

HOPE MANSELL PARISH COUNCIL

Notes from the meeting of 24th September 2008

Chair: Robert Duberley

Salt Bin at Harechurch:

The newly replaced salt bin has been vandalised again and kicked down the hill. The Council will go about putting it back, and a suggestion was made to fill it 20% full of concrete to prevent a recurrence.

Viewpoint Waste Bin:

A new metal bin has been put up at the viewpoint above Hope Mansell, and it is hoped that this one is less destructible than the last, which was burnt by vandals.

Doorstep Recycling in Hope Mansell and Bailey Lane End:

Lack of vehicles and/or staff is the reason given for our lack of a recycling collection, and the Parish Clerk is trying to book a collection by the 'Parish Freighter' from January.

Churchyard extension/Playing field:

The Parish Council agreed to a site meeting to discuss possible ideas, particularly for an extension of the graveyard. The Church has commented that it does not wish to be involved.

Bailey Lane End Gazebos:

Bailey Lane End requested assistance replacing gazebos that were destroyed by the high winds during the fete; the Parish Council agreed to contribute £160.

Next meeting:

Will be on Wednesday 26th November, 7pm, at Bailey Lane End. Parishioners are welcome to attend, and will have the opportunity to speak.