

Annual Parish Council Meeting

Councillor Michelle Sidebottom and Councillor David Chorlton were unanimously elected as Chair and Vice-Chair respectively at the annual parish council meeting on 2 May 2018. The details of all the council members can be found on the parish council website www.cantleywithbrantonparish.co.uk or on the parish council notice boards. The parish council meets on the first Wednesday of each month other than in August (summer recess) and members of the public are welcome to attend and have the opportunity to raise any matters in the public participation session which takes place at 6.30pm prior to the start of the formal meeting.

Creation of Sianne's Butterfly Trail at Kilham Lane Recreation Ground

Following the decision to create a butterfly trail as a memorial area, a section of the north east corner of the recreation ground adjacent to the perimeter path has been planted to create a special place for remembrance and reflection. A commemorative bench is being purchased and should be delivered very soon. DMBC is arranging to provide a wood carving to mark the start of the trail and it is hoped to include some plaques containing information about the local wildlife.

Keep Branton Tidy Initiative – Saturday 23 June 2018

Following comments from some residents that there has been an increase in litter around the village particularly on Doncaster Road and Whiphill Top Lane it is proposed to organise a litter pick on the above date between 10.00am. and 1.00 pm to improve the appearance of the village. Anyone wishing to take part is asked to meet at the Branton Garden Centre Coffee Shop at 9.30 am. A supply of litter picks and refuse sacks will be provided.

Community Event to Mark the Provision of New Outdoor Equipment and Creation of a Butterfly Trail at Kilham Lane Recreation Ground

In order to celebrate the provision of additional facilities at the recreation ground the parish council will be hosting a special event on **Saturday 7 July 2018 from 11.00 am. to 2.00 pm.** with an official opening at 12.00 noon. More information will be available in the next Arrow publication so please 'save the date'.

Kilham Hall Management Committee – Retirement of Sheila Smith

The parish council would like to say a huge thank you to Sheila for both her work on Kilham Hall's Management Committee since its inception in 2009 but also for her many years campaigning and fundraising with her late husband for a community hall. It is as a result of the efforts of Sheila and other like minded residents that the hall has become such a recognised part of village life. Sheila will continue to help run the very successful Tuesday morning Coffee Club which is enjoyed by all those who attend.

