

CHESIL BANK PARISH COUNCIL

Incorporating Abbotsbury, Portesham, Langton Herring and Fleet

The next Parish Council meeting

Monday 7th September (no meeting in August)

Portesham Village Hall All welcome!



Reminder about Japanese Knotweed

The Parish Council has had reported sightings of this weed in the Parishes, if you see it please contact the Council who will report it to the land owner or to DCC. It can be found in urban areas, particularly on waste land, railways, road sides and river banks. Negative impacts include outcompeting native flora, contributing to river bank erosion and increasing the likelihood of flooding. It can also cause significant delays and cost to development as well as structural damage (it can grow through asphalt and some other surfaces).

Japanese Knotweed is listed under Schedule 9 to the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 with respect to England, Wales and Scotland. As such it is an offence to plant or otherwise cause Japanese knotweed to grow in the wild. Under the Environmental

Protection

Act 1990, Japanese Knotweed is classified as controlled waste.

For More information please check the website:

<https://www.dorsetforyou.com/351345>

Bier House at Portesham Cemetery

The CBPC have been successful with a grant from Dorset AONB to sensitively restore the Bier House at Portesham Cemetery, this project will commence later this year so if you are interested in volunteering for this please contact the Portesham Councillors or the Clerk

CBPC

The Parish Council don't meet in August but are still dealing with your issues so please let your Parish Councillor know if there are any concerns, contact details are in the village Notice Boards or you can visit our website where you will find all the meeting documents and links to services.



CBPC Internet Café supported by POPP

Thursday 6th August

Thursday 20th August

Thursday 10th September

Sessions are from 10 am to 12 noon in the Ron Doble room. Mentors welcomed! Sessions are fun and for all abilities.

The cost of the session is £3 and includes Tea/Coffee and biscuits. We also have a printer/scanner/copier which is available during these sessions.

Contact the Michele 01305 871268 or Marsha 01305 871446 or come along and see what goes on.

To contact the Council: The Clerk, Mrs M Harding

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