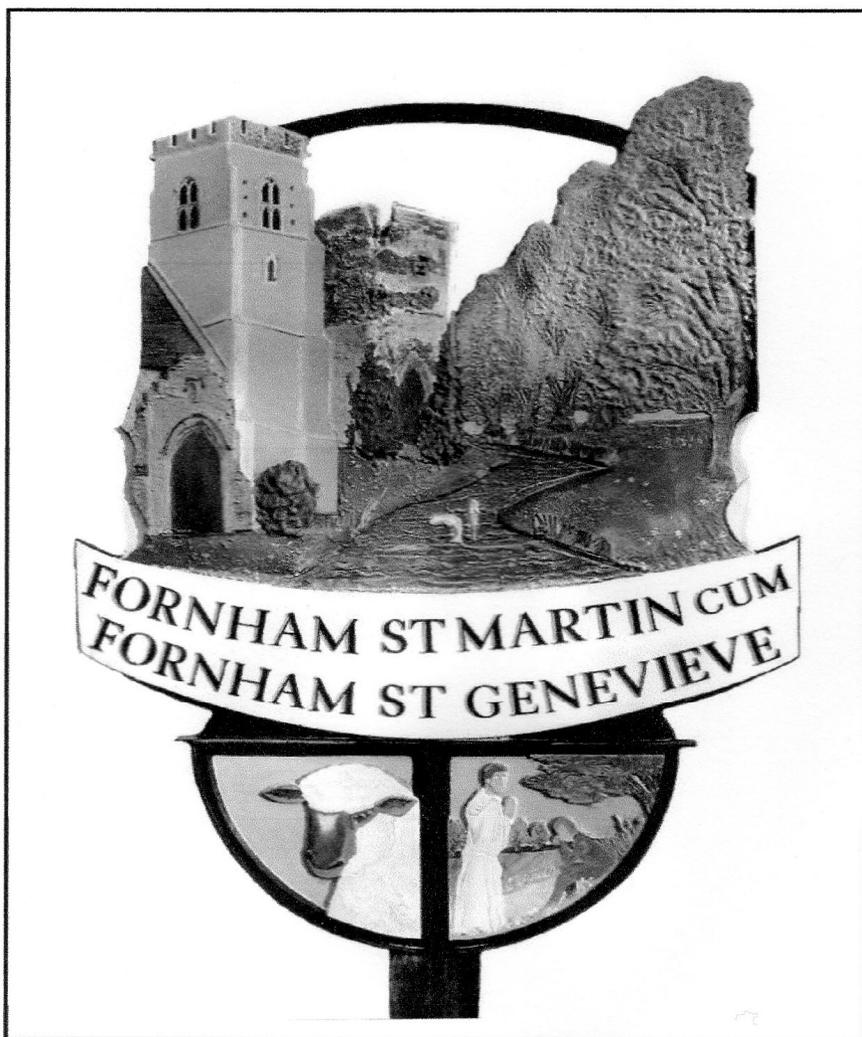


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The Parish Council on behalf of all parishioners would like to acknowledge with thanks and appreciation, the work carried out by the volunteers who organise and distribute the Bugle.

What's on in Fornham St Martin Village Hall

Weekly

Monday	7:30 pm	YOGA
Tuesday	10:00 am to 12 noon	Mums & Toddlers * *
Thursday	10:00 am to 3:30 pm	Patchwork
Friday	7:15 pm to 10:00 pm	Whist Drive in aid of St Nicholas

* * **Term Time Only**

Monthly

1st Wed	10:00 to 4:00 pm	Sewing Craft
1st Wed	7:15 pm to 10:00 pm	Military Whist Drive in aid of Air
1st Thurs	7:00 pm to 10:00 pm	Jazz Club
1st Fri	12 noon to 4:00 pm	Spinners and Weavers
2nd Tues	7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	Garden Club
2nd Wed	7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	Card Making
3rd Mon	10:00 to 12 noon	Probus Ladies
3rd Wed	7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	Ladies Club
3rd Fri	12 noon to 4:00 pm	Spinners and Weavers
3rd Sun	7:15 pm to 10:00 pm	Whist Drive in aid of St Nicholas
4th Wed	10:00 am to 4:00 pm	Mary's Quilters
4th Wed	7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	Card Making

