
PRIDE IN PORTBURY

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First a repeat diary note – the Annual Residents' Meeting will be on the 10th May – at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Annual Residents' Meeting

It has been a busy 3 months again with our main focus within the Council being the production of the Neighbourhood plan for the Parish. We'll be discussing this with you all at the Annual Meeting.

The agenda for the meeting will be

1. Introduction
2. Notice to Convene Meeting
3. Minutes of the Annual Meeting held on 24th March 2015
4. Parish Council Accounts
5. Chairman's Report
 - a. Traffic issues
 - b. Car Parking
 - c. The Neighbourhood Plan
 - d. Housing Development
 - e. The Village Green

Please come along – we need your views to help us develop a plan that all will be happy with.

To read the plan please go to the [Parish Website](#) .

Traffic

Whilst a lot of work has been put into the neighbourhood plan we've not been idle elsewhere. We have now got agreement in principle to a traffic calming scheme for the main village. This will eventually lead to a 20mph zone stretching from each of the main entry points to the residential areas on the High Street, Mill Lane and Caswell Lane. The 30mph restriction signs will move further out to give advanced notice to motorists that they are approaching a lower speed area. The work will now have to go into the "queue" for funding, we are hopeful that with support of our local Councillor, Nigel Ashton, we will get some priority.

That's it for this month – more news after the May meeting.

Mike Phipps - Chairman