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APPENDIX 7

Clerk's Report and Assets' Report from 16.03.2025 to 10.04.2025

This report is to provide an update on actions taken and not covered elsewhere on the Agenda within the time period above:

- We are still waiting for an update on our application for a Multi Pay card from Unity bank.
- The master composter session offered by LCC and organised for Tuesday 29th April from 7pm to 8pm at the Village Hall has been advertised on the Noticeboard, through social media and via the Village News. Tickets are bookable through Eventbrite and are free.
- As the new play park equipment will need to be inspected after installation, this year's RoSPA annual inspection has been postponed so that the new equipment and the existing equipment is inspected at the same time. The cost for this year will be £420 plus VAT
- The first grass cutting of Memorial Green, the Village Green and Churchyard 1 was carried out in early April. The daffodils on Memorial Green will not be cut until they have gone over.
- Several priority areas in Churchyard 1 have been tackled. The area close to the wall adjacent to Regent Services garage has been cleared out; the tree by the gate leading onto Melton Road has been felled as it was growing very close to and had already damaged the wall; the gate leading onto Melton Road has been treated and the handrail for the steps repaired and treated; several areas under trees within the Churchyard have also been cleared. A further meeting with the PCC will take place in due course to see what further improvements need to be tackled.
- The application for the development of 9 homes on land at OS 477212 320364 Waltham Road Thorpe Arnold will be considered by the Planning Committee on 10.04.2025 at Parkside, Station Approach, Burton St, Melton Mowbray LE13 1GH commencing at 6:00 pm.
- The PC and many other local stakeholders have been advised that the A607 will be closed from 6:00am on Wednesday 23rd April until 11:59 pm Sunday 22nd June 2025. Unfortunately, this now overlaps for approximately 3 weeks with the extended closure of Melton Spinney Road. Diversion routes for both roads will be in place.
- The Annual Parish Assembly was held on Wednesday 2nd April and the team from the Demand Responsive Transport group (DRT – Foxconnect) attended, along with 3 Councillors, a representative from the PCC and the Village Hall Trustees and 5 members of the public. Leaflets about the FoxConnect service were given to the clerk for local distribution. The minutes of the meeting will be on the website shortly and a summary report will be put up on the Noticeboards.
- Rob Hardingham from LCC has carried out our three yearly tree survey covering the Orchard, Playfield, Memorial Green, the Village Green and Churchyard 1. We are just waiting for the High Street Allotments to be completed. No priority issues have been raised so far.