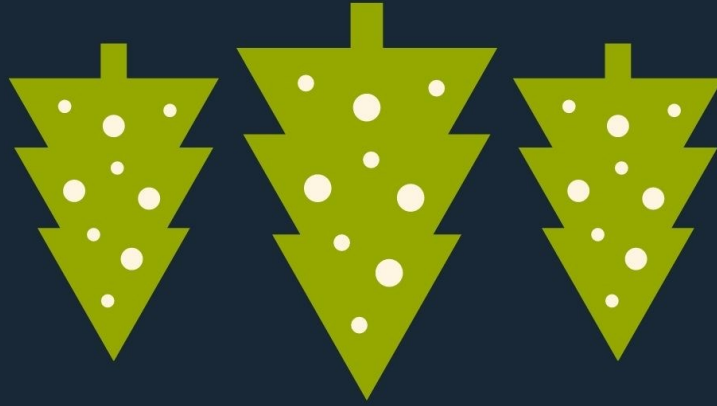


CARLTON LE MOORLAND  
PARISH COUNCIL  
FROM

Seasons Greetings



**PARISH COUNCIL**

The councillors serving on the Parish Council are:-

<b>Chairman: Cllr. Jeremy Hutchinson</b>	
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<b>Vice Chairman: Cllr. Bob Garland</b>	
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<b>Cllr. Fred Jacques</b>	
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<b>Cllr. Diane Cook</b>	
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**More Improvements at the Hall**

We are pleased to tell you that we have some unexpected Lottery money to spend on the Hall. We have already purchased outdoor furniture and indoor carpet bowls equipment. We have ordered blackout blinds and made heating control improvements. Now we are exploring building a store behind the hall, installing a retractable canopy and enlarging the rear patio. Fingers crossed we will be successful.

**VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK**

We would remind all residents that the Village Hall car park is private property and for the use of the hirers of the Village Hall only. Due to the increased number of weekly bookings, the car park should remain clear at **ALL TIMES**.

**VILLAGE WEBSITE & FACEBOOK PAGE**

The Parish Council Website  
[www.carltonle Moorland.org.uk](http://www.carltonle Moorland.org.uk) is full of information about the village. Carlton Le Moorland Village Information Facebook page is a noticeboard for items which are relevant to the village—e.g. road works/closures and meeting information

**SANDS VILLAGE POND AND SURROUNDING AREA**

Approximately one year ago a volunteer group was formed to manage the areas of natural habitat surrounding the village pond. Before migrant birds returned and before the commencement of the 2021 nesting season, brambles were cut back and dead/dangerous timber removed and used to create wildlife refuges. New pond warning signs, relocated lifebuoys, a renovated picnic table and information board were all facilitated to create a more welcoming vista for village residents and visitors alike. A mammoth task was the removal of a substantial amount of willow which was threatening to cover the entire pond surface. Visitors to the pond can now enjoy the view offered by a greater expanse of water and can also now see the previously hidden northern "beach". Flag iris and wild flowers have been sown/transplanted and we hope, in Spring 2022, to have drifts of snowdrops adjacent to the allotments. The Parish Council have expressed their gratitude to the volunteers for the work carried out at the pond and for work completed in other areas of the village e.g. the playing field and Village Hall.



**Volunteering continues and is open to anyone! Everyone is welcome!**

If you are willing to help in anyway whatsoever with future volunteer projects then please do not hesitate to contact Fred Jacques on (01522)788962.



**A COUPLE OF PLEAS**

If you are thinking of celebrating the New Year with fireworks then please consider pets and other animals who might be distressed by sudden noises and limit your choice when buying fireworks to those which do not make a loud bang.

It is our observation from walking round the village regularly, that dog fouling on pavements has worsened and there has been no improvement in parking on the footpath either. Please be mindful of all the village residents by picking up after your dog and parking considerately.

**IT'S GOING TO BE A GREEN CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR**

We are delighted that the Parish Council has been successful in its application to receive a quantity of trees to enhance the local environment and further encourage bio-diversity. These will be planted at various locations, including the playing field, along Broughton Road and on farmland, through the kind co-operation of the Lincolnshire Agricultural Society and the tenant farmer.

**The Queen's Platinum Jubilee**

In 2022, Her Majesty The Queen will become the first British Monarch to celebrate a Platinum Jubilee, seventy years of service, having acceded to the throne on 6<sup>th</sup> February 2022. The UK will celebrate the Queen's 70th anniversary as monarch during an extended four day weekend from Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June to Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June. The Parish Council are currently reviewing how to mark this remarkable achievement within the village.

**NATIONAL AWARD WINNER!**

The Parish Council congratulates Sharon Laughton for her National Award from the Royal College of Podiatry.

This was presented to her at the House of Lords and recognises her distinguished service during the pandemic when Sharon volunteered to carry out health service roles outside her normal work.

**Fantastic achievement Sharon**

**CARPET BOWLS** —After the successful launch of Carpet Bowls at the beginning of October, a group now meets regularly every Monday afternoon in the Village Hall, 2pm to 4pm. The relaxed and friendly atmosphere, coupled with the chance to enjoy a tea and chat whilst playing, make this a pleasant way to spend an afternoon. Why not come and join us?

