



# Bishopstoke Parish Council

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## **BISHOPSTOKE PARISH COUNCIL PRESS RELEASE – NOVEMBER 2020**

### **Grants**

Bishopstoke Parish Council is pleased to announce that it has approved a grant of £800 to MHA (Methodist Homes for the Aged). Communities Eastleigh to help with their project recording the history of the three villages and the lives of the members of the MHA.

For more information on the project please contact the scheme manager, Mark Kirby, by emailing [Mark.Kirby@mha.org.uk](mailto:Mark.Kirby@mha.org.uk)

### **Vouchers for free school meal children**

The Council has decided to try to offer support to local residents who may be struggling this year due to the national lockdowns. The Council will be gifting £60 in vouchers for a local supermarket to each child attending Stoke Park Infants and Stoke Park Juniors that qualifies for free school meals. It is hoped that this gift will make Christmas a little easier for many families throughout Bishopstoke.

### **Fees for 2021-22**

The Parish Council has voted to keep fees related to interments and allotment rents fixed for another year.

### **Allotment fees 2020-21**

Allotment fees are now due for the year 2020-21. Plot holders have until 31<sup>st</sup> December 2020 to pay their rent through to the end of September 2021.

### **Audit**

Bishopstoke Parish Council is pleased to announce that it has passed its latest full external audit. The result of the audit will soon be available on the Parish Council website.

**The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Tuesday 26th January 2021 at 7.30pm online. For all other meeting details and information please visit the Parish website.**

*For further information, please contact the Parish Clerk: David Wheal by email: [clerk@bishopstokepc.org](mailto:clerk@bishopstokepc.org) or visit the Parish website at: [www.bishopstokepc.org](http://www.bishopstokepc.org)*