



Pilning & Severn Beach Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 4th July 2022. Pilning Village Hall 7pm

COUNCILLORS: P Tyzack (PT) (Chairman); Sue Binns (SCB); Kevin Weeks (KW); Olga Taylor (CW) M Pruettt (MP) Heather Rickards (HR) Ian Roberts (ISR) Carol Woodhouse (CW) & Nick Davies (ND)

Jonathan Edwardes (Clerk JE) Cllr Robert Griffin (RG) and two members of the public.

DEATHS: The meeting held a silence in remembrance of those who had recently died
Diane Heal of Pilning
Margaret Davies of Pilning
Patricia Claridge of Pilning

1 Apologies for absence

None

2a) Co-option of Casual Vacancy (1x Severn Beach Ward) Applications are still open for the second vacancy. The application form can be downloaded from the Parish Council website. The vacancies are also being published in In View.

SCB has been in touch with a former councillor who is considering taking office again.

2b Declarations of Interest To receive declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 – being any pecuniary interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members' Register of Interests.

None

3 Minutes of the previous Parish Council Meeting

The minutes of the previous Parish Council Meeting held on the 6th June 2022 were unanimously approved as a true record.

Cllr Ian Roberts (ISR) joined the meeting

4 Matters arising

School prizes – PT contacted both schools and they are happy with the arrangements for Waterstones vouchers.

Resolved for Clerk to get the vouchers.

Action JE

Warburton's Pond – The pond now appears clear.

Tree stump - Pilning Village Hall – the tree stump has been ground out.

Severn Beach MUGA Basketball hoop – ND presented a sketch of the proposed framework.

Resolved for quotes to be sought from metal fabricators.

Action ND & JE

Redwick Road condition – Patching work has taken place, no response from South Gloucestershire Council to the previous request.

Resolved for the Clerk to contact South Gloucestershire Council

Action JE

District Cllr Robert Griffin (RG) joined the meeting

Request – Resident asking if a picnic table and benches on the land adjacent to Gorse Cover Road. Clerk has offered to meet with the resident over the summer. Idea first raised last year.

Resolved for the Clerk to contact South Gloucestershire Council

Resolved to be added to the September agenda

Action JE

5 Correspondence

Please see Appendix A

Question over a request for filming was received

6 Accounts for Payment

Please see Appendix B

Additional items for approval

Planit Gardens £166.25

Pilning Village Hall Flood insurance £236.11

ICCM training course for Cemetery Clerk £96.00

Prizes for Scarecrow competition £29.00

New grand total of £11304.29

Expected expenses in August

Elm Tree Garden £1463.99

N Hills £33.33

Google Ireland Ltd £110.40

British Telecom £145.02

Now Pensions £109.09

J Edwardes £1266.25

O McIntosh £44.00

Planit Gardens £166.25

Total £3299.14

Proposed SCB and seconded HR approved unanimously

Action JE

7a Public Participation

None

7b Report from District Councillor

See appendix C

PT wants to liaise with RG regarding McColl's and their future involvement in the parish.

Action PT

RG clarified that the cases of Covid-19 he referred to are in and around Western Approach businesses exacerbated by the flow of people into and out of the complex.

8 AGENDA ITEMS

.1 To decide on the display of painted pebbles

Notes from the 14th June meeting with the Centenary Working Group, Clerk and pebble painting organiser.

Money for the painted pebble display will come from the Hinkley Connection Hamper.

A variety of options will be considered by a Sub-committee of CW (lead), SCB, KW, MP & HR and then to liaise with pebble painting team.

Resolved to let the subgroup take the project forward

.2 To decide on the donation of stone from BAM Nuttal

Still unknown how much stone may be available.

Resolved, If necessary, a meeting will need to be convened to decide on any stone donation between this meeting and the September meeting.

Action PT & JE

.3 To decide on grant to 1st Severn Beach Scouts re Platinum Jubilee

Papers circulated previously.

After much discussion the proposal for a grant was agreed to 1st Severn Beach Scouts of £300 in respect of the Jubilee Beacon event.

Proposed SCB seconded KW agreed unanimously

Action JE

.4 To decide on writing to Network Rail re issues accessing the Severn Tunnel from Green Lane

Papers circulated previously. The issue is that large vehicles are turning round in Gorse Cover Road to approach the turning on Green Lane from the Severn Beach end. This causes traffic to suddenly face a slow moving or stationary juggernaut when it is least expected.

