

CROSTHWAITE AND LYTH PARISH COUNCIL

ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT for Crosthwaite and Lyth Parish Council

Accessibility : If you have difficulty in accessing any of the documents, can't read the print, or need further assistance, please contact the Clerk on 07388 920410 or email at crosthwaiteandlyth.pc@hotmail.co.uk

We want as many people as possible to be able to use this website. For example, that means you should be able to:

- zoom in up to 400% without the text spilling off the screen.
- Navigate most of the website using just a keyboard or Touchpad.
- Listen to most of the website using a screen reader
- Use read aloud to read documents on the website.
- Use screen readers to explain what alternative description a meaningful image holds.
- Read all text which has good levels of contrast between text and background colours. We've tried to create a site which doesn't get in the way when you change these settings.

How we run this site

- The website is mobile and tablet friendly
- We've also made the website text as simple as possible to understand. We try to write in plain English and avoid council jargon, if something doesn't make sense, please let us know.
- Headings and page structure - our site uses simple heading structures to make it easier to navigate.

For more information on how to do the above please go to <https://mcmw.abilitynet.org.uk/>

What to Do If You Cannot Access Parts of This Website

If you need information on this website in a different format like accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording or braille

Reporting accessibility problems with this website

We're always looking to improve the accessibility of this website. If you find any problems not listed on this page or think we're not meeting accessibility requirements, contact: 07388 920410 or email at crosthwaiteandlyth.pc@hotmail.co.uk

We Know Some Parts of This Website Are Not Fully Accessible:

The accessibility regulations do not require us to fix PDFs or other documents published before 23 September 2018 if they're not essential to providing our services. For example, we do not plan to fix some older PDFs.

Any new PDFs we publish will meet accessibility standards.

Pictures of event or information posters, when provided by a third party – where possible we provide the information from the picture, within the web page's text.

Enforcement procedure

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility

regulations'). If you're not happy with how we respond to your complaint, contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service (EASS).

Beetham Parish Council is committed to making its website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018. Beetham Parish Council is partially compliant as it meets most requirements of the WCAG 2.2 AA standard. Testing <https://wave.webaim.org/>

See <https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/helping-people-to-use-your-service/understanding-wcag>

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