



Colehill Parish Council

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Dear Member

You are summoned to attend a Meeting of **Colehill Parish Council** which will be held at **Colehill Memorial Hall, Cannon Hill Road, Colehill**, on **Tuesday 24 January 2017 at 7.30pm**.

Yours faithfully

Clerk

PUBLIC DISCUSSION PERIOD

Members of the public will have an opportunity to raise questions before the meeting starts.

AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence**
To receive apologies for absence.
2. **Declarations of Interest**
To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests from Members in respect of the following items.
3. **Chairman's Remarks**
4. **Precept 2017/18**
To approve the budget and earmarked reserves for 2017/18 and to set the Precept for the coming financial year.

Finance and General Purposes has recommended a Precept £105,466.50. This is an equivalent Parish Council Tax Levy of £34.50.

Attachments:

- (a) Precept 2017/18 (contents sheet on white paper)
 - (b) Summary (white paper)
 - (c) Receipts and Payments and Estimated Balances (blue paper)
 - (d) Predicted end of year expenditure for 2016/17 and the budget for 2017/18 (yellow paper)
 - (e) Examples of what the Council Tax for a Band D property will be (green paper)
5. **Community Christmas Tree**
To agree to the ordering of the Community Christmas tree for 2017 and to discuss whether the tree will be installed once again at St Michael's Church or at a new location.

6. Reception

The Clerk to advise on the possible venues for the Reception to be held on 17 November 2017 and Members to consider what venue to choose.

7. Hanham Centre, Wimborne – Change of Use

To note that a resident has raised the matter of the Prama Respite Club moving out of the Hanham Centre to Ferndown. She is very concerned that this means there is no longer any provision for respite care in Wimborne. She has contacted her local Wimborne town councillor and he has advised all of the other town councillors, however the resident also wants Colehill councillors to know about her concerns as she believes it will affect Colehill residents too. The town councillor has contacted Dorset County Councillor Jill Haynes, the cabinet member for adult social care, and she has explained that it was necessary to move the club as part of DCC's continued requirement to deal with budget shortfalls. (Articles and letters from the Stour and Avon Magazine attached).

8. Councillor Vacancy

To note that a vacancy has arisen in the Colehill East Ward. Applicants will be invited to attend an informal interview on 7 February, before Highways and Plans committee. To decide which two Members will join the Chairman in asking the questions.

9. Royal Garden Party

DAPTC has been allocated two places for Council Chairmen to attend a Royal Garden Party on Tuesday 16 May 2017. Recognition is of past service so the invitation is for outgoing members, rather than newly selected ones. Nominated Chairmen and guests should not have previously attended a Garden Party.

DAPTC needs nominations by 1 February when lots will be drawn. The successful nominations will be issued direct by the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

To consider whether any Chairmen wish to be entered into DAPTC's draw to attend the Garden Party.

10. Minutes

To confirm the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 6 December (copy herewith on cream paper)

11. Any questions arising from Minutes of 6 December

12. Committee Reports

To receive the report of the following Committees:

Highways & Plans Committee	13 December (copy herewith on green paper)
Finance & General Purposes Committee	13 December (copy herewith on pink paper)
Highways & Plans Committee	10 January (copy herewith on green paper)
Finance & General Purposes Committee	10 January (copy herewith on pink paper)

13. Reports

To receive reports from: Wimborne Cemetery Joint Management Committee and Colehill Memorial Hall Management Committee (copy herewith on white paper).

14. Councillor Training

The Clerk to advise on any training courses that are available.

15. Accounts for Payment

To approve the accounts list.

16. Items for Information and Matters for Forthcoming Agenda.