Proposal to ask Network Rail about any risk assessment they have carried out on this manoeuvre and whether a turning triangle could be created on Network Rail's land to avoid this potentially dangerous method of working currently undertaken several times a year from happening in the future.

Resolved for the Clerk to write to Network Rail

Action JE

.5 To decide on a response to Sec of State decision re England Coastal Path

Papers circulated previously. One item not mentioned in the report was the railway foot level crossing at the Chittening end of the sea wall.

Resolution for the Clerk to write to the Sec of State pointing out the omission

Action JE

.6 To decide on a response to land raising issues on 1957 consent land

There are a variety of land raising issues on 1957 consent land.

- Unlawful raising (South of Severn Beach – already being fought against)
- Proposed plot 2§ & 3
- Consented plot 4 – contrary to planning policy

District Cllr Robert Griffin (RG) left the meeting

§ The developer of Plot 2 has applied for a Certificate of Lawfulness. However, Condition 9 of the 1957 consent (that the land should be kept in agricultural use) has not been complied with; meaning that the Certificate of Lawfulness cannot be granted without breaking planning law. ND has spoken with the planning officer and has the impression that the Officer could still go ahead and grant the Certificate anyway.

The Parish Council might find that a Judicial Review would be needed and should be prepared for that eventuality. ND proposed that the barrister who is currently looking at the Orchard Pools issue should be asked to provide a quote, considering the strength of the Parish Council's case. The timescale for a JR can be quite short and consequently the Parish Council might have to be ready to act quickly. If required an extraordinary meeting will need to be convened.

Noted that South Gloucestershire Council does not appear to be working for the best interests of the Parish.

Resolved for PT to get an indicative quote

Action PT

Also see agenda item 15.3 for further information regarding issues with development land.

9. The Neighbourhood Plan

Report from RE, please see appendix E

PT asked the aspirational findings mentioned in the previous months' minutes. RE noted that the aspirational data would naturally come out towards the end of the Neighbourhood Plan process. Once it is in a readable format then it can be shared with the Parish Council.

10 Severn Beach Centenary / Jubilee

PT gave a report please see appendix D

Scarecrow competition winner and runner up will be announced in the next edition of In View.

Action JE & OT

Resolved to request the Clerk to send out an email to all those mentioned on the thank you list.

Action JE

SCB reported that the rock is selling but not as quickly as had been hoped. However, costs have almost been covered. The Severn Vale Festival is still to come on the 9th July. Tea-towels are also still selling in worthwhile numbers.

11 Updates

11.1 Village Halls

11.1.1 Severn Beach Village Hall

CW reported that there was no meeting in June, next meeting will be end of July.

Cancellation of the dongle at Severn Beach Village Hall in exchange for a cheaper hub.

Proposal and agreed unanimously to pay for the hub instead of the dongle.

Action JE

11.1.2 Pilning Village Hall

Minutes circulated previously, SCB was pleased to report that there has been a good deal of progress on several projects.

- PVC soffits and fascias are being cleaned this week
- Village Hall Committee are going to investigate funding new ceiling tiles
- Roof inspection undertaken and shown to be watertight.

11.1.3 To decide on new drainage system for Pilning Village Hall

SCB presented the case for replacing the drainage system at Pilning Village Hall. Ongoing issues with the drainage system are well known. Pilning Village Hall Management Committee have selected a quote from three possible contractors for consideration for funding by the Parish Council.

Vote to accept the quote from Andersons Drainage Solutions as per their estimate of 31st May 2022. Proposed KW and seconded MP agreed unanimously.

Action SCB

11.1.4 Pilning Playing Field

Looking tidy currently, there had been a concern over the grass cutting but that appears to have been dealt with.

SCB has been in contact with the Clerk with a view to getting the grass cut on the Rhine side of the car park. Village Hall Secretary to ask the Lower Severn Drainage to cut the bank as well.

Resolved to ask Tim Dark to strim this back all the way to the hall.

Action JE

11.2.1 Severn Beach Allotments

Report circulated previously, only two plots not being worked
Numbers 22 and 29.

22 Has given up and the Clerk is in the process of getting another tenant.

A general note needs to be made about the height of some trees and keeping the paths clear around plots.

