

Agenda Item 7 & 8

Fleece Toilets Update:

The Clerk has received a set of keys and the Parish Handymen have cleared the rear of the hut and weed killed the numerous small samplings growing out of the wall and floor. They have cleaned and power washed the toilets which are now ready for Councillors to visit.

Pendle Borough Council has sent the documents to sign over the freehold and these will need to be signed by the Chairman and witnessed. The Clerk suggests that this is done when the Chairman returns from his holidays.

The Council will need to look at the next steps to reopening the toilets which will include:

- Looking at any immediate repairs or renewals that are necessary.
- Deciding if all three areas are to be opened initially.
- Who is going to clean the Toilets and what hours will be allocated?
- Whether the Council is going to introduce charge.
- If the Council decides to introduce charging what system is going to be introduced, how will the council fund these systems?
- If the Council decides not to introduce charges will the toilets be locked overnight or open 24 hrs a day.
- If the toilets are to be locked who will open and lock the toilets?

These points need to be resolved before the toilets are reopened.

Toilets at the Bowling Green Update:

At the July BWPAC meeting it was resolved to award a grant of £2,500 towards the conversion costs and some of the shortfall in the first years general costs. It would be convenient if an expected completion date could be ascertained so that cleaning provision could be assessed with the Fleece.