Dartmoor Forest Parish Council



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SUPPLEMENT TO

Short Councillor Notes for the Parish Council Meeting at 1930 on 9 September 2014 in Princetown Community Centre.

5. Repairs, Maintenance & Highways

Traffic order for the Tour of Britain has been issued.

10. Reports from other meetings

Southern Links 18 September. There are now two TAP fund applications:

- a. Vehicle Activated Signs for Chillaton and Lifton. DFPC may wish to support this application.
- b. Further money for the Ward and Chowen Digital Archive. DFPC (and many others) opposed the initial application for £10,000 last year. Subsequently, this project was awarded £3001 which was the unspent money in the TAP fund at the end of the financial year. They have raised a further £1400 in grants and applied for a further £700. They are now seeking an additional £3309 from the TAP fund (see file uploaded to correspondence page). DFPC will wish to consider its position.

11. Progress reports on previous actions, not on the Agenda

Training. Current planned training is shown in the table below. The Clerk will be unable to attend the training session on 17 Sep 14 on Finance. This space is available for any Councillor who wishes to keep up to date with the latest advice and guidance.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	Event	<u>Provider</u>	<u>Attendees</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Status</u>
19/03/14	-	Certificate in Local Council Administration	SLCC	Nigel Tigwell	Distance Learning	Ongoing
17/09/14	1900-2100	Finance for Local Councils	Southern Link	Nigel Tigwell	Tavyside	Planned
22/10/14	1900-2100	Management of parks, open spaces, sports pitches, children's play parks plus halls.	Southern Link	Cliff Palmer Emma Derham Nigel Tigwell	Tavyside	Planned
12/11/14	0930-1600	Cemetery Management	Southern Link	Val Greatrex Nigel Tigwell	Tavyside	Planned

13. Correspondence

Correspondence has been uploaded to the website. New correspondence is:

Invitation to the West Devon Mayor's Civic Service to be followed by afternoon tea at Fairplace Church, Okehampton; 1500 19 Oct 14. Councillors who wish to attend may book via the Clerk.

LOCAL libraries can provide access to different services otherwise missing in rural areas, says a report.

RURAL communities and business owners are being urged to ensure they secure a share of a new European funding pot.