11.2.2 Pilning Allotments

Looking tidy

ASP fencing have been in contact to say they are ready to carry out the work between the allotment and new cemetery. The Clerk to contact the allotment holder to warn that the work will be taking place soon.

11.3.1 Pilning Cemetery

Recently been cut and looking tidy.

Foliage along the rhine fence needs cutting back

Resolved to ask Tim Dark to deal with this and to make it a regular task

Action JE

Concern that some of the tasks identified by the Cemetery Committee have not yet been actioned.

- Headstones that failed the safety check
- Topping up of graves

Items removed from graves at the working party are still by the noticeboard.

Resolved for PT to organise removal

Action PT

11.3.2 Northwick Cemetery

As with Pilning Cemetery there are outstanding jobs that need to be progressed.

Resolved for the Clerk to speak with the Cemetery Clerk to get some of the projects underway at both Pilning and Northwick cemeteries.

Action JE & OM

11.3.3 Northwick Tower update

Nothing to report, see 11.3.4

11.3.4 To decide on a site visit meeting at Northwick Tower

Extraordinary meeting of the Parish Council at the Tower on Monday 11th. Councillors asked for any agenda items by close of play 5th July to allow sufficient time for the notices to be published.

Action ALL

11.4.1 Pilning Station

Pilning station has suffered from no trains running recently due to strike action and engineering work. Enforcement issues are still ongoing on several problems at the site.

- Expansion of the rubbish facility
- Damage to the station fence behind platform 1.

- Livestock now appears to be being kept near the station buildings

OT was pleased to see that the Masterplan document page 12 mentions Pilning station as needing improvement with a new footbridge and an increase in stopping services.

11.4.2 Severn Beach Station

Units are being shut down during the layover at Severn Beach so the problem has been resolved for now.

MP and his family were thanked for cutting back the bramble and hedging on Station Road.

12 Communication

12.1 In View

- Vacancy for the Parish Council
- Report for the Jubilee / Centenary
- Scarecrow competition
- Donation to the scouts
- New fencing at Pilning Cemetery
- Land raising issues
- Pilning Village Hall drainage

13 Reports from external meetings

Town and Parish Forum

SevernNet details circulated previously

Run Fibre details of the rural gigabit offers.

Suez low hum noise may be returning.

Update from Oxford Instruments.

14 Update from Councillors on "Report it" reference numbers.

Over the summer Cllrs are reminded to keep reporting to South Gloucestershire Council "report it"

15 Planning

.1 To report planning decisions

P21/05941/O Land At And Between Avonmouth Docks And The Hallen LPG Terminal Severn Beach South Gloucestershire Construction and operation of a twin pipeline to enable the transfer of liquid gas by pipeline rather than road from the Oil Basin at Avonmouth Docks (Port of Bristol) to the Gas Terminal at Hallen for subsequent storage and distribution. Construction and operation of two marine loading arms and a control kiosk at the Oil Basin in Avonmouth Docks to enable sea-going tankers to be unloaded, and engineering apparatus and pipework at the Avonmouth Gas Terminal, including two additional loading bays for road tankers, and associated infrastructure. Outline planning application with access and landscaping to be determined, all other matters reserved. Application to be read in conjunction with Bristol City Council planning application 21/04816/P.

Approve with conditions

P21/05034/F Unit 6A Dean Farm New Passage Road Pilning South Gloucestershire Erection of agricultural building (retrospective) Approve with Conditions.

P21/05372/RM Plot 4 Land At Western Approach Severn Beach South Gloucestershire BS35 4JX Reserved Matters Application pursuant to condition 1 of planning permission ref. SG4244 (dated 27th November 1957) comprising the layout, design and external appearance of 1 no. commercial building (Use Class B8) including servicing arrangements, vehicle parking, landscaping, attenuation features and associated works. Approve with Conditions

P22/02630/CLE Annexe At Libette Church Road Severn Beach South Gloucestershire BS35 4PW Continued use of annexe as 1 no. independent dwelling (Class C3). Approve Certificate of Lawfulness.

P22/00181/NMA Land Off New Passage Road, and the A403 (Severn Road) South Gloucestershire Non-material amendment to planning permission PT18/2505/R3F to include provision of turning circle, modification of ramps/embankments/ drainage ditches/ fencing and gate amendments and other changes to landscaping. Withdrawn

P21/07613/F Land and Buildings at Libette Church Road Severn Beach South Gloucestershire BS35 4PW Demolition of 1 no. attached shed, 2 no. garages and 1 no. carport. Erection of single storey side and rear extensions with other associated works. Approve with Conditions.

