

LAPWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

CLERK'S REPORT OCTOBER 2023

The Parish Council met on Monday 9th October 2023, the meeting was attended by seven Councillors, Cllr Hales (WDC) and three members of the public.

The Council would like to thank those who have already sent in the locations of stiles on public footpaths around the Parish. We are building up a map of stiles in the area, if you know of any stiles on footpaths near you, please do send the location details into the Clerk – using what3words.com on a smart phone makes it very easy to record an accurate location.

The Council owns eight noticeboards across the Parish, several of which have been in place for many years and are due some care and attention. The Council have agreed a renovation plan for five of our noticeboards; your local board may disappear for a while, but it will eventually return fully restored. The Council's glazed noticeboard outside the village hall is to be replaced.

Warwick District Council is carrying out a review of their polling districts and polling places and is inviting comments from residents regarding the convenience of location and accessibility of your local polling station. You can find out more about the review process and submit comments by visiting www.warwickdc.gov.uk/pollingstations before 20th November 2023.

Warwickshire's Youth Council is calling for 11-18-year-olds living or studying in Warwickshire to step forward and nominate themselves for the forthcoming Youth Council elections. The Youth Council provides young people with a unique chance to advocate for change on issues that them and to actively engage with decision-makers, including MPs and local councillors. This engagement takes various forms, including organising events, leading campaigns, delivering impactful speeches, participating in debates, and more. Participating in the Youth Council provides members with opportunities to develop important life skills, including public speaking, marketing and communications (including social media outreach), project management, teamwork, budgeting and resource allocation, and social skills. For further information on the Warwickshire Youth Council elections and the nomination process, please visit <https://www.childfriendlywarwickshire.co.uk/outcomes/heard/2>

The next meeting of Lapworth Parish Council will take place on Monday 13th November 2023 at 7:30pm.

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