

THORNTON IN CRAVEN ANNUAL PARISH MEETING.

Annual Parish Meeting to be held in the Village Hall on the 10th June 2015 at
7.00pm.

Agenda

1. **Approve the Minutes of the meeting held on the 21st May 2014.**
2. **Police.**
 - Questions from the floor.
3. **School.**
 - Report from Mrs Smith, Head Teacher.
4. **To discuss the proposal made by DC21 to erect a wind turbine at Thornton Hall Farm. Visit from Mr Charles Ashton, Project Manager DC21.**
 - Questions from the floor.
5. **Trees and grass areas.**
 - I would like to urge the PC to apply for TPO's to be placed on the 10 Pine trees and 1 Beech Tree in the Croft, down Boothbridge Lane. This is the site of one of two ancient Rookeries in Thornton. It is essential that trees such as these should be protected from future development.
 - There seems to be too much over mowing going on in Thornton. At a time when the bee population is struggling, it is sad that wild flowers are not given a chance. The Old Road, and parts of the Earby Road in particular could well benefit from less mowing, creating a haven for wild life, colour in the Village and reduce the cost of grass mowing.

Question from Marjorie Lord, Rectory Bungalow, Thornton in Craven

 - Who is responsible for the trees, Mountain Ash, on Boothbridge Lane after the last house?

Question from Betty Mason.
6. **Discussion on the purchase of a defibrillator for the village.**
7. **Report from the Parish Council**
 - The Chairman's Report, Councillor P Bowdler.
 - Finance Report, Councillor M Graham-Roe.

8. North Yorkshire County Council.

- Report from County Councillor Patrick Mulligan.

9. Craven District Council.

- Questions from the floor for Councillor Robert Mason.

10. Village Hall and Social Committee Report.

11. Any other question from the floor.