.2 Update on ongoing planning matters inc. enforcements and applications.

Various South Gloucestershire Council planning including Shaft Road meeting coming up.

Cllrs encouraged to get involved with the Parish Council response to the Master Plan.

It is possible over the summer that several important planning applications will come up. PT will liaise with the Clerk regarding responses and attend meetings at South Gloucestershire Council if required.

.3 To decide on professional legal advice – ref Orchard Pools.

PT received a response from Environmental Law Foundation (ELF) to a reply from South Gloucestershire Council Enforcement.

SGC Enforcement realise that there is an application pending to discharge condition 1 of the 1957 permission for approval of layout, design and external appearance of Orchard Pools.

South Gloucestershire Council officer goes on to claim that ELF were made aware of this in January. No consultation was received by the Parish Council regarding the discharge of condition 1. PT has responded to ELF to get more detail.

Following a virtual meeting between South Gloucestershire Council and the owners' agent, SGC are awaiting response on the legal agreement questions they raised regarding this matter. SGC have requested their legal department to instruct counsel to advise on the legal position relating to the various point relating both to the original position and the effect of the legal agreement on it. This is still subject to confirmation. Due to the shortage of legal support SGC apologises that this is taking longer than had been hoped.

Resolved for PT, ND and the Clerk to continue liaising with ELF and to keep councillors updated.

Action PT, ND & JE

16 Date of Next Meeting

The date of the next Parish Council meeting will be on Monday 11th July 2022 at Northwick Tower and the next full meeting 5th September 2022 at Severn Beach School There being no other business the meeting was closed at 21:14.

APPENDIX A – CORRESPONDENCE

Date	Type	Detail	Action
07/06/2022	Email	Footpath at New Passage	Actioned
07/06/2022	Email	Payment for Compton Publishing	JE replied
07/06/2022	Email	Flood information	Circulated
07/06/2022	Email	Village Hall Grants	Noted
07/06/2022	Email	Temporary closure - Marsh Common Road B4055, Pilning	Noted
07/06/2022	Email	Pilning Village Hall charity number 301605	JE Replied
07/06/2022	Email	Parish Council Meeting	JE Replied
07/06/2022	Email	Rail Strikes	Noted
08/06/2022	Email	Pebble Memorial	JE Replied
08/06/2022	Email	Outstanding "Report it" issue SGC-81637-W2L0	Circulated
08/06/2022	Email	Graves	JE Replied
09/06/2022	Email	Link for Regeneration Project meeting	Circulated
09/06/2022	Email	The Care Forums Dialogue Team launches South Gloucestershire Cost of Living Survey	Circulated
09/06/2022	Email	Town and Parish Councils Youth Activities Offer recommissioning engagement event	Circulated
09/06/2022	Email	Marsh Common Rd closure	JE Replied
09/06/2022	Email	Land to the South of Severn Beach	Noted
09/06/2022	Email	Concern about weeds growing along Roy Edwardes Way	JE Replied
09/06/2022	Email	Temporary Road Closures - Easter Compton	Noted
09/06/2022	Email	Circulate Schedule from SGC - Shaft Road Depot	Circulated
09/06/2022	Email	Pilning Village Hall PC usage	JE Replied
10/06/2022	Email	PSD Patching additional sites (Marsh Common Road)	Noted
10/06/2022	Email	IMPORTANT - Smart Cabinets AAC-634 609R/638 607R/977 1192R Notification of change of SWAS/HeartSafe Monitoring	JE Replied
10/06/2022	Email	Hinkley Connection Project - Platinum Jubilee Special 2022	Posted Publicly
10/06/2022	Email	Housing Strategy Pop-Up Meeting SGC Cllrs and TPC	Circulated
10/06/2022	Email	Sevenside Masterplan - public engagement opens Monday 13th June	Circulated
10/06/2022	Email	Email from Website PRoW Maps	JE Replied
11/06/2022	Email	SGC Equality in Green Infrastructure and Nature Recovery	Circulated
12/06/2022	Email	Beacon response	Noted
13/06/2022	Email	Zumba Gold at Avonmouth Community Centre & updated events poster	Noted
13/06/2022	Email	Nitrous Oxide Canisters	JE Replied
13/06/2022	Email	CiLCA Update	Filed

