Shevington Parish Council Clerk's Report to the Meeting of the Council – 25 January 2023

Christmas Decorations

All Christmas decorations funded by the Parish Council have gradually been removed over the past couple of weeks by a variety of contractors.

Christmas Shop-Front Award

Because the Chairman was unwell on the date arranged for the presentation of the awards, they were made by Cllr Jess Higham, the Vice Chairman, on Saturday, 7 January. Photographs have since been published in the newsletter.

The first three prizewinners have named the following Charities as recipients of the donations from the Council:

1st Prize: Wigan Macular Society (£60)

2nd Prize: Rainbow Wishes (£40)

3rd Prize: Preventing Unwanted Pets (Wigan Branch) (£30)

As suggested by the judge and agreed by the Council, 'Thank You' cards have been designed and printed by Digital Impressions at a reasonable cost (which included envelopes) and sent to all shopkeepers who participated. Participants designated by the judge as being 'highly commended' have been informed.

Damaged Fence Panel at Forest Fold

A large fence panel at Forest Fold was damaged by recent winds and has been replaced by a contractor.

January Newsletter

The January edition of the newsletter has recently been published and distribution is currently in progress.

Shevington Extra Care Facility

Peter Collins, the Project Manager for this development, has asked if he can attend a meeting to update the Parish Council on progress. He will be joining us at the Policy & General Purposes Committee meeting on Wednesday, 1 February.

K.M.P. 25.01.23