



Ecclesfield *Parish Council*

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A Message from the Chairman Cllr Ms V M Bowden

It has been an honour and a privilege to serve once again as Chairman. Over the 21 years that I have been on the Parish Council, I am confident that our service to you has become more customer friendly. Your councillors are of course volunteers but manage the business of the Parish Council in a professional way, bringing all their personal skills to their work. Our staff work tirelessly to support us and to act for you in relation to Sheffield City Council and other outside bodies. My chosen charity for this year has been the British Stammering Association.

COMMITTEES OF THE COUNCIL

Finance & Premises Committee & Staffing Sub-Committee

Monthly meetings are held to receive applications for grants from a wide variety of groups within the Parish. Each application is given fair consideration and representatives of groups are invited to meet the committee to support their application. We continue to support Chapelton Baths for the benefit of the local community and urge Parishioners to use and support this facility. The Parish Council has supported initiatives such as the Yorkshire in Bloom event and we hope everyone will enjoy the results of all the hard work undertaken in the villages in the Parish. £40,000 has been allowed for grants in the forthcoming year and applications will, as usual, be considered following compliance with the grant conditions.

Environmental Planning Committee

The planning committee receives, for scrutiny, planning applications from the City Council as of right. We always support our parishioners in their defence of the Green Belt and the environment.

Meetings are held twice a month to examine the many planning applications for the Parish area and to consider their impact on employment and the local environment. Plans may be inspected at the Parish Council offices by appointment between 9 am—12 noon Monday—Friday. Plans can also be viewed on-line by going to www.sheffield.gov.uk and then following the link to Planning Applications on-line. In addition the Parish Council monitors all new licensing applications in the Parish.

**YOUR PARISH COUNCILLORS WORK WITH MANY
LOCAL ORGANISATIONS AND COMMUNITY GROUPS INCLUDING**

North Area Panel	North Area Regeneration Panel
Chapelton Baths CB Ltd	Ann Reresby Trust
High Green Comm. Safety Group	Turies Charity
High Green Community Forum	Ecclesfield & Grenoside Community Safety Group
Federation of Small Businesses	Sheffield Junior Chamber
Sheffield Chamber of Commerce	School Governors
Friends of Chapelton & High Green Parks	Angram Bank TARA
Lunch Clubs	Hallam Group
Burncross Action Group	Yorkshire in Bloom entries
Friends of Charlton Brook	Grenoside Reading Room
Chapelton Community Centre	Village Plans
Friends of Fox Field Spring Wood	Rural Villages Forum
Grenoside Community Centre Assoc.	Service Districts (CYPD)

**PARISH COUNCIL GRANTS
HELPING LOCAL PEOPLE**

This year a sum of £40,000 has been allocated for grants to local groups.

In addition a further £10,000 has also been earmarked for Special Projects for the benefit of areas within the Parish. If you would like to suggest an area in the Parish for an environmental improvement project, please let us have your suggestion in writing for consideration by the Council.

ECCLESFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

BUDGET FOR 2008—2009 AND PRECEPT LEVIED

ADMIN. /PRINTING/STATIONERY ETC.	£ 20,000.00
GRANTS	£ 40,000.00
STAFFING COSTS	£ 70,000.00
PREMISES COSTS	£ 14,000.00
LOAN REPAYMENTS (FIXED AMOUNT)	£ 11,800.00
COURSES/CONFERENCES	£ 1,000.00
CHAIRMAN'S ALLOWANCE	£ 800.00
CONTINGENCIES/BY-ELECTION	£ 5,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS	£ 2,000.00
COMMUNITY LIAISON FUNCTION	£ 15,000.00
SPECIAL PROJECTS	£ 10,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	£189,600.00

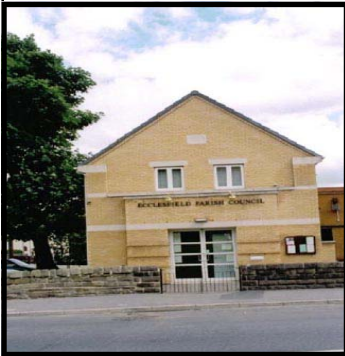
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ESTIMATED BALANCES AT 31st MARCH 2008	£ 46,625.00
INCOME 2008/2009	£ 4,600.00
	£ 51,225.00

AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 2008/2009 £ 138,375.00

PRECEPT TO BE LEVIED £138,375.00

THIS REPRESENTS AN INCREASE OF 2.5% IN THE PRECEPT



COMMUNITY ROOM
Situated to the rear of the
Council offices at High Green.
AVAILABLE FOR HIRE
to local groups – please contact
us for details– Tel 2845095

10 PARISH WALKS LEAFLETS
AVAILABLE FREE FROM THE COUNCIL
OFFICES OR YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY

YOUR LOCAL PARISH COUNCILLORS

BURNCROSS

Mr H. House LD Tel. 245 8307
Mr J. T. Jones LD Tel. 246 9401

GRENOSIDE

Mr A. Hooper LD Tel. 246 3692
Mr D. E. Pepper LD Tel. 246 7859

CHAPELTOWN

Dr J.C. Bowden LD Tel. 246 5317
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Mr C. Taylor LD Tel. 07866 300575

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Mr S. Bower LD Tel. 284 5474
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Ms V.M. Bowden LD Tel. 246 5317
Mr G. Weatherall L Tel. 245 2446

THORNCLIFFE

Mrs K. Granger L Tel. 246 2884
Mrs J.H. Wright L Tel. 245 1852

LD represents Liberal Democrat Party - L represents Labour Party

**ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE
ANNUAL PARISH MEETING
TO BE HELD AT 7.00 p.m.
ON THURSDAY 8th MAY 2008
at the Council Offices,
Mortomley Lane, High Green.
FOLLOWED BY THE
ANNUAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**

COUNCIL MEETINGS 7.30 PM
FIRST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH

ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETINGS 7.00 PM
THIRD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH
AND ALSO AT 6.30 P.M. PRIOR TO EACH COUNCIL MEETING

FINANCE AND PREMISES COMMITTEE MEETINGS 7.00 PM
THIRD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH.
A MEETING OF THE STAFFING SUB-COMMITTEE IS HELD AT 6.30 PM
PRIOR TO THE FINANCE & PREMISES COMMITTEE MEETING

ALL COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.