



February 2017

Parish Council takes on County's grass verges

Braunton Parish Council have for the second year running taken on Devon County Council's urban highway grass cutting service.

In April 2015, due to financial cuts, Devon County Council drastically reduced its grass cutting service changing its policy to only control growth on the highway for the following safety reasons:

- To maintain visibility areas/splays for highway users;
- To provide forward visibility to signs.

The grassed areas to be cut comprise of approximately 32,136 square metres and are situated throughout Braunton, Knowle and Wrafton.

Your Museum Needs You!

The Braunton Museum and Information Centre are currently seeking volunteers to join their band of helpers. If you can offer just 3 hours in a morning or 2 hours in the afternoon please

The Parish Council have secured funding towards maintaining the County's grass verges for 2017/18.



The visual appearance of our village is important to local residents and businesses and ensures that our tourism continues to flourish during the peak season. The Parish Council will continue to maintain the County's grass verges to a good standard and consider ways that it can make the service more sustainable in the future.

call in at the museum or phone 01271 816688 for further information. Open Mon to Fri from 10 am to 3 pm and on a Sat from 10 am to 1 pm.



Car Park Permits

It's that time of year again! Don't forget to renew your car park permit from 1 April 2017. Permits are available to everyone including non residents and businesses.

The price remains the same at £175 for the year. This effectively gives you 313 days parking for less than the cost of 48 days (based on the daily rate of £3.70).

To apply for a permit please visit our website or contact Jane at the Braunton Parish Council Office.

Parking is free on Sundays.

Snow Warden Scheme

The Parish Council has signed up for the Devon County Council Snow Warden Scheme. Under this scheme we are supplied with 5 tons of salt which is stored in a secure location and its distribution is strictly controlled by the Snow Warden and his team of volunteers from Braunton Caen Rotary Club.

This will not have any effect on the existing salt bins which will still be serviced by the county council.

The scheme complements the existing Highway Services and increases the safety of pedestrian movement during periods of extreme winter Weather.

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Meetings Calendar 2017

Full Council Meetings are held in the Council Chamber at the Parish Hall on the second Monday of each month and additional meetings, to primarily consider planning applications, are held on the fourth Monday of each month.

7pm 13 February 2017

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