THORNLEY WITH WHEATLEY PARISH COUNCIL 15 MAY 2023 CLERK'S REPORT

1. Precept

The £1,500 Precept agreed by the PC for 2023/2024 has been received from RVBC.

2. Update from Thornley Community Space

Thornley Community Space have confirmed that work has commenced on the ceiling in the "back classroom" which will include wood treatment in the attic space/insulation; ceiling to match the other two rooms and exposing the old wooden beams. The funding provided by the PC will contribute to the cost.

3. Request from Bowland with Leagram PC

An email request has been received from Bowland with Leagram PC asking if Thornley with Wheatley PC would be prepared to contribute to planting at the War Memorial. If our PC agrees, in principle, to a contribution details of what has been paid so far and a suggested figure would be provided.

4. Council Elections

Following the local elections on 4 May the Conservatives have lost control of Ribble Valley Borough Council with the Labour and Green Parties making gains. In Ribble Valley Labour won seven seats including one in Ribchester, two in Derby and Thornley, two in Dilworth, one in Clitheroe's Primrose ward and one in Whalley and Nethertown. Rachael Ray and Kieran Spencer have been elected as Councillors for Derby and Thornley Ward

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Clerk to Parish Council