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Longdon Parish Council News

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LONGDON COMMUNITY WORKING TOGETHER
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This summary is a foresight.

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Welcome to the fifth edition of the Longdon Parish Council News, this newsletter summarises the main points discussed at the Parish Council Meeting on Tuesday 11th November 2014

Public Participation.

Mr Wright of Windmill Farm, Upper Longdon, joined the Council for this part of the agenda. He brought the Council up-to-date on the development of his property. He was seeking a small change in his current planning permission to change the layout of windows in the new house. He confirmed that he would be creating a herd of about 80 Aberdeen Angus cattle on his farm. The windmill will be completed in early 2015. It was decided that a group of Parish Councillors would visit Windmill Farm on Saturday 18th November for a site visit.

Church Hill, Longdon Green

It was decided that the state of the footpath and the gutters on Church Hill required urgent improvement. The Parish Council authorised the current maintenance contractor for Longdon Green to carry out a one-off clean-up of Church Hill as soon as the weather allows.

Neighbourhood Plan Update

The Chairman of the Council reported that Ms Gina Duckett has now taken over the Chairmanship of the Working Group. Good progress was being made and work had started to produce a first draft of the Neighbourhood Plan for the New Year. Mr Neil Vyse was acting Editor-in-Chief and would be coordinating the various contributions to the Plan. A poster campaign was being prepared to alert parishioners to the current state of work on the Plan.

Longdon Community Group

This is the new name of the group who organised last year's Christmas "Singalong" and this summer's Village Fete. These two events raised a significant amount of money which has enabled the Group to give donations to the British Legion, the Village Playgroup and the Mother's and Toddler's Group. The Group is currently organising this year's "Singalong" which will be held in St James's School Hall on December 17th.

Sky Scam

The Council was alerted to fraudulent letters which claim to originate from The Sky Broadcasting Company asking for details of individual's bank accounts. These letters should be ignored and under no circumstances should people provide their bank account details via the websites, emails and phone numbers cited.