

December 2013

De Lacy House

Following the Parish Poll, the feedback we have from many residents is that it was a case of voting yes in the poll or losing DLH. Many residents were also confused about the issue and they didn't bother to turn out to vote. At a recent meeting we attended some residents thought the alternative to DLH was bungalows and were thrilled when they realised there would be a new facility.

Plans have now been submitted for the new £3 million care facility, and the Ward Councillors have also asked the People Cabinet Member to visit both the Disabled Group and also the Winterton Senior Citizens Forum. We understand that he is awaiting a response.

Minibus

Following questions raised at the previous town council meeting we can provide the following feedback from the council officers.....

The insurance excess on all North Lincolnshire Council Fleet Vehicles is £1000. This is of course only payable in the event of an accident. However we have been reassured that if the amount of the claim is less than the amount of the excess, then only the smaller amount will be payable.

NLC will manage the bookings by calling 01724 297517 and the bus will be based in Winterton.

Comparison of charges

Northgate charge £141.75 per day for a 17 seat minibus with an excess of £750.00 to use their insurance.

Age UK have about 5 or 6 minibuses and provide transport for trips and shopping runs we understand that they do not hire out buses without providing a driver.

The cost per mile charge and two drivers required over 50 miles is the same as the Humber and Wolds condition.

Winterton Turbine Appeal

We are holding regular meetings with WAIT and planning officers to support the North Lincolnshire Council decision. We understand the appeal may now be held in June.

North Lincolnshire Council Grant assistance

We are pleased to report that we have supported the following grants for Winterton groups:

Friends and Parents of Winterton Junior School

Year 6 and youth club playground comprising seating, artificial grass, plant tubs and climbing frame £7,000

South Humberside Community Radio, based in Winterton
Purchase of professional broadcast mixer desk and audio limiter £2,270

The Old School Hall, Winterton
Replace existing kitchen window with new unit to include ventilation and installation on insect zapper £1,000

Dale Park Youth Group
Support for cost of indoor training at Winterton Community Academy, Mondays 22x2hrs, Tuesdays 22x2hrs & Wednesday 22x1hr all at £37/hour Complies with Statutory Guidance for Improving Young People's Wellbeing
£3,108