Occasional meetings
Parish Council, Village Hall Committees

*If you would like to book the Village Hall for a club meeting, exhibition, or private party, please contact **Colleen Leach on 01284 756507.***

VILLAGE HALL

School Lane is a private road owned by a local landowner who grants free access to the residents and the Village Hall, for their vehicles, as well as access to the fields at the bottom for those who keep horses there. Over the years the residents and the Committee have tried to fill in the pot holes to little effect. Therefore, with the support of the Parish Council, the Committee approached local businesses to see if they could provide resources to improve the worst part of the Lane. New fencing and a gate have been erected to prevent larger vehicles using the car park for turning purposes which was a contributory factor to the poor surface of the lane.

The Committee would, therefore, like to express their grateful thanks to Steve Lumley Planing Ltd and Welhams, both local companies, who have provided the material, machinery and labour in order to resurface School Lane running alongside the Village Hall and School Cottages. This work was carried out on Saturday 7 November 2015. Thank you also to those who volunteered on the day to help with the clearing of leaves; brushing water out of the pot holes and then the raking of the surface. A good community effort.

We continue to receive support for the various skilled jobs in the Hall from Paul Mullen, a local builder, who has responded to a call for help either by attending himself or contacting one of his colleagues on our behalf. He is keen to see the Hall looked after and this is much appreciated.

The Committee carry out some of the maintenance of the Hall themselves in order to save money, such as decorating; putting up new curtain rails; gardening and clearing out the guttering. If anyone would like to volunteer to help us then they would be most welcome.

Future plans include the replacement of several broken chairs, through wear and tear, as well as some of the tables. If anyone knows of a contact or a source for second hand items then we would very much like to hear from them.

Maureen Hockett (Chair)
Paul Butler (Parish Council Rep)
John Sommerville
Jean Cook (Mother and Toddlers Rep)
Phil Hockett (Treasurer)

FORNHAM OVER 60'S CLUB

On 6th October we had our trip to Dunwich where we had a 'fish and chip' lunch at the popular beachside restaurant. The staff were very attentive and the menu was suitably varied. The meal was very enjoyable. We then went on to Snape Maltings where there was the opportunity to do some shopping and have afternoon tea. It was a successful trip.

On the 3rd November we were expecting to be entertained by musician Steve Beedle but unfortunately he had to cancel due to illness. We then had a meeting at which the future of the club was discussed and some plans outlined. We also had health updates regarding members who could not come to the meeting.

Our next meeting will be on 1st December when our traditional Christmas lunch will be held at the **Fornham All Saints community centre.**

In January a group of members will attend the pantomime at the Theatre Royal in Bury St Edmunds.

New members are always welcome.

JIM LANG 01284 705 358

Steve Rodwell Garden Services.

Many residents will know Steve Rodwell and will have availed themselves of his expert services in the past. Steve recently has had a serious accident whilst working in the village and has broken two vertebrae in his spine and also broken his collar bone. Further more he has severely damaged his ribs which is giving him extreme discomfort and pain.

His wife Karen has contacted the Parish Council to ask that we keep the village and in particular his customers fully informed of his circumstances, so that anyone with work that is outstanding is in the picture and will hopefully understand. Steve has had a 10 hour major operation on his spine and therefore will be taking some months to completely recover his health and mobility.

Karen also wishes to thank all the residents and customers for all their phone calls of support and good wishes that she has received. The Parish Council sends Steve their best wishes for a speedy and complete recovery.

Mike Collier

FSM 100 Club Winners

OCTOBER 2015

- 1st No. 77 C Elliott
- 2nd No. 98 H Bray
- 3rd No. 46 D Yates

NOVEMBER 2015

- 1st No. 28 C Taylor
- 2nd No. 66 RP Catton
- 3rd No. 87 J Foster

Margaret Ade 01284 750133

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held in the Village Hall, The Street, Fornham St Martin, IP31 1SW on Thursday 15 October 2015 at 7:30pm

Present:

Councillors (Cllrs) Penny Borrett, Paul Butler, Michael Collier (Chair), Peter Forster, Gary Hubbard and Jayne Hubbard.

In attendance:

Paul MacLachlan (Clerk) and three members of the public.

The following documents will be appended to the signed minutes:

- ◆ the Agenda;
- ◆ the following appendices:
 - 1: actions arising from prior meetings;
 - 2: report of the Responsible Finance Officer;
 - 3: proposed Standing Orders.

