



Colehill Parish Council

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16th May 2024

Dear Member,

You are summoned to attend a Meeting of **Colehill Parish Council** which will be held at **Colehill Village Hall, Cannon Hill Road, Colehill** on **22nd May 2024** at **7.15pm**.

Yours faithfully

Zoe Caddy

Clerk

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. Public Participation**
Members of the public will have an opportunity to raise questions.
- 4. Minutes**
To confirm the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 15th May 2024 (will be uploaded to the website in advance of the meeting)
- 5. Any questions arising from Minutes of 15th May 2024.**
- 6. Applications for Grants and Donations 2024/25**

The following applications have been received (copy herewith)	Previous Grant(s)	Amount Requested
Colehill Village Hall	2023/24 - £10,000.00 2022/23 - £2,440.80 2021/22 - £0 2020/21 - £7,036.00 2019/20 - £4,000.00 2018/19 - £4,000.00 2017/18 - £6,500.00 2016/17 - £6,500.00	£12,000.00

- 7. Colehill & Wimborne Youth & Community Centre – Appointing Representatives**
To appoint two representatives with a view to them sitting in on the Board meetings and reporting impartially to full Council. This is an **observatory** position within the meetings only.

This re-installation of the notion of reps from Colehill Parish Council in the meetings has not yet been discussed by the Board but is a previous practice which worked very well with full co-operation from previous founding trustees, so the Council's request to re-instate is not anticipated to be declined.
- 8. Colehill & Wimborne Youth & Community Centre – Appointing trustees**
To resolve new trustees for the four year term (as per the Articles) to the Council's charity - Colehill & Wimborne Youth & Community Centre. Careful consideration must be given to recent issues as well as the officer's reports and overall recommendation in the report that was issued with the Annual Council Meeting agenda.
- 9. Co-option of empty seats following uncontested election.**
To note that the unfilled seats (4 in total) following the election on May 2nd this year continue to be advertised with a view to filling by co-option. Details remain on the website and the noticeboards and the vacancies will be added to social media. It should be noted that a Council has 35 days to co-opt from the date of the election. If these vacancies are not filled within the timeframe, Dorset Council may take action to fill the seats, though in practice this is unlikely with a quorate and functioning Council. To also review the Co-option policy here in anticipation of applicants. [Co-option \(colehill.gov.uk\)](http://colehill.gov.uk)
- 10. Planning Applications**
To consider and comment upon the Planning Applications listed on the Council's planning webpage where the commenting period is still open and discussion is requested by any Councillor or by any Colehill resident attending the meeting.
- 11. HRH King Charles Portrait**
To note the arrival of the portrait as provided by HM Government with the Clerk and to resolve where to display this.
- 12. Accounts for Payment**
To approve the accounts list.
- 13. Items for Information and Close of Meeting.**