**March 2020**

# DODDISCOMBSLEIGH PARISH COUNCIL

## Advanced Notice of Road Closure on VE Day

The VE Day Celebrations will take place on Friday, 8 May 2020, between 3pm – 7.30pm. Two sides of the Triangle will be closed to ensure that residents can move safely between the War Memorial and the pub field. The main road through the village – the bus route – will not be closed. Please consider the road closure when you plan your journey on that day. Hopefully, you will be at the Celebrations!

## Sheldon Bridge

The Parish Council received reports of incidents happening at the sharp bend before the bridge over the old railway. Reversing vehicles have slid down from the road at the sharp bend and had to be lifted back. The road has eroded, there is a big drop at the edge and the fence is not effective. The Parish Council reported the problem to Devon Highways. They use police data to decide which project will be supported. If there are accidents reported in an area then there is more chance to get funding for the necessary works. If you had an incident at Sheldon Bridge, please email 101@dc.police.uk or dial 101 and help build the evidence to show the necessity of safety improvements. But first of all, please drive carefully!

## Have You Got a New Neighbour?

If you know about somebody who recently moved to the village, please let the Council know, because the Parish Council would like to welcome the new residents. Please contact the Clerk at doddiscombsleighpc@gmail.com.

## Advanced Notice of Rural Skip

The next Rural Skip will be on 27th June 2020 between 10 am – 4 pm at Victor Brook’s yard, Middle Hills. Details of acceptable and unacceptable items will be on the notice boards and on the website closer to the date.

## Councillor Vacancy

Currently there are two vacancies on the Parish Council. If you are over 18, live within 3 miles of Doddiscombsleigh and interested in working for the community, you can be co-opted for a parish councillor position. Please contact the clerk at doddiscombsleighpc@gmail.com.

## Next Meeting

The Annual Parish Council meeting and the Annual Parish Meeting will be on Thursday, 14 May 2020 at Doddiscombsleigh School.

**Please follow the notice board and the village website in case we have to cancel or postpone any event because of the spread of the coronavirus.**

Parish Clerk: Agnes Miller, 07713 918178. doddiscombsleighpc@gmail.com