

Liddington Parish Council

DEFIBRILLATOR TRAINING- WEDNESDAY 18TH MAY 2022

Could you save a Life?

Sudden cardiac arrest can strike anyone,
anytime, anywhere.....



Use of an automated external defibrillator will
increase the chance of surviving cardiac arrest

Come and learn how to use your
local defibrillator



Wednesday
18th May 2022
6pm
Liddington Village Hall

For more info contact: parishclerk@liddington.org

Liddington & Wanborough Parish Council will be holding a joint defibrillator training session for residents in Liddington and Wanborough Parish on Wednesday 18th May 2022 at 6pm in Liddington Village Hall.

PROPOSAL FOR INTRODUCING A 20MPH ZONE IN THE LIDDINGTON

The Parish Council is considering introducing a 20mph zone throughout the village as we have narrow roads and as a way of encouraging motorists to be aware of walkers, cyclists and horse riders. This is expected to include The Street, Bell Lane, Medbourne Lane and any streets leading off these. Some traffic calming structures could also be included but is unlikely to be needed considering they are already narrow streets. In February 2015 there was a serious incident in Medbourne Lane involving cars and 2 horses with riders when the police and ambulance had to attend. Unfortunately, we would not be allowed to include Purley Rd (30mph) in this zone even though the speed of traffic has been monitored to be very excessive in many cases with some speeds well in excess of 70mph and occasionally greater than 100mph registered on the VAS speed sign.

Swindon Borough Council is asking for Parish Council proposals, including evidence that it is supported by the majority of residents, to be submitted by Friday 24th June for their consideration. Please let us

know if you support this or have any concerns as soon as possible. We will also be distributing a questionnaire to assess local opinion.

This will be a topic for discussion at our Parish Council AGM at 18.30 on Wednesday 4th May so please do come along as your views are important.

ALLOTMENTS

We are beginning to get increasing interest in the allotments here at Liddington which is fantastic news. Yearly prices range from £50 for a whole plot, £25 for a half plot or £12.50 for a quarter plot.

There is a water tank on site to obtain water from and we are in the process of adding additional car parking space.

We are very fortunate to have wonderful views here too. We have a community orchard of apple, plum and greengage and have also added to this with more fruit trees this year including pear trees. Plot holders are welcome to harvest from these. If you are interested in giving home grown fruit, veg or flowers a go, even if you want to start off small with a quarter plot, then come and join our welcoming community here. The site is a tranquil and relaxing space and we look forward to increasing our community here.

Please contact parishclerk@liddington.org for further information as to arrange being shown around the site.

GIGABIT FIBRE UPDATE

Ward Cllr Sumner has announced that Phase 1 houses will be completed by May 2022 and Phase 2 by August 2022 if not before.

PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCY

We currently still have a vacancy on the Parish Council. To qualify you will need to have resided or had your principal place of work in the parish, or within 3 miles of it, during the whole of the 12 months prior to co-option. To find out more, please email the Clerk at parishclerk@liddington.org or alternatively, speak to one of our Councillors.

The Parish Council Annual Assembly will be held on Wednesday 4th May 2022 at 6:30pm in the Village Hall, this will then be followed by the Parish Council meeting. Residents are welcome to attend, following current Government guidelines.

Alternatively, if you would like to raise an issue or ask a question, please contact the Clerk, via parishclerk@liddington.org

Laura Evans, Clerk to Liddington Parish Council