

NOTES ON POSTBRIDGE FOR PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MON. DEC. 8TH

Postbridge Village Hall.

The Village Hall has been awarded £6500 to complete the car park and install a bore hole for the hall.

There are potentially 4 new committee members to be interviewed and invited to join the committee if all agreed

Clerk and Val are meeting with Vodafone engineers on Fri. Dec. 12th to survey the feasibility of installing 3G reception boxes to receive mobile phone signals in Postbridge & Bellever

Postbridge Cemetery

There is a vast amount of leaves lying in the cemetery – is there any way these can be collected and removed?

Damaged grave headstone. I have looked carefully at the base of the stone over the grave and the names are Henry Endacott, died 1906, and his wife, Louisa (Lucy) who died in 1914. I have asked around but no-one seems to know anything about this couple although there are some Endacott's in Widecombe but the name is spelt slightly differently. Perhaps we should put something in the Parish Link to see if we get any results. If we go ahead without notify people and raise the cross it might offend people or it might be a chance to get a donation towards repairing the grave.

Village Activity.

We are receiving sand and bags to fill and they will be available to Postbridge residents in the case of flooding etc.

Residents have complained that the drains under the road, especially by the Post Office and neighbouring houses have not been cleaned out for 2 years and are contributing to the flooding problems. It used to be done regularly by West Devon with a special vehicle which sucked out the mud and leaves.

This could be the same thing that has occurred further up towards the Church where the ditches are blocked and the pipes under the road are not letting the water through – this has been reported to West Devon several times.

Regards, Val.