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From: Jackie Whibley <jawhibley1@gmail.com>
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To: Lisa Clements
Subject: Footpath Report for Parish Council Meeting Thursday 18th February

Dear Lisa,
Hoping you are keeping safe and well.

Please find below my update for the Parish Council Meeting of Thursday 18th February. I would be grateful if you would please share this with members.

- **Footpath 9: Sampys Hill to Carlidnack Road:**
- heavy rainfall in recent weeks led to significant run off both to Carlidnack Road over the sheep stile and onto the top of Sampys Hill, where a blocked storm drain led to a large puddle developing right across the downhill carriageway. Cormac (Penny Hodgson) has conducted a site visit and will add the path to the capital finding list for next year. Meantime Cormac will soon fit a hand post to the sheep stile to assist people using it. The property owner at Karnbrae adjacent to the path is going to use a building firm to remove his downpipe from his garage roof onto the PROW, though we acknowledge the run off from the field at the top of Sampys Hill is the major factor. It is hoped this can be mitigated somehow by the farmer, in future.
- **Footpath 11: Meudon Woods from Carlidnack Lane to Maenporth beach:**
- Cormac (Penny Hodgson) has conducted a site visit and will be adding the length of the path to the capital funding for next year as drainage and surface treatments needs to be reviewed and dealt with. Meantime she reported a fallen tree neat the Maenporth end to County Farms and this was swiftly removed.
- **Footpath 18:SWCP at Meudon steps:**
- Email from Cormac (Penny Hodgson) to say that their contractor will conduct the works she has requested there, at the end of February. Hopefully this will resolve matters on this steep and popular section of SWCP.
- **Footpath 19: Allotments to Carwinnion:**
- Mid section of allotment footpath needs a surface treatment such as granite chippings, as used successfully at both ends. Materials are needed and I propose the Parish Council funds the necessary. Volunteers from Allotment Association are said to be willing to assist in laying the chippings, along with NT Ranger Charlie Watt. The stile at the spur to Grove Hill has been dug out by a member of the public and has helped towards resolving the usual seasonal propblem at this point on the path. Meantime many of the reported puddles are drying out except perhaps a couple, which maybe could be resolved by the laying of some of the granite chippings on top. Our Parish Clerk has asked Cormac to also seek to resolve these matters.
- **Footpath 17 Meudon Farm:**
- Reported by Cllr Toland to be exceptionally muddy due to cattle manoeuvres. Are we able to request the farmer to assist in mitigating the problem here?

Many thanks and kind regards,

Jackie Whibley