ALLITHWAITE AND CARTMEL PARISH COUNCIL

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) AND PARISH MEETING

This year's Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Thursday 9th May at 7.00 pm in Cartmel Village Hall Supper Room.. It will be followed by the Annual General Meeting of the Parish Council.

The Annual Parish Meeting is the occasion for the Parish Council, District and County Councillors to report on the last year and an opportunity for parishioners to ask questions and comment on other activities in the parish. The Annual Parish Council Meeting is the council's AGM at which the chairman and vice chairman are elected.

Parishioners are welcome to attend this meeting, as they are invited to attend all Parish Council Meetings. The minutes of meetings and agendas can be found on the noticeboards in Allithwaite and Cartmel and on the Parish website: www.allithwaiteandcartmel-pc.gov.uk.

NEW COUNCILLOR - ALLITHWAITE AND CARTMEL PC

After a long time trying to co-opt people to the Parish Council, which has had 3 vacancies for over 2 years, it is with pleasure, following the recent council meeting, that we are able to announce that Rachel Gill has been co-opted as councillor to serve on the Allithwaite and Cartmel Parish Council.

Unfortunately, this means we still have 2 vacancies. If you have some spare time and would like to support and help the Parish Council as a councillor, or require further information on the role, then please email our clerk Christine: clerk@allithwaiteandcartmel-pc.gov.uk

HIGHWAYS – HIAMS

The reporting of potholes or other highway problems is via the interactive website: www.allithwaiteandcartmel-pc.gov.uk, scroll to the bottom of the page and under 'Quick Links' click on 'Report a Highway Problem'.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Details of all planning applications can be viewed on the Parish Council website: www.allithwaiteandcartmel-pc.co.uk and the Westmorland and Furness link to the planning applications of the South Lakes: www.westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk/planningapplications.

COCKLES IN ALLITHWAITE - YOUR LOCAL CONVENIENCE STORE AND OFF-LICENCE

Cockles have now opened a convenience store in Allithwaite which is situated on Church Road and corner of Quarry Lane, in the old Lantern shop. The store is filled with an array of recognisable brands, daily newspapers, as well as locally sourced produce, including meat and pies from the multi-award-winning Grange-Over-Sands Butcher, Higginsons and Hazelmere for fresh bread and rolls. The store has an off license.

Opening hours: Sunday 8am – 4pm

Monday to Saturday 7.30am to 7pm.

Why not pop in and give them your support I think you'll be pleasantly surprised.

WILD GOAT FESTIVAL 2024 - HOLKER HALL

The 2024 event will take place across 3 days from Friday 30th May-Sunday 2nd June and will welcome around 1000 people to the site to enjoy a range of activities including a number of runs and rides in the local area.

The event site itself will be contained within the Holker Hall Estate, however we will be heading out on public footpaths and bridleways during some of the runs and rides. Please find a link to all of the routes attached here: https://www.komoot.com/user/wildgoatfestival

CARTMEL FISH SLABS AND PINNACLE

Relocation of the former Pinnacle to the village Primary School and weather permitting, is now planned to take place towards the end of the summer half term. Due to lamination and corrosion of the metal reinforcement within the base it will not be possible for it to be placed on a plinth however it will be set securely and treated against ongoing weathering. In addition to an appropriate stone surround and paving, there will be an information display board and sitting bench alongside.