

# Little Ellingham News



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## Parish Council Meetings

The next meeting of the Council will be on **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2018** beginning at 7.30pm. Parishioners are welcome to attend all Council meetings, where they are allowed to speak, but only during the Open Forum, which is for a short time usually at the start of the meeting. Look out for the agenda displayed during the previous week.

## Notes from the March Meeting

The main topic of discussion was around issues relating to Kerry Foods and also the latest planning application with regard to variations to conditions of its planning permission. It was agreed that the Parish Council would meet with Kerry Foods to discuss things further.

Issues relating to pot holes and flooding in the Parish were also discussed and it was noted that these can be reported to Norfolk County Council.

## What should you do if you discover fly-tipped waste after the tippers have left?

- Do not touch the waste - Fly-tipped waste can be dangerous - it may contain syringes, broken glass, asbestos toxic chemicals or other hazardous substances
- Try to determine what and how much waste there is
- Take note of the exact location and the time you discovered the waste
- Do not disturb the site: there may be evidence that could help identify the culprits and lead to their prosecution
- Write the details down as soon as possible and report it on line. (<https://www.breckland.gov.uk/flytip>) You may be asked to help make a written statement about what you saw.

### Your Councillors are:

Richard Baker (Chairman), Caroline Rebisz (Vice Chair), Ian Baggott,  
Peter Griffiths, Gordon Greenwood

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The editor Melanie Eversfield, email: [little.ellingham@gmail.com](mailto:little.ellingham@gmail.com) welcomes your comments and village news about events, etc. Please submit information for the next issue **no later than 24<sup>th</sup> April 2018**

### Parish Council Website

The website <https://littleellinghampc.wixsite.com/littleellinghampc> contains Minutes, Agendas, past newsletters and financial information regarding the Parish Council. It is regularly updated.

### Dates for your diary

Parish Council Meeting - Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2018 - 7.30pm, Old School Hall

## Dogs in the countryside

- Keep your dog under close control.
- You and your dog should both keep to the line of the path.
- Please clean up after your dog both in the countryside and on pavements. Fouling is illegal – Including in the Churchyard!
- Please keep your dog on a lead when livestock are in fields.



## Bottle Bank in Village Hall Car Park

The Village Hall Committee would like to remind residents that there is a bottle bank in the village hall car park for everybody's use. The Village Hall receives a payment for this, so please support your local village hall by using the bottle bank and help raise much needed funds.

## Little Ellingham Village Hall

Little Ellingham Village Hall is an excellent venue for events, including wedding receptions, parties, committee meetings and club activities.

We believe we have an exceptional facility and would encourage people to view it to discover what Little Ellingham Village Hall has to offer. Photographs are on the Parish Council website.

Bookings can be from individuals or organisations, both on a long-term basis or separate one-off events. For further information about booking, please contact **Malcolm Robertshaw on (01953) 851946**.

## How to report Highway problems

Residents can report problems relating to the Highway online via Norfolk County Council's website at the address below: -

<https://apps.norfolk.gov.uk/HighwaysDefect/>

Things such as pot holes, pavements, trees and verges and flooding can be reported.

## St. Peter's Church Easter Porch Sale & Coffee Morning

The Easter Porch Sale & Coffee Morning will take place at St. Peter's Church on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018 between 10am and 12noon. Plenty of produce to buy including homemade cakes. Tea, Coffee and Hot Cross Buns will also be on sale. There will also be a raffle, tombola and egg painting for the children. All proceeds will be put towards new kitchen facilities for the church.

## Contact details for Kerry Foods Complaints

If parishioners have any complaints with regards to Kerry Foods (noise, smells, HGVs, etc) – here is the contact information for who to make your complaint to:

Breckland Council: Mrs Angela Masterson  
Email: [Angela.Masterson@breckland.gov.uk](mailto:Angela.Masterson@breckland.gov.uk)  
Tel: 01824 765892

Kerry Foods: Mr Tom Connell  
Email: [tom.connell@kerryfoods.co.uk](mailto:tom.connell@kerryfoods.co.uk)  
Tel: 852600

If you believe there to be a breach of planning conditions then please report to Breckland's Planning Enforcement Team online via the link below: -

<https://www.breckland.gov.uk/planningenforcement>

Anyone who completes the online form will be allocated a reference number so that you can track your complaint. Any further evidence or observations can be emailed to the Planning Enforcement Team quoting the reference number that you have been provided with.