# STALMINE-WITH-STAYNALL PARISH COUNCIL

# Update from the clerk 9th May 2024

## **Stalmine Play Ground Area**

Playground inspections for April 2024 have shown no issues.

## Training

Training has been booked for the Cllr members and myself. There is an issue with booking the Nimble training on LALC's side, and I am waiting for an up-date from Val on this matter. My webinar training for the CILCA qualification has been delayed I am awaiting a new date for the training, and I will then apply for the qualification.

## **Tree Survey**

I have contacted Daneil and he has given a quote for £450.00 this includes VAT. He should commence with the survey on 31 May from 9am if any council members wish to go along and ask him any questions.

# Litter and YUK Signage

I have spoken to the Lengths Person about placing the signage up, and given him the councils suggestions. I have also told him to place where he thinks they are best situated. The YUK signage has been advertised in the Green Book.

## Website

I have met with James and talked and agreed about up-dating the website with accessibility in mind and giving more details on what the parish council do. This is complete and the website is fully updated.

## Spids

All three Spids are now fully up and working. I have the keys to the padlocks which keep them secure, and the data tools to download any information locked away in my cabinet. The parish has been informed via the council's social media page.

## Woodland grant for repairs

Stalmine do not qualify for the grant as stated by Alisa from Wyre Borough -

If you were simply looking to lay down paths with purchased material then it would not unfortunately meet the eligibility criteria.

I would suggest that this maybe something that the council looks into for next years budget, as it will be a large project. I have recently walked through the woodland and it has dried up so will be usable at present.

## **Plants Man**

The plants man has been asked to plant low maintenance shrubs in the area, where the barrier footing ground has been disturbed. He will commence with this job over the next few weeks.