13/06/2022	Email	Severn Beach Communications	Noted
13/06/2022	Email	Filming Request	JE Replied
13/06/2022	Email	GWR Community Fund – 2 weeks left to get bids in	JE Replied
13/06/2022	Email	Suez junction /A403	JE Replied
13/06/2022	Email	ELF Spring/Summer 2022 newsletter	Circulated
14/06/2022	Email	National Rail Contract awarded to GWR	Noted
14/06/2022	Email	Jubilee feedback form for grant application	JE Replied
14/06/2022	Email	Traffic & Speed Counts - Pilning	Filed
14/06/2022	Email	KOMPAN - Camberley roadshow	Forwarded to Village Hall Committee
14/06/2022	Email	FW: Job references to be chased from Severnside CEF	Noted
14/06/2022	Email	Sport England Active Places -PILNING PLAYING FIELDS	Noted
15/07/2022	Email	Plot 8 at Pilning allotments	JE Replied
15/06/2022	Email	Notification of public consultation for the Specialist Provider Framework	Circulated
15/06/2022	Email	Further work by Community Payback	JE Replied
15/06/2022	Email	Call For Sites NPSG	JE Replied
15/06/2022	Email	RMT strikes - impact on rail services	Circulated
15/06/2022	Email	Update on bus services, new Learning Disability Strategy and more	Noted
15/06/2022	Email	Plot 2 response	Noted
15/06/2022	Email	Ref: P22/02510/RM & P22/02500/F - Plot 3 Land at Western Approach	JE Replied
16/06/2022	Email	NALC DEMENTIA SURVEY	JE Replied
16/06/2022	Email	SGC Equality in Green Infrastructure and Nature Recovery	Circulated
17/06/2022	Email	Contact details for Margaret Smith	JE replied
17/06/2022	Email	Information for the Severn Beach centenary car event on Saturday	JE replied
17/06/2022	Email	Rail Strike Reminder	Noted
17/06/2022	Email	Memorial Plaques	JE replied
18/06/2022	Email	Severn beach car event - thank you	JE replied
20/06/2022	Email	Beach Clean	JE replied
20/06/2022	Email	Civility and Respect project newsletter	Noted
20/06/2022	Email	Transfer of sponsorship	JE replied
21/06/2022	Email	M48 Severn Bridge cable inspection works starting Weds + Rail Strike info from GWR	Circulated
21/06/2022	Email	Community Payback Still needed?	JE replied
21/06/2022	Email	barriers and cones	PT replied
21/06/2022	Email	Housing Strategy Pop-Up Meeting 12pm 6/7/22	Circulated
21/06/2022	Email	Electrical Vehicle (EV) Charging Strategy Pop-Up Meeting	Circulated

