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WELCOME TO THE DECEMBER NEWS BULLETIN FROM BRIXTON PARISH COUNCIL

Brixton Parish Council News Bulletin

Welcome to the December news bulletin from Brixton Parish Council (BPC).

BPC would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a very Healthy and Happy New Year and to thank you all for your continued support during the last 12 months.

Neighbourhood Plan

The Referendum on the Neighbourhood Plan for Brixton Neighbourhood Area was held on 15th October 2019. The question asked was 'Do you want South Hams District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Brixton to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area? A resounding 95.18% of parishioners voted YES and on 28th November this plan was adopted at South Hams District Council Executive meeting.

Development Management at South Hams have now been informed and this Plan has become part of South Hams Planning Policy.

BPC would like to take this opportunity to thank all parishioners for voting and to the Neighbourhood Plan Group for all their hard work in bringing this plan to fruition.

Brixton Village Website

Brixton Parish Council, Brixton Community Association and Brixton Feoffee Trust have been working in collaboration to launch a new village website. Further details will be available shortly.

Land at Cofflete Creek

At a recent meeting of BPC, it was agreed to proceed with the purchase of the land at Cofflete Creek, solicitors are now in negotiations with SHDC to purchase the land. Cllr Parish will be looking for volunteers in the new year to progress the project plan.

Climate Change Emergency

The Yealm Climate Emergency and Environment Action Alliance is led by the Parish Councils of Brixton, Holbeton, Newton and Noss, Wembury and Yealmpton; its partners include South Dartmoor Community Energy, Yealm Community Energy, Life on the Yealm, National Trust, Flete Estate, Prof Depledge etc). The aim of the alliance is to positively address the climate emergency by reducing carbon emissions, and to improve the environment and biodiversity in the five parishes.



Cllr Michael Wills

Vice Chair Brixton Parish Council

Thank you to Cllr Wills (and his wife Jennifer) for the recently striking poppy displays for Remembrance Day, the village looked spectacular. The Green and village lampposts are also looking splendid for the Christmas festivities and this is again down to the dedication of Cllr Wills and Jennifer.

Forthcoming BPC Meetings:

Wednesday 29th January at 7pm

Wednesday 26th February at 7pm

To keep up to date with events in the meantime please visit www.brixtonparishcouncil.org and [LOVEBrixton Devon Facebook page](#).

You can also download the Brixton Parish Council App from the App Store.

COMING SOON – Look out in 2020 for the new Brixton village website



