

SOUTH LENCHES PARISH COUNCIL.

Facebook Policy.

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Facebook Page:

Objective is to provide information and updates regarding any activities and opportunities within the South Lenches Parish and to promote comments from residents.

Protocol.

- A Councillor will monitor messages sent to the SLPC Facebook account.
- Be considerate and respectful of others. Vulgarity, threats, or abusive language will not be tolerated.
- Differing opinions and diverse ideas are encouraged, but personal attacks on anyone, including South Lenches Parish Council Members or their Staff will not be permitted.
- Be aware of copyright laws; be accurate and give credit where due.
- Do not use the Facebook page for commercial purposes or to market products.

Facebook account will not be monitored 24/7 and we will not always be able to reply individually to all messages received. However, we will try to ensure that any suggestions are passed to the relevant people.

Sending a message via Facebook **will not be** considered as contacting the Council for official purposes and we will not be obliged to monitor or respond to requests for information through the Facebook Page.

Please see contact details at <http://www.southlenchesparishcouncil.org/>

Do not include personal/private information in your Facebook posts/messages to us.

South Lenches Parish Council reserves the right to remove content that includes:

- Obscene or racist content
- Personal attacks, insults, or threatening language
- Potentially libelous statements
- Plagiarized material; any material in violation of any laws, including copyright
- Private, personal information published without consent
- Information or links unrelated to the content of the forum
- Commercial promotions or spam

Non-compliance will not be tolerated and can result in being blocked and serious violations will be reported to Facebook.

South Lenches Parish Council is not responsible for the accuracy of content posted by any subscriber. Opinions expressed in comments on social media forums do not necessarily represent those of South Lenches Parish Council.

South Lenches Parish Council reserve the right to reproduce, distribute, publish, display or edit any messages received. Derivative work can also be created from such postings or content, and used for any purpose, in any form and on any other media.

South Lenches Parish Council:

- a) Is not responsible, liable for and does not endorse the privacy practices of Facebook or linked websites. **Your use of Facebook is at your own risk.**
- b) Assumes no responsibility or liability for any injury, loss or damage incurred as a result of any use or reliance on the information and material contained within or downloaded from this website.
- c) Does not endorse any goods or services that appear on Facebook and the presence of any advertisement on Facebook is not an endorsement of the goods or services advertised. South Lenches Parish Council **will not** be held responsible for any claims arising in that respect.

Facebook may occasionally be unavailable, and we accept no responsibility for this.

This policy may be revised at any time.

By choosing to utilise and/or comment on the South Lenches Parish Council website or Facebook page, users are deemed to agree to this policy.