Horne Parish Council

YOUR PARISH COUNCIL NEEDS YOU!

- » Are you aged 18 or over?
- » Have you lived or worked in Horne for over a year?
- » Do you want to make a difference to our community?
- » Have you ever considered becoming a parish councillor?

What do parish councils do?

As elected representatives of the community, a council seeks to enhance the Parish for the enjoyment of the community. Currently Horne Parish Council are working on updating facilities at the Newchapel and Lingfield Cricket Club on West Park Road. The Parish Council has responsibilities for assisting maintain various facilities, roads and pathways within the parish and to ensure the safety of the wider community who are using them.

What's the role of a councillor?

We have 7 seats on the council, and members are supported by a Parish Clerk. The council meets on the 3rd Monday of every month in the evening, to consider items of business and make decisions for action.

The council also has two committees (The Cricket Club Project and Human Resources) that meet as required. Councillors are also involved in other ways on a voluntary basis in the in such capacities as attending the quarterly Parish Litter Pick.

Whilst parish councillors are volunteers, they may claim expenses as necessary and full training is available.

Could you be a councillor?

We are seeking an active and committed applicant, who can give a little time to Parish Council activities. Councillors need to commit to a minimum of 2 hours per month to attend the Parish Council Meeting and in addition a few more to assist with new projects around the village. Councillors will ideally also need to be IT literate and have facilities to access emails and documents sent via the internet.

We currently have an energetic and forward-thinking team on our parish council - please consider joining us and making a real difference to your community.

Application details are available online at www.horne-pc.org.uk or from the Clerk.