1. Apologies

The apologies of Cllr Nick Owen (illness) were received and accepted.

2. Declarations of Interest

The requirement to update the Register of Interests was noted.

No further interests were declared. No dispensations were sought.

3. Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes of the Parish Council meetings dated 17 Sept and 8 Oct 2015 were agreed a true record and signed by the Chair.

4. Clerk's report

- (i) The Clerk reported progress on actions arising from prior meetings (see Appendix 1). Cllrs Mike Collier and Gary Hubbard signed the application for vehicle activated signage.

- (ii) The Clerk reported on the following matters:
- ◆ that correspondence from Old Hall Residents' Association regarding the potholes at the entrance to the road had been referred to Councillor Hopfensperger;
 - ◆ that Great Barton Parish Council had announced their intention to undertake a Neighbourhood Plan;
 - ◆ that he would attend a winter gritting workshop on 21 October;
 - ◆ that a local resident had requested that street lighting be considered by the parish council at a future meeting. Cllrs noted the request but indicated that the matter had been considered approximately five years ago when sums in excess of £10,000 had been spent by the parish council. Cllrs indicated they had no plans to consider this further;
 - ◆ that a local resident had enquired about trimming trees on the green at Manners Road. Cllrs asked the Clerk to contact the Borough Council and to ask them to keep the matter under review.

In response to earlier emails, councillors confirmed that:

- ◆ they did not wish to nominate any short stay stopping gypsy and traveller sites;
- ◆ there were no nominations to attend the Suffolk Association of Local Council's (SALC) AGM on 12 Nov.

5. Borough, County and Community Reports

Cllr Hopfensperger did not attend the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned for public question time

A local resident asked whether the Parish Council had been advised of the outcome of a traffic survey on Barton Hill. The Chairman indicated that no information had been received to date. The Clerk was asked to make enquiries of Cllr Hopfensperger.

David Yates, invited councillors to attend the Remembrance Service on 8 November.

The meeting reconvened.

6. Decisions taken since the last meeting

The Clerk reported that, following consultation with councillors, he had summoned councillors to extraordinary meeting on 8 October to deal with urgent planning applications.

The Clerk also advised that he had instructed Mick Turner to remove the moles from the playing field.

7. West Suffolk Operational Hub (WSOH)

Cllr Collier reported that, together with the chairmen of Great Barton and Fornham All Saints parish councils, he would be meeting Cllr Peter Stevens for further discussions about the Hub.

It was agreed that the Hub Campaign Advisory Group meet and that Cllr Collier should circulate dates.

It was agreed that Cllr Borrett should attend in the place of Cllr Owen.

8. Planning and Environment

(i) Cllrs noted the following planning decisions made since the last meeting:

15/1521: 3 Oak Grove, Fornham St Martin
Approved

15/1665: 1-2 Rectory Cottages, The Drift, FSM
Approved

15/1576: 4 Rectory Cottages, The Drift, FSM
Approved

15/1318: Fornham Business Park, The Drift, FSM
Approved

Cllrs agreed that, while Cllr Owen is unable to attend, Cllr Borrett be a member of the Planning Advisory Group.

- (ii) Councillors considered the chafer bug infestation at the playing field. It was proposed by Cllr Collier, seconded by Cllr Gary Hubbard and agreed that:
- ◆ work to re-seed the field be undertaken in Spring 2016;
 - ◆ prior to re-seeding local farmers be approached to see if they will assist with the preparation of the field;
 - ◆ three quotations be sought for eradication of the Chafer bugs in Spring 2016;
 - ◆ signage be displayed indicating that the playing field should not be used until further notice. Cllrs agreed that the play equipment and trim trail may still be used.

(iii) The Chairman advised that the environmental work requested in September had been completed and that there were no further issues to raise.

(iii) Cllrs noted that environmental management within the parish was dealt with on a piecemeal basis and asked the Clerk and Chairman to review current service delivery and to bring recommendations to a future parish council meeting.

9. Community

- (i) The Chairman reported that, arising from the 2015 Community Governance Review, he had received positive responses from neighbouring parish councils to the recommendation that parish boundaries be amended to include the following properties/ areas within Fornham St Martin cum St Genevieve:
- Issue 17: 17 Oak Lodge, Mill Road.
- Issue 20: Area between Fornham Lock bridge and the Sheepwash bridge adjacent to the sewage works entrance.

