

# Freckleton Parish Council



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## Newsletter

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May I take this opportunity to wish everyone a very happy new year, albeit a little late. Our first Newsletter has stimulated considerable interest and we are pleased with the response. We will endeavour to circulate more copies, making it easy for everyone to "pick-up" one.

Our new Clerk, Mr. Kenneth Armistead, has now been welcomed and is settling in to his new job.

Councillor Bill Ellicott has commenced work on the Quality Parish Council's project. He has certainly put considerable time and effort into this work and we will keep you up to date with the progress being made.

Should anyone have any comments or queries please refer to the list of Councillors, on the back page, for contact points.

**Mrs S Delany, Chairman**

### **Forthcoming Meetings**

**2<sup>nd</sup> February 2004**

Parish Council meeting In the village hall commencing at 7:00pm

**5<sup>th</sup> February 2004**

Open Spaces meeting. In the Village hall, commencing at 7:00pm

**1<sup>st</sup> March 2004**

Parish Council Meeting in the village hall, commencing at 7:00pm

**5<sup>th</sup> April 2004**

Annual Assembly held in the village hall commencing at 7:00pm

Parishioners are welcome to attend any of these meetings. There is a slot reserved for public participation at the beginning of each meeting.

### **Greenfield Park, Freckleton.**

The Parish Council has contacted the Lancashire County Council and given its support to the residents' petition on road safety. We have asked that this be given top priority for action on highway issues relating to Freckleton. It has also asked the police to investigate all accidents on this road over the previous 5 years and to consider recommending a reduction of speed on this stretch of road from 70 mph down to 50 mph.

### **Parish Plan.**

A meeting of Organisations and the Public was held in the village hall on 22nd November 2003 and a presentation was given on "A Parish Plan for Freckleton". There was overwhelming support received and a Steering committee has been formed to take the Plan forward. Anyone wishing to help and be involved with the Steering Group may do so by contacting the Clerk to the Council.

## **Freckleton in Bloom**

The Freckleton in Bloom committee will shortly be embarking on a new season of planting out in various parts of the village. We would welcome anyone who is willing to volunteer to help out either on the Committee or to assist with the planting out. Please contact either Councillor T Threlfall on 633964 or Christine Gates on 499645

## **New Vicar at Holy Trinity Church**

The Parish Council wish to welcome the Rev Jim Percival as the new Vicar at the Holy Trinity church. We hope he has a long and pleasant stay in the village.

## **Accident in South Africa**

The Parish Council wish to offer their condolences to the families of Christine Rowe and Neil Pike, who recently lost their lives in an accident whilst on holiday in South Africa.

## **Adverts/Bill Boards around the War Memorial**

Recently there have been a number of billboards and advertisements attached to the War Memorial railings. We must remind everyone that only notices approved by the Parish Council will be allowed (e.g. in respect of village events). Any unauthorised notices will be removed immediately.

The list of Councillors and telephone numbers are:-

## **Freckleton East Ward**

Councillor Mrs. S Delany	01772 632349
Councillor Mrs. M.M. Dowling	01772 633488
Councillor Mrs. M Whitehead	01772 686436
Councillor T. Threlfall	01772 633964
Councillor B Ellicott	01772 631559

## **Freckleton West Ward**

Councillor Miss Y Burgess	
Councillor Mrs M.E. Foster	01772 631184
Councillor J.R. Maguire	01772 493060
Councillor T.J. Fiddler	01772 634889
Councillor L. Rigby	01772 634111

## **Co-opted Members**

Councillor M/s D. Morriss	01772 633682
Councillor C. Robb	BT Talk type 1800201772635814

## **Contact point**

The Clerk to the Council is Mr. K. M. Armistead  
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