21/06/2022	Email	Planning Inspectorate ROW/3278139: (Footpath between Prospect Road & Public Footpath ORN 51 at Severn Beach)	Noted
21/06/2022	Email	Question from resident re SGC eNewsletter	JE replied
22/06/2022	Email	Flower show trophies for Pilning & Severn Beach PC	JE replied
22/06/2022	Email	REMINDER; Town and Parish Councils Youth Activities Offer recommissioning engagement event	Circulated
23/06/2022	Website	Cemetery key request	JE replied
23/06/2022	Email	Thank you for your participation in The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Beacons & Associated Activities	Noted
23/06/2022	Email	Thank you for your participation in The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Beacons & Associated Activities	Noted
23/06/2022	Email	Scouts, update	JE replied
23/06/2022	Email	Damage to matting under new swings	JE replied
24/06/2022	Email	Oxford Instruments	PT replied
24/06/2022	Email	Online meeting time and date for Plot 3 discussion	JE replied
24/06/2022	Email	Notification of Secretary of State's decision regarding Aust to Brean Down	Circulated
24/06/2022	Email	Grass cutting timing request	JE replied
24/06/2022	Email	TRAPP'D JUNE 2022 NEWSLETTER	Circulated
25/06/2022	Email	Data logged – AGAR part 3	Noted
25/06/2022	Email	Allotment polytunnel request	Meeting
26/06/2022	Email	220622/SSR14 - Footpath at New Passage Pilning	Noted
27/06/2022	Email	GDPR e-Course	Noted
27/06/2022	Email	Let's do CiLCA! 2022 candidates	JE replied
27/06/2022	Email	New Parish Councillor [EXTERNAL] Nicolas W Davies ROI	Noted
27/06/2022	Email	220622/SSR14 - Footpath at New Passage Pilning	Noted
28/06/2022	Email	SLCC Civility and Respect Project Update - June 2022	Noted
28/06/2022	Email	sites inspection letter for P21/07616/F Existing National Highways Depot	Circulated
28/06/2022	Email	3 Ways to Personalise with Glasdon	Noted
28/06/2022	Email	20220628 Scouts Application Form	Agenda
28/06/2022	Email	GWR Your Community Fund Application	Noted
28/06/2022	Email	Continuing placement - Community payback	JE replied
28/06/2022	Email	Scarecrow Trail Winner	JE replied
28/06/2022	Email	Pilning Playing Field - grass cutting complaint	JE replied
28/06/2022	Email	News from Winterbourne Medieval Barn	Circulated
28/06/2022	Email	Question regarding Wildplace future proposals	JE replied
28/06/2022	Email	2021 Census - Initial Results for South Gloucestershire	Circulated
29/06/2022	Email	Reminder for event CiLCA support package (over £25,000 income)	Noted
29/05/2022	Email	Outstanding "Report it" issue SGC-81637-W2L0	JE Replied

29/07/2022	Email	Enforcement - problems with SGC website	Actioned
29/06/2022	Email	Pilning Playing Field grass length	JE Replied
29/06/2022	Email	Confirmation of your planning enforcement complaint: SGC-110860-Y2J6	Noted
29/06/2022	Email	Notification of public consultation on SEND Information Advice and Support Services	Circulated
29/06/2022	Email	Low Wall at Frances Barr Walk, Severn Beach	JE replied
30/06/2022	Email	Complaint acknowledgement letter for COM/22/0398/OD Cross Hands	Circulated
30/06/2022	Email	South Gloucestershire Online Consultations	Circulated
30/06/2022	Email	Severn Beach Library Dingle	JE replied
30/06/2022	Email	PVH Minutes	Circulated
30/06/2022	Email	Food Waste and Recycling Pop-Up Meeting Invite	Circulated
01/07/2022	Email	SevernNet News - 1st July 2022	Circulated
01/07/2022	Email	Will you join us for Love Parks week 2022?	Noted
01/07/2022	Email	2021 Census - Initial Results for South Gloucestershire	Circulated
01/07/2022	Email	Pilning Flower Show Programme 2022	Noted
01/07/2022	Email	UK-wide fuel protest - impact on rail replacement services	Noted
01/07/2022	Email	COM/21/0302/UNT Cross Hands Pilning	JE replied
01/07/2022	Website	Request for a picnic bench and benches on Gorse Cover Road	JE replied
04/07/2022	Email	Severn Beach book	JE replied
04/07/2022	Email	Neighbourhood Plan Up-date	Noted

