

BANK
ACCOUNTS

Current 512.38
Savings 7988.40
 8500.78

Cheques since last meeting

04/05/2010	Community Insurance	First	443	265.51
04/05/2010	Cathy Reid (Clerk)		444	411.82

7. Drainage Reports for both Villages – Stoke Orchard – Glos. Highways performed and exploratory dig by garage forecourt and discovered 2 x gas mains and are now looking for an alternative solution.

Tredington – The main Severn Trent 9 inch carrier drain has continued to cause problems. Contractors have been on site on numerous occasions and the pipe has been camered on several occasions. However, major repair and replacement work has now been carried out on about 40% of the pipe from the Fiddington Lane junction to opposite the Court with several piecemeal repairs in the remaining length up to The Vicarage. Major tree root ingress has been removed from the whole length. This work caused serious damage to existing pipe work and it is hoped that the replacement of the remaining section might be completed in the next twelve months
8. Public Open Space in S.O. Update - - Severn Trent have been trying locate a Manhole number 1202 without success. The owner will re-seed with grass after Severn Trents works are completed.
9. Update on the Swilgate Bridge – Cllr Chatham’s second report to Liz Kirkham of GCC Bridge Department has been received with interest. In her reply following receipt of the report she acknowledged that it had flagged up information and circumstances of which she was unaware. Subsequently a meeting has been arranged for Cllr Chatham to meet with the interested parties in early June. Cllr Chatham hopes to be able to make a satisfactory report to the council following that meeting. It is obvious that Legislation demands that any new Bridge Structure would have to meet unnecessary parameters which might well make it unviable. However flood relief channels which would greatly relieve the flood potential would be well within the realms of possibility and Cllr Chatham will be examining this approach thoroughly.
10. Parish Website Update – The address for the website is www.stokeandtredington.com – please TELL EVERYONE! It is a five year domain name. Cllr Darnell has asked Councillors/Clerk to promote the site as part of parish business e-mail sign off. There are 50 email address – they can be used for any aspect of village life e.g. PCC or village hall etc. Cllr Darnell requested more pictures of the villages.
11. Speed Through The Villages – A reply has been received from Glos. Highways regarding the 30mph speed limit extension to ‘Tredington Hospital’ corner after an accident had occurred... Glos. Highways had paid a site visit to assess the road and said it did not appear appropriate to promote the introduction of a 30mph along that section of road. They would however like to discuss further the ‘Village Gateway’ sign. It was agreed by all to wait until that section of road was transferred into the parish due to a boundary change before re-assessing.
12. Cory/Grundon Liaison – None received due to APM report.
13. Planning - PKL Appeal – The Parish Council objected strongly to the appeal to keep storage in the car park.

Cory 09/0084/TWMAJW – Permission – The development of food waste transfer and retention of existing inert waste recycling, green waste composting and storage of waste electrical equipment within a discrete banded area within the central area of Wingmoor Farm

10/00213/FUL - permit – Pussy Willows Cattery, Stoke Orchard
Alterations and conversion of existing building to provide 7 no. units for mixed B1 / B8 Use

09/01305/FUL - REFUSE – Tredington House Farm, Tredington
Agricultural building for ensilage fodder preservation.

- 14 Neighbourhood Watch – During the year, a few more parishioners have sent in their email addresses for ease of communication. Though Cllr Chatham finds it disheartening that more emails have not been received. In November, he circulated Crime Prevention Leaflets provided by the Police to all residences in the parish which he hoped were received with interest. Fly tipping and speeding have continued to be out main problem but sadly we have had one or two burglaries within the parish during the year. He just hopes we can keep crime at a low rate and he urges all to be vigilant and supportive to maintain each others security. The email address is tredingtonneighbourhood@hotmail.co.uk if you would like to receive Neighbourhood Watch emails.

- 15 Public Participation (please note any items needing decisions will be carried forward to the next Agenda/Meeting)

Chris Adamson reported she was disappointed with the Lorry Watch Support. There are forms to be forwarded to trading standards that need completing as an observer noting certain details. Cllr Darnell said he would try and get the forms on the website for parishioners to download as and when they need.

A parishioner commented that the ditches are now fantastic but they need to be monitored as mosquito breeding grounds due to a section of ditch that has constant water. Cllr Chatham said that section should be levelled with gravel to stop the water sitting and keep the flow.

- 16 Dates of Next Meetings

Tuesday 6th July 2010 at 7.30pm
Tuesday 7th September 2010 at 7.30pm