The Clerk was asked to respond to the Community Governance Review.

- (ii) It was agreed that Cllr Butler should make enquiries of local firms who might be willing to provide new notice boards in exchange for advertising rights.
Cllrs agreed to consider the recommendation of a local resident that repair of the two notice boards at Lark Valley Drive and in St Genevieve on B1 106 should be considered rather than replacement.
It was agreed that the matter be considered at a future meeting when further information was available and that, if necessary, appropriate funding be set aside in the 2016/17 budget.

10. Finance

- (i) Cllrs agreed that the report of the Responsible Finance Officer for October 2015 (Appendix 2) be received and that any outstanding payments be made.
The Clerk reported that an invoice had been received from Peter Forster in the sum of £54.62. The Clerk sought authorisation to purchase laser print cartridges and paper from Office Depot at a cost of £250.61 + VAT. Cllrs approved both payments.
- (ii) Cllrs approved the appointment of SALC as the Parish Council's Internal Auditor and payroll administrator.
- (iii) Cllrs noted that the Annual Return had been signed by the External Auditor and that no matters of concern had come to light. Cllrs accepted the 2014/15 Annual Return.
- (iv) Cllr Jayne Hubbard was appointed to undertake accounting checks for the quarter ending 30 September 2015.

11. Governance

- (i) Cllrs adopted the Standing Orders at Appendix 3.
- (ii) Cllrs requested that SALC deliver whole of council training on *The Planning System* and *Neighbourhood Planning*. It was agreed that, if possible, the training be delivered on an evening in early December.

- 14. Councillors’ reports and items for future agenda**
- (i) Reports on meetings attended had been considered;
- (ii) There were no future meetings requiring attendance;
- (iii) It was agreed that costs for the 2016/17 budget be considered at a future meeting;
- (iv) Cllr Butler advised that work to resurface School Lane was due to take place on 7 November 2015.

The meeting ended at 9:15 pm.

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PLEASE NOTE : *The Parish Council has decided that the deadline for articles to be included in the Bugle will be brought forward for future editions i.e. FEB/MAR edition deadline 17 Jan 2016 . This will ensure that residents receive their copy before the beginning of the month shown on the front cover.*



THE PLAYING FIELD

Many residents will have noticed the dreadful state of the playing field which has been afflicted by Chaffer Bugs. These larvae are very attractive to birds particularly at this time of year, so they dig for them under the surface which causes all the damage. This menace is very difficult to stop permanently and would entail rotavating the field and let the birds feast on the larvae and then repeat again the spring. Special very expensive seed would then have to be spread with no guarantee of success in combating the bugs.

We will arrange for the field to be turned over in the near future and then we will have some time to decide exactly what should be done early next year. The Parish Council would appreciate any thoughts or comments as to the best way forward from residents who can contact the **Parish Clerk on fsmsgpc@gmail.com**

One idea tabled has been to do without the football field which is never used and convert two thirds of the field into a meadow with wild flowers and mown paths around the edge for access to the Trim Trail and walkers. This would then leave the balance of the field which could be close cut for the children's play area and plenty of space for families to play games etc etc.

Any help and ideas and comments would be gratefully received.

The Parish Council

FSM CHURCH NEWS



As Christmas is approaching, slowly if you see what has been in the shops for the last 6 months, but now getting closer, we start to think about our Christmas Services. Christmas actually starts at Advent with our service this year on **29 November at 10am**. You may have heard of Advent Calendars which highlight each day up to Christmas, traditionally with a short message and accompanied by a chocolate or similar. Advent means 'coming' and that is what we celebrate - the coming of Jesus, born to Mary and Joseph in a stable at Bethlehem.

The **Fornhams Carol Service** is on **Tuesday 22 December at 7pm**, with the traditional Nine Lessons and Carols, by candlelight, with mulled wine and mince pies after. The **Children's Crib Service** is on **Thursday 24 December, Christmas Eve, at 4pm**, when the Christmas Story is told, and the children place the principal figures, including the animals, in the stable, followed by complimentary mince pies and mulled wine in the Woolpack, courtesy of Claire and Graham. If the children like to dress as angels, shepherds, wise men or even Kings, then it all adds to the spirit of the occasion.

