**NETHER BROUGHTON & OLD DALBY
PARISH COUNCIL NEWS**

**Planning Determinations**

Since our last Parish News, Melton Borough Council has determined no planning applications, however, a decision has been made on the following appeal:

**Planning Application at Queensway**

Most parishioners will be aware of the decision by an Inspector in 2015 to grant permission for 39 houses in Queensway which has been oft quoted in support of other applications in our Parish. The same developer recently appealed to the Secretary of State on an application for a further 55 dwellings on the next block of land they own at Queensway which Melton Borough Council had not approved.

The Inspector dismissed the appeal and refused permission on September 15 2017.

In the course of the appeal, the Parish Council made a further representation to the inspector and the inspector’s report made a number of references to our submission which contributed to her decision. The appeal report can be read online by typing the following link into your web browser;

https://acp.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/ViewCase.aspx?Caseid=3170551&CoID=0

**Planning Applications**

* **17/01061/FULHH**Mr & Mrs Annesley Williams; Flax Farm 15 King Street Nether Broughton

 Proposed single storey extension to create garage, utility room

 and shower room.

*The Cllrs discussed this application and had no objections to the plans.*

Keep up to date with new planning applications and our meetings through the Parish Council website using the following link:

<http://broughtonandolddalby.leicestershireparishcouncils.org>.

**Allotments**

There are currently plots available at the Queensway allotments. Please contact the Clerk if you are interested.

**Neighbourhood Plan**

Melton Borough Council has appointed and independent examiner and it is anticipated that our Neighbourhood Plan examination will be conducted during October.

MBC and the Parish Council will then consider the examiner’s report and the NP document will be amended as required.

The final stage in the process of developing our Neighbourhood Plan is for MBC to organise a referendum for residents to vote on whether they wish this to be adopted. This is likely to happen in January.

**The Wildflower Garden**

Work on the wildflower garden will continue over the next few months as we try to undertake some tidying before the winter.

We are hoping that a small working party will meet at the garden on;

 Sunday 5th November from 2-4pm

 Sunday 3rd December from 2-4pm

Hopefully there will be tea and cake!

If you would like to be involved please contact the Clerk using the details below and details will be confirmed closer to the date.

**Leicestershire Police**

At a recent meeting with Parish Council representatives the Chief Constable of Leicestershire Police Force outlined ways in which individuals can support the work of the police.

* Crime prevention – typing the following link into your web browser will give access to advice and information;

<https://leics.police.uk/advice-and-information/crime-prevention>

* Online reporting – In an emergency always call 999 but some crime can be reported online at;

<https://leics.police.uk/report-on;line>

* Follow the work of local neighbourhood policing teams at;

<https://leics.police.uk/local-policing> (You can access information on the local team for our parish by clicking on the Leicestershire Police link on the PC website).

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