

Press Release



17 April 2013

*Fryern Hill Pavilion, Greenways,
Chandler's Ford, Hampshire SO53 2LE
www.chandlersfordparishcouncil.org.uk
Tel: 023 8026 6612*

CHANDLER'S FORD PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 15 APRIL 2013

At its meeting on 15th April Chandler's Ford Parish Council Cllr Margaret Atkinson was re-elected as Chairman of the Parish Council and Cllr David Boyes was elected its new Vice-Chairman. Cllr Godfrey Olson, who has held the position of vice-chairman for the last three years, was thanked for the significant support and advice he has given to Council during his period in office.

After long and detailed negotiations with Eastleigh Borough Council the Parish Council unanimously agreed to accept the Borough's offer to take over the ownership of the recreation grounds and pavilions at Hiltisbury, Fryern and Pennine Way, together with all the children's play areas in the Parish, with effect from 1 April 2014, subject to contract.

During the interim year the Parish Council will work closely with Eastleigh Borough Council and will be monitoring the maintenance works carried out at these sites by EBC StreetScene. The Parish Council will now be planning further investment into these sites to improve the facilities available to residents of Chandler's Ford.

Cllr Margaret Atkinson said 'I am delighted that Council has taken this decision as I am sure that plans now being made for the on-going maintenance and improvements of these assets will not only provide more facilities for our parishioners, but also keep overall expenditure on the assets within a tight budget.'

Please note that the Fryern Funtasia will take place on Monday 6th May 2013 at the Fryern Recreation grounds.

Chairman: Cllr Margaret Atkinson

Parish Clerk: Steve Mursell