On **Christmas Day** there is a short communion service at **10.30am**. There is a **Midnightmas** service at **Fornham All Saints at 11.30pm** on Christmas Eve. There is a **children's Christingle service at Fornham All Saints on Sunday 6 Dec at 10am**. These and all services in our benefice are listed in the Church's Christmas Card to be sent to all houses in the village, and everyone is welcome.

Our Visitors Book in the church again made interesting reading, with 25 people signing, but experience shows 4 times that many at least visit every year, to visit relatives graves, or just sightsee. Retired Bishop John Flack visited at Easter, at the invitation of our Priest in Charge Mark Haworth, and stayed to meet and talk with many people in our sister churches too. Local visitors and from all over the country, including London, Dublin, Peterborough, Berkshire, Banham and Alconbury made delightful comments about their visits, and it is for this reason too that we keep the church and churchyard tidy, well maintained and welcoming, as well as plugging holes in the roof!

A group of 26 from the USA, University of 3rd Age, visited for a talk about the history of the church and its many artefacts, both historical and more recent, with refreshments.

The Organ Restoration Celebration Concert on 10 October was a great success with a packed church. The Tudor Rose Singers, resplendent in black dress jackets and skirts with red bow ties and scarves, presented a varied programme of music, from Bach and Grieg to Gershwin and Fats Waller, under director Christopher Moore, who played some organ pieces to give the extensively restored Nelson Pipe Organ a good work out, and magnificent it all sounded. After we enjoyed a wine buffet, and thanks to everyone who donated to this. An album of the organ's history, now 103 years old, with Scroll of Names of everyone who donated towards its restoration, with some photos of the works carried out, is now in the church for viewing.

Our last Book Sale on 14 November went well, both books and home made cakes, scones and mince pies, and was enhanced with a Christmas Stall of cards, decorations, home made goods, jams and chutney, to add a festive flavour. This proved very popular and so we will repeat it again next year. Thanks to everyone who donated all these items and books in abundance now amounting to some 1400.

Planning ahead, as this is a bi-monthly edition, our next Book Sale Coffee and Cakes, is on **Saturday 20 February, 11 - 3pm**, so do drop in for a browse, cuppa and friendly chat.

Anita and Kevin Rooney undertook the annual Cycle Ride event by Suffolk Historic Churches Trust for us this year for the first time. Keen cyclists, they found touring around the local area to visit as many churches as possible, fortunately on a fine dry day, enlightening if tiring, but enjoyed themselves. Sponsorships raised £213, of which half goes to our church, and half to SHCT to award in grants in the future, with some £4m being given in recent years. Our grateful thanks go to them.

We held our Remembrance Day Service on 8 November and were pleased to welcome the Parish Council. Poppy wreaths were laid at the War Memorial in the churchyard by Peter Hope, and Mike Collier, Parish Council Chairman, with names of the 15 fallen from the village in WW1 read out.

On 4 October we were pleased to hold a Baptism for Emily Hatch.

On 13 November we held a funeral service and burial for Muriel Balaam of Rathkeltair Lodge in FSM. Muriel was our organist for many years prior to her retirement some 20 years ago. She was a dedicated servant of the church and very musical person, who won many awards for her violin playing in her younger days, and started playing the organ at only 12. About 60 attended the service including family from her native Ireland, where she came from some 50 years ago. She joins her late husband Albert, another loyal servant of our church, in the churchyard. Our deepest sympathies go to her sons Nick and John and the family. Rest in Peace.

Our normal 10am Sunday services are on 13 and 27 December, and 10 and 24 January 2016.

We wish you all a Happy and Peaceful Christmas.

David Yates and Sylvia Hilton, Churchwardens.

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Lancaster Gospel Hall

invite you to a...

Senior Citizens Christmas Dinner

Tuesday 15th December

12:30 ~ 14:30 (approx.)

* Festive meal followed by a
short Christmas message *

R.S.V.P. 11th December

Lancaster Gospel Hall, Tollgate Lane / Tel:01284 706173

(there will be no charge for meal
but please call early to book a place)



LADIES CLUB

In October Jenny Martin presented an interesting and informative evening to our group. Her topic was the registered charity, The British Red Cross. We are all aware of its symbol seen nationally and internationally whenever a crisis occurs. Some of us were not aware of the extent of local services provided like support for major incidents fire and floods. The Red Cross also provide help for Refugees especially unaccompanied children and support for vulnerable people living at home. They offer free short term loans of wheelchairs and other equipment. More money is spent locally than raised locally. Donations and volunteers are always welcome. Suffolk Red Cross can be contacted on 01284 767215.

