

Chorley LIAISON

Wednesday, 17th February 2021, 6.30 pm

Microsoft Teams

I am now able to enclose, for consideration at the above meeting of the Chorley Liaison, the following updates that were unavailable when the agenda was published.

Agenda No Item

4 Item requested by Anderton Parish Council

One of our councillors who has previously been helping out with the Chorley Health Walks has been told by the Ramblers Association that Chorley Council no longer supports these. Can the Council please tell us what the current position is regarding these organised walks and if they are likely to resume once the current Covid 19 restrictions are relaxed enough for group activities to take place.

Response from Angela Barrago, Service Lead - Communities

We do still support the Health Walks in Chorley however the scheme it operates under was requesting some monitoring that was felt to be over burdensome. We were working with the group to continue the walks but under an independent arrangement.

We have not met with the Walk Leaders due to CoVid restrictions but we do plan to arrange a get together to regroup and look at how we re-start the walks once the time line is clearer from government on removing some restrictions.

5 Item requested by Croston Parish Council

Cllr Peter Fenemore has suggested a project to improve the River Yarrow and tributaries as part of an effort to improve the environment in this area.

The document enclosed details the suggestion.

Response from Lindsey Blackstock, Open Space Strategy Officer

The suggestion below naturally sits within the remit of the Douglas Catchment Partnership with regard to aims, project ideas and partnership working. This also links strongly to the Climate Change remit. We are already doing much of what is suggested on a small scale.

There is a meeting with all partners on 17 February where it could be discussed further and the outcome reported back to a future meeting by officers.

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