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THE NEXT MEETING OF THE COUNCIL IS ON THURSDAY 18th JULY 7.00 p.m. IN THE VILLAGE HALL, BECKSIDE. ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.



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Cumbria County Council are in the process of introducing a 40 mph speed restriction for the road through Grizebeck. The exact details have not as yet been released but it is hoped following the Statutory Regulations process it will be in place by the end of the year. This is good news for all of the residents of the area and has come about due to the insistence of the local community emphasising how dangerous this road can be.

A595 GRIZEBECK

Cumbria County Council are confident that the funding will be made available from the government for the proposed improvement scheme. In the mean time planning is continuing with various ecological studies taken place in the area.

LAKE DISTRICT NATIONAL PARK

Meetings are being held to explain the reasons behind the movement to extend the National Park around the Duddon Estuary and into the Furness and Cartmel Peninsulars. This extended area would take in the whole of the Parish of Kirkby Ireleth. A drop in meeting is to be held on Monday 8th July from 6.30 p.m. until 8.30 p.m. in the Victory Hall, Broughton. If you would like further information about the reasons for this movement please go along to the meeting. There will be displays and personnel there to answer questions. You will also be able to make known your views.

FLOWER PLANTERS

Five new planters have been positioned in various parts of the Parish. Three small ones have been placed by the new British Legion seats at Soutergate, Four Lane Ends and near to Marshside. The two larger ones are by the slate stones between Chapels and Kirkby Hall and approaching Four Lane Ends from Soutergate. Thanks are due to the CGP Trust Fund for their

purchase and Mr. G. Metcalfe for making them. They will be maintained, as are the other planters, by Tythe Barn Nurseries. The funding for this also comes from the Trust.

PARKING

Inconsiderate parking on pavements and in front of driveways is proving a problem in many parts of the Parish. Sandside is one area that is particularly affected due to the proximity of the station. Please help pedestrians be able to walk on the pavements and householders to access their properties by parking with due regard to others.

OTHER MATTERS

- The new bus service is proving successful and may lead to an extension of the service.
- The children from Burlington School made £600.00 from their recently held "Litter Pick".
- A ticket machine has been installed on the station. To travel you now have to purchase a ticket from it before getting on the train. Please be aware that fines are to be imposed for those without tickets.
- Mr. Workman, the Parish Council lengthsman, has started his duties.
- Barking dogs are once more proving to be a nuisance now the dry weather has arrived. Please ensure that your dog is not causing a nuisance to your neighbours especially when you are away from home.

CGP PARISH COUNCIL TRUST FUND

The following grants were awarded at the June meeting:

- a) Kirkby Community Centre £1109.97 for Gala expenses
- b) Kirkby Community Centre £2000.00 towards the costs of new safety fencing, edging around children's play area and the pathway surface to bowling green.
- c) Grizebeck Village Hall £900.00 for the costs of replacing wooden pillars.
- d) Kirkby Cricket Club £1,000.00 towards the cost of a bowling machine.

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.

South Lakes Citizens Advice

About five years ago my father-in-law was the victim of a scam artist who fleeced him out of £5,000. Once he realised, he was devastated and we only got part of the money back. In the last six months he's received numerous calls, letters and texts from what look like other scammers. His memory isn't the best, what can we do?

Unfortunately, falling victim to a scam once can increase exposure to further scams - personal details are sold on to other criminals. Ask your father-in-law's telephone provider if they will block numbers you have identified as suspicious, and register your father-in-law's number with the Telephone Preference Service.

Tell your father-in-law never to reply to a text from an unfamiliar number, as there can be costly hidden charges. Again, ask his mobile phone provider to block the number. If he's already been stung, report it to Phone-pay Plus.

Scammers often send letters impersonating legitimate organisations. Advise your father-in-law not to respond unless he's sure it's genuine. He should contact the organisation directly to check – and don't just ring up the number on the letter, as it could be a bogus call centre. Register his name and address with the Mailing Preference Service.

Doorstep scammers commonly target older and more vulnerable people. Tell your father-in-law not to let anyone in unless he's expecting them, and not to feel embarrassed about turning people away. You can check their credentials and make an appointment if appropriate. Once again, make sure to not just use the contact details they provide.