

Dent Parish Council Sub-Committee Recommendation

Amenities & Environment Committee

08 November 2021

Purpose of the Report

To recommend to the council that a memorial plaque be permitted on the bench next to the milkstand in Gawthrop.

Recommendation

Option 2 – Approve the placement of the plaque upon receipt of £150 donation to be earmarked for bench repair/replacement.

Context

The bench is owned and maintained by the Parish Council and has plaque on it currently.

Background

The plaque is in memory of Frank Pearson who lived in Gawthrop for many years and passed away in 2021. The request has come from a family friend on behalf of Frank's daughters.

A precedent was set for this with the plaque on the bench at Peggleswright on the way to Cowgill.

Alignment to Dent Parish Council Objectives

This project does not align with any particular objective.

Options Considered

1. Reject the request
2. Approve the request

Financial Implications

Income of £150 towards the repair or replacement of benches in the dale.

Conclusion

The committee recommends approval of this request.

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