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From the Parish Council

Speeding

The Clerk confirmed that we have been notified by the Clerk to Wetheringsett Parish Council, that they may be interested in sharing a mobile warning sign. This would be in the form of mobile flashing 'slow down' camera rather than the hand held speed guns. We will pursue the options available and advise you of costings etc.

Planning

The application regarding change of use for the former Water Garden site has been approved despite the Parish Council and several residents' objections. We understood that there was also a problem that involved a Highways objection but that has been resolved..

Village Centre

Following the MSDC site visit with Mike Heyhoe, we have requested a copy of their report so that we may move forward any recommendations. We are still pursuing the few recommendations that would enhance the facility and will revert as soon as possible.

Play Equipment

Our contractor, Alpha Rural Services Ltd, are going to be fitting the new pole for the 'Baby' swing on Saturday the 12th September. They will also reposition the seat that is presently under the trees. The plan is also to cut the Wildflower Meadow at the same time. All this providing the weather is agreeable!

Orwell House

The Kings have notified us of a celebratory get together in their garden on Saturday 12th September between the hours of 4 and 11p.m. They apologise in advance for any noise and appreciate your understanding.

Date of next meeting is the 12th October at 7.30pm in the Village Centre

Dog Mess

The Parish Council has now received a written complaint about dog mess being left behind on Debenham Road between the village and the A140, with some very specific details.

The Parish Council will debate what action to take against the offenders.

St Andrews

Harvest Thanksgiving

Sun 20 Sept, 6pm. Followed by bring-and-share refreshments.

Please contribute produce to decorate the church by Fri 18 (am) please.

Patronal Festival - St Andrews Day

Sun 29 Nov, 6pm. Followed by bring-and-share refreshments

Booking St Andrews

Remember that you can book the church for your own religious or social event. Please contact Mark on 01553 617689 or the office on 01449 711640

The Fete

Mickfield Village Fete

There will be a meeting in the village centre on **Monday 19 October 2015 at 8.00pm** to discuss what precisely we will do for the 2016 Fete, and to start the organisation.

This is your opportunity. If you'd like to volunteer to be the "pin the tail on" subject, or to exhibit your collection of oak leaves through the years, or to organise the three-legged high-jump competition, please come along to the meeting with your ideas and suggestions. Let's make it different.