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**THE NEXT MEETING OF THE COUNCIL IS ON THURSDAY
20th JUNE 7.00 p.m. IN WOODLAND VILLAGE HALL
ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.**



Kirkby Ireleth Parish Council

CHAIRMAN: Mr. M. A. McPherson, 1, Combe Crescent, Tel: 889 382

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The Highways Department are in the process of the detailed planning of the proposed route. No specific details are available as yet but the officers involved have stated that the many concerns raised by members of the public will be taken into consideration.

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT

No further information is available regarding the proposed development by the school but the land adjacent to Beckside Rooms, Beckside, scheduled for three new houses, is being sold by Holker Estates with planning permission.

LAKE DISTRICT NATIONAL PARK

The proposed Public Meeting to be held at the Community Centre on Wednesday 12th June has been postponed until early September.

KIRKBY MOOR WINDFARM

Unfortunately, the decision regarding the Public Inquiry into the Kirkby Moor Wind Farm time extension has been delayed. The weather conditions at the time of the inquiry meant it was not possible for the Inspector to obtain long distance views from high vantage points in the Lake District drawn to his attention by the parties, and so it has been his intention to return to the area to complete the visits. He announced this at the close of the Inquiry. He attempted this on 16 April and spent much of 24 April in the area before rain obscured his views. He will therefore need to return to the area but this must fit in with his current commitments. While he had intended that his return visits would have been completed so that his decision could be issued by 21 May this has not been possible. Therefore, the planning Inspectorate says the decision date is to be confirmed and will

update the programme with the decision date as soon as the Inspector has completed his visits.

OTHER MATTERS

- At the Annual Meeting of the Council Councillor McPherson was elected Chairman and Councillor Jackson the Vice Chairman.
- Gerry Scott has been co-opted on to the Council representing the Low Quarter Ward
- Following the recent District Council elections Ian Wharton has replaced Matt Brereton as the Parish's representative on SLDC. Mr. Wharton lives in Penny Bridge. The Parish's other two Councillors live in Coniston.
- Mr. Archie Workman the Parish Lengthsman is to start work in the Parish at the beginning of June.
- A suggestion that Angerton be included within the Parish is not to be taken forward.
- A number of thefts have been recorded from vehicles parked in the Soutergate Car Park.
- Signs warning of the dangers that may occur on the estuary are being placed on the access gates across the railway line.
- The footpath through Beckfields has been officially diverted away from the eroding banks of the beck. It is hoped that the fence following the path will be adjusted accordingly.
- Cllr. Grieve has been elected to serve as a trustee of the Kirkby Charities.
- A litter bin is now in place at the lay-by near Muirlands.

CGP PARISH COUNCIL TRUST FUND

For application forms for grants to Parish organisations or individuals please contact:

Mr. M. McPherson, 1, Combe Crescent Tel: 889 382
or see the Kirkby web site <http://kirkby-in-furness.org/>

Please note only applications on official forms will be considered. These can be downloaded from the website or obtained from Mr. McPherson.



My first council tax bill of the year has come through and I know I'm not going to be able to afford it with so many other important bills to pay, let alone food. What should I do?

Council tax arrears are a "priority debt", which means you need to pay them before other non-priority loans like credit cards. 14 days after you've missed a council tax payment your council can take you to court and request you pay your entire year's bill at once. If you don't pay, you'll owe court costs and possibly bailiff fees as well as your debt, which can add hundreds of pounds to your bill.

It's important to speak to someone in the council tax office about your situation immediately. You'll probably be asked to commit to paying a regular amount each month. If you're on a low income, you might be able to get a reduction on your council tax bill. You may also qualify for your council's Hardship Scheme. For more help, use the [Citizens Advice budgeting tool](#) or contact your local Citizens Advice.

Free, confidential advice and help is available from South Lakes Citizens Advice on any aspect of debt, consumer problems, benefits, housing, employment or any other problems. We have various outlets across South Lakeland and can also give advice over the phone – telephone 03444 111 444 for an appointment and help, 015394 46464 for debt and on-going enquiries. Please note the opening hours at Windermere have been reduced, but contact details remain the same.

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