

# **Addingham Parish Council – Meeting 15/06/2022**

## **Matters Arising – report for information**

- The Clerk has taken advice from a licenced contractor regarding the chemical treatment of the Marestail on the LSH allotment car park area. They have confirmed that the weed should not be sprayed as it is in close proximity to allotment plots where food production takes place.
- The Clerk has discussed with Bradford officers, concerns regarding the mowing of the margins on the Old Station Way Meadow. In late May it was agreed they would cut as follows: Starting at West Croft, mow a 2 meter margin, in an arc shape (following the shape of the footpath) towards the waste bin and then at that point, widen the strip to 5 meters to expose the Southfield Lane junction. There are no changes or amendments to the grass "pathways" that are mown through the centre.
- The Clerk has received confirmation that the Swan Public house and car park has been accepted as an Asset of Community Value and has been included on the register for 5 years.
- The accessible pathway at the top of the carpark in the Memorial Hall has now been installed. A tarmac path to join the existing walkways and keep pedestrians safely away from the car park area was finished in June 2022.
- Audit 2022 – The period of for the exercise of public rights has been confirmed by the Clerk and advertised on the website and on noticeboards in accordance with legislation.
- The contractor awarded the contract for the replacement of the drain in the Silsden Road playing field hopes to start work on 20<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

## **Ongoing Issues:**

- Water escaping from blocked drain/gully on Southfield Road and causing a hazard was reported in December. Clerk chased for an update monthly (latest chase June 2022) but no update is available. Ref CR419651-1004874032
- Water escaping onto the highway on Skipton Road, above Heathness Road and causing a hazard. Excavation has taken place by BMDC in May and 2 leaks have been found in the gully/drain apparatus. During June, Yorkshire Water have replaced a section of damaged pipe which suggests that there was a piped water leak 50 metres down the road from where Bradford repaired the broken drain in May. This leaves the broken drain on the private verge belonging to Peak Rhydding House, below the footpath 50 metres above Well Close to tackle. The hole and road can then, hopefully, be resurfaced following all the damage from the delayed repairs. Ref FLC-1004890895