

Beach Green Activity Day will be on Friday 9 August – keep a look out for announcements!

Electric Storm Youth, in conjunction with the Parish Council, are holding a Skatejam on Tuesday 13 August 2:00 pm-4:00 pm at Beach Green. Details will be on the ESY's and the Council's Facebook pages soon.

The Community Cinema is held once a month at the Parish Hall with tickets costing £3.50.

# Dates for the Diary

## June

**Mon 3** Cinema: The Theory of Everything

**Sat 15** Parish Garden Competition

**Sat 15** Lancing Village Market, North Road

## July

**Mon 1** Cinema: The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Pie Society

**Sat 20** Lancing Village Market, North Road

## August

**Mon 5** Cinema: Johnny English Strikes Again

**Fri 9** Beach Green Activity Day

**Tue 13** ESY Skatejam, Beach Green

**Sat 17** Lancing Village Market, North Road

**Mon 26** Beach Green Bank Holiday Market

## COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

All meetings are held in the Council Chamber at the Parish Hall on Wednesdays. Lancing Village residents are always welcome to attend.

### Full Council

**24 July – 7:00 pm**

### Amenities & Environment

**3 July – 7:00 pm**

### Finance & General Purposes

**10 July – 7:30 pm**

### Planning

**12 June – 7:00pm**

**26 June – 7:00pm**

**10 July – 7:45pm**

**31 July – 7:00 pm**

**21 Aug – 7:00pm**

### Youth Council

**19 June – 7:00 pm**

**17 July – 7:00 pm**

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