

Cornwall Councillor update – Carlyon Parish – July 2024

I hope you are all well as we go through July.

At the time of writing this update (15 July), we have had a bit of nice weather over the weekend, but then it's been torrential rain all day so far today, so hopefully that's not our summer over!

Speaking of torrential rain, Maxwell has provided the following updates on the Tregrehan flooding issues:

Garker rifle range flooded area:

They don't have any further project updates, but did visit the site recently and noted that site visit overland flows have ceased due to low watercourse levels, which have indicated the culvert is still partially functioning however further signs of collapses and sink holes present.

Watercourse North of Garker (through China clay deposits area):

Cornwall Council and the Environment Agency visited on 12/07/24 to establish a long term strategy for the area, this was a productive meeting with options shortlisted which will be further developed. EA now aware of current condition, size and risk of China clay deposit erosion and downstream condition.

I was pleased to recently donate some more litter picking equipment to one of the businesses on Crinnis Beach (Crinnis Crib Hut) for their ongoing use in litter-picking this busy beach. Crinnis beach is a real local asset and everyone who visits should do their bit to pick up after themselves and ensure they leave nothing behind but their footprints.

Correspondence between Cornwall Council legal and parish legal reps is taking place regarding Tregrehan Jubilee playing field. This has enabled the revised transfer document to be sent back to the parish legal rep. Cornwall Council's Devolution team is progressing the Fields in Trust concurrently to the legal negotiation.

I was pleased to give funds from my community chest towards the football goal nets on the playing field following last month's meeting and the request from the community.

Next week we have a South Cornwall Community Area Partnership event and AGM.

There will be a market stall event with a focus on Community, Health and Wellbeing. Come along to find out from local groups and organisations about the different activities and support available in our communities and to meet your local Cornwall, Town and Parish Councillors, Wednesday 24th July, 6pm at the Cornubia 31 Eastcliffe Road, Par PL24 2AQ. Parking at Par Track.

As ever, should anyone wish to contact me about any issues, please contact me at 07885277670 or cllr.james.mustoe@cornwall.gov.uk