

## Parish Update April 2022

The Annual Parish meeting has taken place, this is where Parish business is reviewed for the year, along with a question time for residents.

The Chair of Council along with the Chairs of the committees read their reports. Alice Tomlinson chair of Amenities reported on the new gazebo in the Grange grounds, new play equipment for the Grange and the success of the skatepark. We welcomed some Olympic skateboarders recently, a confirmation of how good our facility is.

Ann McCloud chair of Planning has been very busy and although we are not the planning authority we like to think our views are taken into serious consideration at Rushcliffe. The passing of the Nottingham Road development was a disappointment, but we must now work with the developers to make sure Radcliffe receives some benefits, particularly in infrastructure.

Gillian Dunn Chair of finance reported another difficult year but we have continued to maintain all facilities and look to adding more in the future.

Vice Chair Sue Clegg reported on the Grange and Grange Hall which is slowly getting back to full steam with organisations, weddings and parties enjoying the fantastic facilities on offer.

We are fortunate to have hard working and conscientious staff and thanks go to Karen, Claire Sally and Lisa in the office, to Dave and David our caretakers, and to John and Peter our ground staff.

My personal thanks go to the Councillors who are all volunteers who take no remuneration, they spend many hours in meetings and working parties keeping the machine moving forward that is Radcliffe Parish Council.

All Parish Committee meetings are open to the public, where you have an opportunity to speak, we look forward to seeing you any time.

We were delighted to present the Parish awards the winners who were,

Individual award to     Melissa Evans for setting up Radcooks.

Individual award to.    Brian Nowell for 20 years' service to Trent Bridge Club

Group Award to.        Radcooks   For providing a cooked Sunday meal and companionship  
to residents throughout the pandemic and continue to date

Chairmans Award. The Conservation Group For their ongoing support in the upkeep and strengthening of the green spaces in the village.

Junior Awards. Charlotte Crabtree and Emily Barlow for their services to the village in getting together a residents petition and approaching the Parish Council with their ideas to create a nature area at Sycamore Close where the space is currently unused.

Cllr Josephine Spencer  
Parish Chair.