APPENDIX B – ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

DATE	PAYEE	DESCRIPTION	NET VAT	VAT	TOTAL
01/06/2022	AJG	Parish Council Insurance	£5,101.82	£-	£5,101.82
06/06/2022	N HILLS	Severn Beach Toilets	£33.33	£-	£33.33
06/06/2022	ELM TREE GARDEN	Grounds Maintenance	£1,219.99	£244.00	£1,463.99
07/06/2022	NOW PENSIONS	Pension Contribution	£109.90	£-	£109.90
10/06/2022	GOOGLE IRELAND LTD	Email and Data storage	£110.40	£-	£110.40
13/06/2022	TOUCH PA SYSTEMS	Centenary Entertainment	£750.00	£-	£750.00
13/06/2022	CRAIG DUNN	Centenary Entertainment	£425.00	£-	£425.00
13/06/2022	BARRINGTON WALSH	Centenary Entertainment	£200.00	£-	£200.00
13/06/2022	P TYZACK	Centenary Expenses	£150.00	£-	£150.00
17/06/2022	BRITISH TELECOM	Telephone & Broadband	£120.85	£24.17	£145.02
28/06/2022	AFORD AWARDS	Flower show trophies	£81.27	£16.25	£97.52
30/06/2022	J EDWARDES	Wages & Office	£1,226.25	£-	£1,226.25
30/06/2022	O MCINTOSH	Wages	£44.00	£-	£44.00
30/06/2022	HMRC	Tax & NI	£158.62	£-	£158.62
05/07/2022	J EDWARDES	Expenses for Cty Payback materials	£50.19	£10.18	£61.08
05/07/2022	SEVERN BEACH ENTERTAINMENTS FUND	External Donation for Bands Centenary / Severn Vale Festival	£400.00	£-	£400.00
05/07/2022	ALCA	Clerk CiLCA Training	£300.00	£-	£300.00
05/07/2022	PLANIT GARDENS	General Maintenance	£166.25	£-	£166.25
05/07/2022	AJG	Pilning Village Hall Flood insurance	£236.11	£-	£236.11
05/07/2022	ICCM	Training for Cemetery Clerk	£80.00	£16.00	£96.00
05/07/2022	CLLR SUE BINNS	Centenary (Scarecrow) Expenses	£24.17	£4.83	£29.00
01/08/2022	ELM TREE GARDEN	Grounds Maintenance AUGUST	£1,219.99	£244.00	£1,463.99
01/08/2022	N HILLS	Severn Beach Toilets AUGUST	£33.33	£-	£33.33
01/08/2022	GOOGLE IRELAND LTD	Email and Data storage AUGUST	£110.40	£-	£110.40
01/08/2022	BRITISH TELECOM	Telephone & Broadband AUGUST	£120.85	£24.17	£145.02
01/08/2022	NOW PENSIONS	Pension Contribution AUGUST	£109.90	£-	£109.90
31/08/2022	J EDWARDES	Wages & Office AUGUST	£1,226.25	£-	£1,226.25
31/08/2022	O MCINTOSH	Wages AUGUST	£44.00	£-	£44.00
31/08/2022	PLANIT GARDENS	General Maintenance AUGUST	£166.25	£-	£166.25
			£14,019.12	£583.60	£14,603.43

\$ From the Neighbourhood Plan Grant

APPENDIX C – REPORT FROM DISTRICT COUNCILLOR

Robert C. Griffin

21, Riverside Park, Severn Beach South Gloucestershire, BS35 4PN

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News for Pilning, Severn Beach, Easter Compton & Hallen. June 2022

Dear Ward Members,

McColls – shop at Severn Beach is now operating but with an intermittent Post Office counter service.

Road maintenance – Throughout the ward work is being carried out.

Legal Sentencing Changes – Judges in the cases of dangerous/careless driving causing death can now increase the penalty to life imprisonment. Also, serious injury/death to minors can result in a similar penalty.

GP shortage – there is a national shortage and our surgeries are also experiencing staffing problems but doing their best.

Hospital Waiting lists – over two years patients can be offered operations at a different area of the country with the NHS paying the expenses involved. 400 patients have elected for this option.

Benefit Recipients - They will receive a cost-of-living payment from the 14th of July of £326 and another in the autumn of £324. The Bank Rate increased to 1.25%.

Electric Cars – the allowance of £1,500 on these new cars has been removed.

G.P help - The signatories on medical sign off notes etc. has been extended to other medical professions. It is proposed that Pharmacists can now refer suspected cancer patients to consultants after tests.

NHS drugs – out of patent drugs can be replaced by generic versions which could save £1.5 billion over three years.

Dame Deborah James – After this brave young lady's Bowel Cancer death 23 million people are reviewing their Health status.

Covid Ba.4 and Ba.5 – 2.3 million are currently suffering with this disease. Please ensure your vaccinations are up to date.

MMR vaccinations – children cover for these diseases has dropped to 40% which is danger level.

Public Houses – The number of these licensed premises has dropped to below 40,000 which is the lowest ever.

National Insurance changes – from the 1st of the month two million workers earning less than £12,570 will no longer pay this insurance. Also, employees earning less than £34,000 will contribute less.

Centenary Celebration – These are still going on as I write this, but sincere congratulations to all who organised these events which really helped to bring the community closer together. We are looking forward to the fete next week and hope the weather is kind. The local events continue in the autumn – flower shows etc. so much to look forward to locally after what has been trying times for everyone.

Yours sincerely,

Robert C. Griffin – District Councillor for Pilning, Severn Beach, Easter Compton & Hallen.

