## NEWBOTTLE PARISH COUNCIL (MARCH 2024)

Myers Close Play Area — Two quotes had been received for new play equipment and a third was expected shortly. Grant funding for the project was also being investigated.

**Traffic Issues on Farthinghoe Road** — A highways officer from West Northants Council will be meeting with the Chairman of the Parish Council regarding a potential parking area on the grass verge on Farthinghoe Road to help alleviate the parking issues at the junction with Myers Way.

Broken Street Lights — If any street lights are not working, please contact the Clerk to the Parish Council with the lamp number/location and this information will be forwarded to Eon. Please bear in mind that the street lighting contract is between the Parish Council and Eon, so if residents contact Eon directly, they may not get a response.

Fly Tipping — If residents are aware of any fly tipping, please report this to West Northamptonshire Council. They will collect the rubbish and also gather evidence, which will then help them prosecute the offenders.



Grass Cutting — The village will be taking part in 'No Mow May' so no verges will be cut during this month. The only exceptions are the Myers Close play area and the Memorial Hall play area.

Annual Parish Meeting — Newbottle and Charlton Annual Parish Meeting is being held on Monday 15 April 2024 at 7.30pm at the Memorial Hall, Charlton. All residents are invited along to hear about the work of the Parish Council and other village organisations, over the last 12 months.

Community Bus Service — A community bus service is running from the village to Brackley, Northampton, Banbury and Towcester. For more information, please call 'Ability' on 01327 604123.

**Highway Issues**— Any issues with the roads and footpaths in the village should be reported to West Northants Council. www.westnorthants.gov.uk

Community Speed Watch Scheme — Newbottle Parish Council would like to start a Community Speed Watch Scheme in the village, but it will need support from volunteers in the community for it to be a success. If you are interested in assisting with the Scheme, please visit the Northants Police web site for more information. www.northants.police.uk/CSW Please email newbottleparishcouncil@yahoo.co.uk to register your interest.

**Green Lane Footpath** — The Parish Council will be arranging for the Green Lane footpath to be cut back to its original width. It has become very narrow and this is making it difficult for pedestrians to use it safely.

**Hazel Haskin** — Condolences from the Parish Council will be sent to the family of Hazel Haskin who sadly passed away recently. Hazel had lived in the village all of her life and was formerly the Clerk to the Parish Council. She will be missed by many people.

Parish Council Meetings at the Memorial Hall, 7.30pm: 20.05.24 & 15.07.24

Agendas and Minutes are available at www.newbottleparishcouncil.co.uk or please contact the Clerk, Theresa Goss, on 01295 710965 during normal office hours

All welcome to attend the Parish Council meetings!