

16/1/26 - Belteshanger Park

Info sent to cllr [redacted]

Closing gate; financial sustainability (making a loss), fly-tipping and ASB, managing access, have made redundancies over 3-6 mths, close lamp room over winter mths, significant amounts of dog poo and rubbish, rates increasing whilst providing public service, trying to get to a level where the park doesn't cost thousands per year,

Questions paying business rates when providing a public service. Can we help financially?

[redacted] look into issues raised.

Fly-tipping - all inside. Lots of dog poo. We can investigate all criminal offences. Having to clear rubbish daily.

Free park, running at a loss, constant complaints

[redacted] - What would it take to re-open the gate?

- Ask that ASB / fly-tipping is reported.

Very keen that Quinn is providing a public service so shouldn't pay rates.

Meet with [redacted] at Belteshanger to see what we can do to open the gate.

Use our DDC comms to share Belteshanger Park stuff?
→ or other local comms?

Need to work on Lamp Room to make it financially sustainable

→ Staff have been made redundant.

Dates for scouting.

* 16th JAN 'Commons Gate'

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