

CAMBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

District of South Cambridgeshire

COUNCIL MEETING 5th July 2016

GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

FROM	SUBJECT
Theresa Browes – Housing Officer, CHS Homes	Letter Regarding No Ball Games sign at The Paddock
South Cambs District Council	Agenda for Parish council Liaison Meeting
Cambridge Gliding Centre	Information regarding August competitions

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15th June 2016

Dear Sir or Madam

Thank you for your letter regarding the No Ball Games sign outside 3 The Paddock, Cambourne on the Greenhaze Lane play park fence.

The original No Ball Games sign was put up over 4 years ago and has not been an issue until recently. We put the sign up because the elderly, disabled couple who live at 3 The Paddock were terrified by the balls that went over the low fence and hit their property. If they were sitting in their kitchen, as they frequently do, it would be shocking for a ball to suddenly hit the window out of the blue. Since the sign has been up they have felt safe to sit in their kitchen and enjoy the views.

I am aware that the sign was taken down earlier this year and we thought it had been stolen so we put another one back up. It was only after this that we received the letter from the council stating we did not have permission to put the sign up.

Please can we have permission to keep the sign up so that Mr & Mrs Huckle can live peacefully in their home.

Please contact me should you have any queries. You can ring me on 01223 713565 or email me on Theresa.browes@chsgroup.org.uk

Yours Faithfully



Theresa Browes
Housing Officer

AGENDA ITEM No. 17.2

South Cambridgeshire District Council and Parish Councils

Liaison Meeting

6.30pm to 8pm, Wednesday 13 July 2016
Council Chamber, South Cambridgeshire Hall, Cambourne Business Park,
Cambourne, Cambridge, CB23 6EA

(Arrival from 6.15pm)

AGENDA

1. Welcome by Councillor Peter Topping, Leader of the Council
2. Devolution – Cllr Peter Topping
3. Boundary Review – Cllr Peter Topping
4. City Deal – Cllr Francis Burkitt
5. Parish Questions – Open Forum

Programme of meetings:

13 July 2016 – Parish/Cabinet Liaison Meeting

10 October 2016 – Parish Planning Forum

30 December 2016 – Parish/Cabinet Liaison Meeting

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Cambridge Gliding Centre is the premier gliding site for Eastern England and designated as a National 'Significant Area for Sport' by Sport England.

The Centre facilities, which consist of a 100 acre airfield with three runways, a large fleet of gliders, and aerotow and winch launch facilities, are situated at Gransden Lodge Airfield, on the road from Longstowe to Gamlingay.

We regularly host our own annual Regional gliding competition and periodically run one of the British Gliding Association's National gliding competitions.

In 2016 we will be running a local competition, the Cloud Rally, from the 13th to the 21st August. The great majority of pilots will be from our club. Launching during this competition will be by either winch or aerotow and, when the weather is suitable, there may be a brief period each day when there is a small increase in the number of gliders launched by aerotow.

We apologise for any inconvenience caused when we launch gliders by aerotow, but please contact us if you wish to provide feedback to our agreed tow-out procedures.

Cambridge Gliding Centre is a member of the British Gliding Association (BGA), which is the UK regulatory body for gliding, with delegated powers from the Civil Aviation Authority. Our operational procedures are defined by BGA requirements and all our Instructors are trained and regulated in accordance with BGA regulations. Safety is of the greatest importance.

The Centre operates with a highly effective mixture of employed staff and volunteers, with members contributing to the management and day to day running of the Club by acting as instructors, tow plane pilots, winch drivers, and launch point co-ordinators.

From April through September our reception and office are manned by employed staff 7 days a week and we employ professional instructors and winch drivers to provide mid week facilities.

Subject to suitable weather we operate 7 days a week from the beginning of April to the end of September, and for 4/5 days a week from October to the end of March.

The Centre offers trial flights and also training from absolute beginner to international competition level.

For further details, or to provide feedback, please call 01767 677077 or visit our website:

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