

Clerk's report to Parish Council – 9th January 2025

1. Fly tipping

Fly tipping' rubbish has now been removed from opposite Church Close. This was ACIS rubbish, which once acknowledged they moved really quickly.

2. Heating the Village Hall

I've had a conversation with Claire Morris this morning about funding of the VH. One important point she did raise was whether the Committee have had an independent Energy Efficiency Assessment (EEA) carried out. There is nothing included in the Application Pack. Claire has suggested, and I'm setting this up, an initial pre-meet with the VH Committee to go through the funding prior to the PC Meeting. If the VHC haven't carried out an EEA, then WLDC do have the details of companies that can carry this out. You may feel that the PC fund this initial Assessment – something to discuss at the PC Meeting. Claire will be attending the PC Meeting to discuss not only the heating, but also the additional play equipment. She's hoping to bring Steve Leary but not sure whether that will be possible?

3. Parish Council Notices

You will probably have noticed that the information regarding Christmas Bus Timetables is now in the Parish Council Noticeboard, and on the website. We've also added the flood information that was distributed around Glenthams last week. I've asked Dave Beer (who manages our website) if he can put up a strip on the website just to wish all Glenthams Residents a Happy Christmas from the PC.

4. Grant Policy

I now have a draft policy that will be circulated with the papers for the next meeting. I'm looking to send those out to you immediately after Christmas.