Thank you Hilda Lancaster for this report.

On 18 November Vinnie Carnaby got us started on preparations for Christmas. We watched her constructing a Christmas Wreath. She was using well soaked oasis and a large selection of evergreen branches. She very confidently snipped and stripped the greenery, arranging them into the oasis carefully checking for balance until it was well hidden. She added red berries and a decorative bow. At this stage the wreath could be hung on a door or laid flat to make a table decoration (white roses replacing the red berries and slender white candles arranged among the leaves). Then it was our turn! The room was filled with gentle chatter and laughter and the scents of box, pine and rosemary. We were all using the same materials but our arrangements produced a great variety of shapes and sizes, all proudly carried carefully home! Thank you Vinnie for a delightful evening. *Mary Payne*

Future Programme:

Wed 2 Dec Christmas Dinner - The Cadogan, Ingham 6:30pm for 7:00pm

Wed 20 Jan 2016 Water Aid with Kyra Turner.

Fornham Ladies Club meet in Fornham St Martin Village Hall at 7:45 pm. A warm welcome awaits you. For more information contact Janet Petch 01284 768280

FORNHAM GARDEN CLUB

The title of John Walkers talk on October 13th, which he accompanied with a slide show, was 'Every Show has a Story' and what stories they were, told by a very good storyteller. A lynch pin of Walkers/Taylor's Bulbs from Holbeach, Lincs. John has many years experience of setting up and manning stands at various major flower shows, now concentrating on Harrogate and Chelsea and was justly proud of their record of Gold Medal Awards. Facing many and diverse challenges he took us through the planning stage, the battle against the elements (with hail storms and climate change their major adversaries) to producing the daffodils required, the difficulties faced when the stand is assembled. This last piece in the jigsaw was increased beyond measure on more than one occasion, but in particular when the van and its contents were stolen from behind the marquee at Harrogate. Another when a shelf in a vehicle transporting the daffodils collapsed onto many of the blooms beneath! This led to much head scratching (amongst other things) but even so a Gold Medal was achieved!

On the flipside there have been many moments to treasure and one in particular he related was attending a royal Warrant Holders Garden Party at Buckingham Palace on a glorious summers day with a drink in his hand soaking up the wonderful atmosphere. Unforgettable. To round things off John had brought with him a wide selection of bulbs for us to peruse & purchase at a discounted price just as many of us are thinking of getting our gardens ready for Spring.

On November 10th Maggie Findlay came to tell us of her involvement with the Thetford community show garden project, which resulted in the construction of a lovely calm reflective garden 'The Flintknappers Garden, A Story of Thetford' at the Hampton Court follower Show in 2014 (seen by many members when we visited the Show). And the award of a Silver Gilt Medal by the Royal Horticultural Society. From very small beginnings and no money four ladies got behind this project to help raise the profile and attract people to their town which they felt was receiving too much adverse publicity. To say they faced a herculean task is no exaggeration but there is insufficient space here to provide detail, but with much door knocking and many phone calls to local companies, groups and individuals, they raised £19000. Materials of all description were donated or bought at huge discount and the garden, designed by Luke Heydon, landscaped by Richard Porter, the services of local flintknapper John Lord was built. Many famous local people's lives were woven into the garden such as Thomas Paine, Charles Burrell and Maharaja Duleep Singh and the

planting reflected the woodland and wild areas of the Breckland. An inspiring story, well told and illustrated with slides.

Chatsworth House trip arranged for Sunday 15th Nov was postponed [safety issue] due to high winds forecast with marquees erected outside for the craft fair. Trip rescheduled for 21st Nov weather permitting!

Details of our programme for the coming months are as follows:-

- Dec 8th** Peter Jackson. Plants for winter interest. A talk using the plants which will be for sale.
- 2016
Jan 12th** Annual Dinner. For members and their guests.
- Feb 9th** Adrian Walters. History and Conservation on the Sudbury Riverside. A talk and slide show.
- Mar 8th** Alex Pettersson. Garden plants - rip off or good value you decide. Talk with plants for sale.

