

Houghton on the Hill Parish Council

I hereby give notice of the **Annual Parish Meeting** to be held in the **Village Hall** (Main Room), Main Street, Houghton on the Hill, on Thursday 1st May 2014 at 7.30 p.m.

AGENDA

1. **TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
2. **TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON 1 MAY 2013**
3. **CHAIRMAN'S OVERVIEW OF THE YEAR 2013/14**
4. **INVITED SPEAKER: INSPECTOR PHIL DURRANT, LPU COMMANDER, LEICESTERSHIRE POLICE**
The role of Basic Command Units in Leicestershire and Rutland - an explanation of how they work and the benefits. The role of the Crime Commissioner and new initiatives that have resulted following his election.
5. **INVITED SPEAKER: ROB MILES, VICAR OF ST. CATHARINE'S CHURCH**
An overview on the church and its activities in the community, and if the new approach taken since he joined the parish in the autumn of 2011 is having the desired effect.
6. **PRESENTATION BY TRUDI NOBLE - THE LOROS WINTER WALK 27 DECEMBER 2014**
7. **INVITED SPEAKERS: SIÂN PONTING, PROJECT OFFICER – RURAL YOUTH VOICE AND MEL GOULD, YOUTH PROJECTS DEVELOPMENT MANAGER FOR HARBOROUGH DISTRICT YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHARITY**
Development of youth provision; and guidance for a "youth" parish council.
8. **INVITED SPEAKERS: MIKE HEARN AND/OR JOHN SIDDONS**
The quest to have Superfast Broadband available to Houghton.
9. **INVITED SPEAKER: COUNTY AND DISTRICT COUNCILLOR SIMON GALTON**
He will summarise the key issues and decisions being considered by the County Council and HDC which will impact on residents including budget decisions, proposed changes to school transport, an update on the New Harborough Local Plan and proposed changes to highways/ environmental maintenance schedules.
10. **QUESTIONS**

Chairman.....

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Date: 23 April 2014

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There will be a 15 minute interval during the meeting