

Castle Acre Parish News September 2021

The Parish Council (PC) held its monthly meeting on 8 July, with five members of the public in attendance.

Glass and Paper Recycling banks at The Ostrich

With the agreement of the new licensee at The Ostrich, the PC will be setting up temporary collection boxes at the rear entrance of the Ostrich car park for residents to deposit their recycling into whilst the structural repair work continues.

Waste food bin collection

The Borough Council (BC) confirmed the waste food bin collection recommenced from 19th July 2021, replacement bins can be requested from the BC, although there may be a charge.

Dog fouling in the village

The PC continues to endeavour to ask residents to clean up after their dogs on their routes around the village. Following a recent rise in the number of complaints from residents, the PC has asked for the Borough enforcement team to visit the village who, during patrols, can action fines for those who do not clean up after their dog.

Residents' hedgerow maintenance

Please would all village residents with hedges that meet public pavement or walkways be mindful of ensuring that any overgrowth is not protruding out on to or obscuring access for pavement users.

Residents urged to be alert to courier fraud scam

Residents are being warned about a courier fraud scam operating in Norfolk by suspects claiming to be police officers. In the last few weeks, police have seen a rise in incidents where cold-callers will make efforts to defraud victims of money, often stating they need to withdraw large sums in connection with an investigation. Detective Inspector Richard Weller, from Swaffham CID, urged people to make elderly or vulnerable relatives and neighbours aware of the scam

To view past Council Minutes and finances, go to: www.castleacre.info/parish_news.htm The next PC meeting is at 7.30pm on Thursday 9th September 2021 at CA Village Hall. Libby Firth
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