Appendix D - Report on Jubilee & Centenary Celebrations

Report back on summer events 2022

We started with the idea of celebrating first the Jubilee and then the village Centenary. At the outset we were determined that we were not going to run everything ourselves but be the facilitators and coordinators.

We had an extensive list of ideas, many of which we floated with others. We set up the framework of an event each Saturday, leaving others, individuals and groups, to do their thing and add to the programme. The school similarly had a long list of ideas as to what they could do on their day. Inevitably the long lists of ideas depended on people coming forward to take them on.

The Centenary Beacon event attracted around 1000 people, so it was surprising and disappointing that so few people responded with other ideas for the centenary. I am not aware of any street-party having happened, or anything other than those items on the programme. Thank you to Carol for making sure that the afternoon tea party happened on 6th June; and thank you to Mike for the graphics for the posters and flyers. The scarecrow/pirate idea generated sixteen entries in the parish.

The winners were located in in Salthouse Park who had not just made a pirate but a mermaid too and a runner up in Cranmoor Green with a lovely depiction of the Queen.

This was an opportunity to shake us all out of 'stay at home and avoid people' which the pandemic had forced us to adopt, and for this whole effort would bring people together as a community. I think we achieved that to some degree, but a lot will depend on what happens next. I believe that the Parish Councillors' role includes leading the development of community cohesion. Events, activities and clubs are the glue that hold the community together.

The Music in the Park was a great event, spoilt by the high winds which meant that many people didn't stay for long. In total perhaps 500 people attended, though no more than 200 at any one time. The Cars Day was also successful, with 20 classic cars and a bus on parade. This would certainly have been 30-40 vehicles had the weather forecast been better; and then the rain dump happening when it did, sent people to shelter and soaked the band. But a lot of people came out of their houses to watch the cavalcade, so it was good that we took the longer route around the village.

Both events could be repeated, with this year's learning benefiting a future one. But I am not suggesting that us three should be doing the work, we need to look to the next generation to take the lead and make things happen.

The village, the Parish, the Neighbourhood, needs events to bring the community together to generate its identity, so I hope we shall agree to support these events if we can find willing persons to take the ideas forward.

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Appendix E - NP SG Report to Parish Council 4th July 2022

Thanks to Anuran our Vice Chair who stood in last month.

Last SG meeting 14th June

Planning Applications

Now a standing agenda item. Have considered and supplied an objection response to Plot 2 Western Approach.

Survey of Businesses, Organisations and Groups

Work continues on analysis of results and provision of input from this to the draft aims and objectives

Parish Character Assessment and Design Codes Work

The Character Assessments continue but are taking some time to work through as there are only a few of the SG currently doing them. Around 75% complete for Pilning and 25% for Severn Beach. We are still agreeing Aecom's project scope for their Design Code work but have agreed on their proposal of the 6 developed areas they will assess.

Technical Support

Considering a number of packages through Locality SEA – (Strategic Environmental Assessment). HRA – (Habitats Regulation Assessment). EIA – (Environmental Impact Assessment). Danny Dixon would need to propose their requirement but would come later and unlikely given no requirement for Thornbury or Oldbury.

Others more likely and reduce the need to pay for consultants

Site viability

Site options and assessment

(Evidence base and policy development, Master planning, Plan Health Check Review)

Strategic Infrastructure-led Masterplan for Severnside

We had a meeting on 14th June with SGC, Atkins and the PC to receive first consultation on the draft masterplan. Generally, a good document and reflects a lot of our earlier consultation. Preparing a list of corrections and queries. Consultation at SB tomorrow.

Call for Sites

Formal notice for a NP call for sites in July's "In View" on website and on Facebook communities

Visions, Aims & Objectives

Draft NDP with an initial vision and aims and objectives has been prepared. Currently under review by Steering Group members.

Severnvale Festival on 9th July.

We will have a stand and present information to the public

Steering Group Membership

Jonathan has asked to relinquish the Secretary role, which we will try to fill at the next meeting. This further erodes PC participation in the NP.

Next SG meeting 12th July. DD to attend and talk about:

- Quick update on LP and SDS
- Thinking about site assessment
 - Locality involvement
 - Housing and Economic Land Availability Assessment
 - Strategic Flood Risk Assessment and Sequential Test