The Garden Club meets on the second Tuesday of the month at **7:30 pm** in Fornham St Martin Village Hall. Membership is £13 per year with visitors paying £3 per visit. For further information please telephone the programme secretary **Frances Harpley** on **01284 755876**.



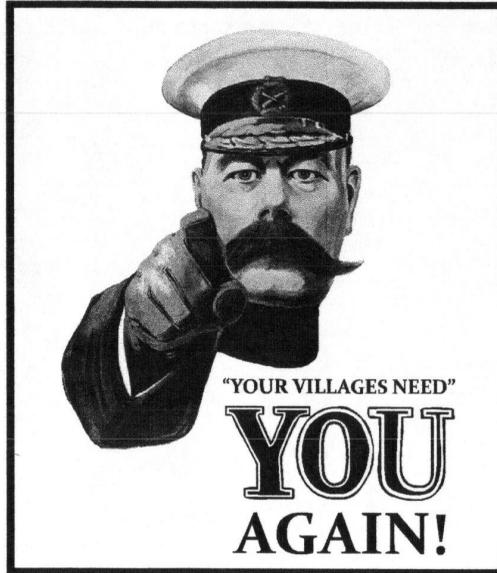
**CANCER
RESEARCH
UK**

Thank you for the generous and enthusiastic response to the recent collection for Cancer Research UK on the Lark Valley Estate in September the amount raised was **£275.93**.

A heartfelt thanks to all concerned.

Campaign Update

Hub & Waste Proposals



Fresh start promised

Open & transparent

Positive & constructive discussions

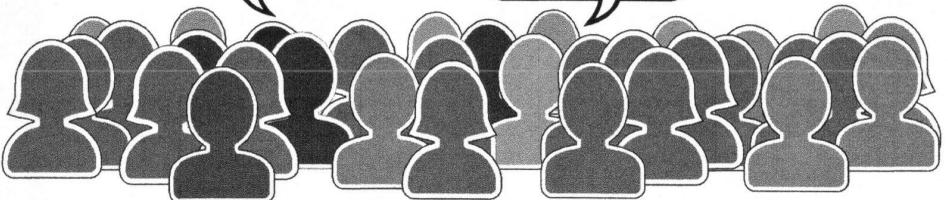
Selection criteria used to assess each site

Drawn a line under what's gone on before

HRF no longer 'preferred site'

Invite alternative sites

Set up a Focus Group



Undertakings made at SEBC Full Council Meeting 22nd September 2015

Thank You ... But it's not over yet!

Your engagement and responses during this next round of pre-planning consultation will be absolutely vital.

We understand this will take place early January

Since the Hollow Road Farm 'Hub' (WSOH) proposals were announced in March 2015, your support, resilience, letters, e-mails, phone calls, posters, petitions, turnout at meetings and other efforts have all been outstanding – and together, directly instrumental in persuading the Borough to think again and be more open, transparent and democratic. Remember, at the start, this was all a DONE DEAL!

Now, St Edmundsbury Borough Council has conceded that a fresh start is required and a new round of pre-planning consultation should be held. This will give us all the opportunity to openly consider and express our opinions on the joint SEBC/FHDC/SCC proposal for a combined West Suffolk Operational Hub.

Within this next consultation framework, St. Edmundsbury Borough Council has undertaken, without favour, to provide:

- The case for a combined operational hub, which co-locates a waste transfer station, (WTS), household waste recycling centre (HWRC), depot and workshops – and other services, all onto a single site – and why it thinks this is the right thing to do compared to the status quo and other options considered;
- The site selection criteria used in assessing potential sites for a combined operational hub;
- The process of site selection that SEBC has gone through to date, including a list of all the sites considered. This will include the opportunity for other sites to be brought forward for evaluation and further investigation;
- A sustainability appraisal for the project.

This is about informing and then shaping the future for waste handling and transfer in West Suffolk - and your continued support and contributions will be invaluable.

We all have to work together now to achieve the right and best solution for our communities.

Thank you again for all your ongoing support.

To be kept up to date with further information and developments, sign up to your villages' consolidated e-mail lists by submitting your details to your Parish Clerk. By doing so, you consent to receiving e-mails on local matters and your contact details being held on the villages' databases.

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