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A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Dave Nicholls, Chairman

I have written before about the strong community spirit in the village. This year's difficult times have allowed it to shine more brightly than ever. Many people helped their neighbours. The local volunteer group had administrators available to receive phone or email requests from 9am to 9pm seven days a week from shortly after lockdown until a couple of weeks ago. They are still on call but the times were reduced when the number of requests decreased. Those requests were handled by a group of well over 100 volunteers. Alongside this the church food bank scaled up to help support those whose economic circumstances were hardest hit.

Local businesses stepped up to provide the goods and services that were needed. Often changing their ways of working almost overnight to do so. I am sure that there are other initiatives that I'm not aware of also doing great things. It makes me very happy to know that we live in such a supportive community.

Parish Council work has continued throughout. Changes in the law allowed us to hold our meetings online, and gave us extra flexibility in some areas. We will not return to in person meetings until we are sure that it is safe to do so. This mostly affects the Annual Assembly, which should have taken place in March. While the law allows us to have no assembly this year the council feels that it should go ahead and, in order to make it as inclusive as possible, it should take place face to face. We are reviewing this monthly and will post updates once we are clear on

how to proceed.

Around the village, projects that were delayed are now underway. Replacement play equipment on the recreation ground will be ready to use in a few weeks and the upgrade to the pavilion is expected to be completed at the beginning of October. We look forward to these being available for everyone to enjoy.

Please take care as lockdown eases and follow the guidelines to help keep everyone as safe as possible.



PITSTONE PARISH COUNCIL

Laurie Eagling, Parish Clerk

Coronavirus

We continue to update our website page with all the latest details about how you can get help and support, and provide details relating to any of our services that may currently be affected. The local volunteer help group are still ready and waiting to assist you should you be contacted by Track & Trace or become unwell. Please visit www.pitstone.co.uk.

Election

The May elections were postponed by central government due to the Coronavirus outbreak, so your existing ten members will continue to serve the community for a further 12 months.

Thank You to all our Amazing Volunteers

Over 80 individuals volunteer for the parish council in some capacity on a regular basis. This includes helping at youth café, driving for the car scheme, monitoring streetlights, delivering and producing Pitstone Parish Post, sitting on one of our committees, running our allotment site, helping with one of our projects and keeping our grounds in **great condition. This doesn't include your parish councillors themselves who are also volunteers.** We were delighted that almost half of these individuals were able to attend the annual volunteer thank you event this January. It was lovely to see everybody and be able to thank them in person for the contribution they all make to our community. Thank you to each and every one of you. If you are inspired to get involved in our community, please do get in

touch (parishclerk@pitstone.co.uk) as we always have vacancies for volunteers.

Annual Assembly

For the safety of our residents, the Annual Assembly was postponed due to the Coronavirus outbreak, which also means that the presentation of our annual Volunteer of the Year Award had to be postponed. We hope that coronavirus restrictions may ease sufficiently to permit this meeting to take place later in the year and will keep residents updated.

Pitstone Development Area & Replacement Woodland

Residents will have noticed that Nicholas King Homes have undertaken site clearance and commenced works at their site off Marsworth Road and we are aware that a few people have expressed sadness at the tree felling. Buckinghamshire Council (BC) (**previously 'Aylesbury Vale District Council'**) is our local Planning Authority and they determine any tree requirements as part of planning applications. Both the tree officer and environmental officers at BC were fully involved in the plans submitted by Nicholas King Homes for the development site off Marsworth Road/Vicarage Road and as well as trees within the new development, a whole replacement woodland is being planted in the village.

A full tree report was commissioned which assessed the quality of the trees in the private plantation (there never has been public access to this area). Many of the trees were determined to be of poor quality and nearing the end of their natural life. No

trees were subject to a Tree Protection Order. A full ecological report was commissioned which identified no protected species in the woodland. As part of their development, Nicholas King Homes are planting a replacement woodland in the parish, which the tree officer has been fully involved in specifying. We understand that the replacement woodland will be richer in biodiversity than that which is being removed. There is also a management plan in place for the ongoing care of the new woodland. AVDC were satisfied that there will actually be a net gain to biodiversity and ecology as a result of the development proposals.

The full reports regarding both the replacement woodland and the trees to be planted within the development site remain available on the AVDC planning portal and can be accessed via the link below, or by searching the portal using the application reference and details listed. <https://publicaccess.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=documents&keyVal=OO3EFECLO1C00>

17/01871/APP | Residential development comprising 74 dwellings, creation of two new accesses, car parking, leisure facilities, landscaping and associated works on Land Adjacent to Allotment Gardens Marsworth Road Pitstone Buckinghamshire.

This particular site was approved for development back in 2005 with the publication of the Pitstone Comprehensive Development Plan and has taken 15 years to bring to fruition. Biodiversity is very important to the parish council and the Pitstone Neighbourhood Development Plan both protects our village from further large-scale residential developments until 2033 and contains environmental policies. Both these documents remain available on our website, link below:

<http://pitstone.co.uk/>

If you are wondering about the day nursery and restaurant/pub/café for which Nicholas King Homes (NKH) obtained outline planning permission, then NKH are in the process of appointing an agent. Once the tendering process is complete, the two parcels of land will be advertised on the open market to see if buyers can be secured. Once we are given the selling details, we will publish these onto our website etc so that any local operators who are interested in purchasing the sites can contact the relevant body.

The two roads within the new development will be named as follows:

- The main road, from the Lower Icknield Way to Vicarage Road, will be **named “Poultons Meadow” to commemorate** the previous name by which the meadow was known, which this site now occupies.
- The smaller road facing the Recreation Ground, will be known as **“Icknield Gardens” to commemorate the fact** that it sits upon the site of the old Allotment Gardens and is adjacent to the Lower Icknield Way.

AVDC has conducted a public consultation and residents were invited to submit any objections.

New Play Space for the Recreation Ground

Unfortunately the Coronavirus lockdown coincided with the planned commencement date for the replacement play space so work had to be postponed. However, we are delighted that Huck Teck are now able to recommence work and pleased to advise that work started on 6 July 2020. The work is anticipated to take 8 weeks, which will take us up to the end of August. Fingers crossed that the coronavirus regulations in place at the time will enable us to invite residents to try out all the new equipment in September. We will keep you updated on progress.

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No Play around the Parishes this Summer

It is with regret that the two Play around the Parish sessions that we hoped to host this summer can no longer take place. The safety of you and your children is our prime concern. We hope that the sessions will return next summer.

Pavilion Redevelopment Works

The redevelopment of the pavilion site was also postponed by a few weeks due to the Coronavirus outbreak. However, we are **delighted that Neville's have since been able** to start work and are progressing well. We hope that the new building will be handed over to the parish council by mid-October. The football clubs that currently utilize our site have informed their respective leagues that we are unable to fulfil any bookings prior to this date. Again, we are hoping that the coronavirus regulations in place at the time will enable us to invite residents to visit the new premises, but we will need to review this nearer the time and keep you updated. We are grateful to Pitstone & Ivinghoe United Football Club for their donation of £4k and Pitstone & Ivinghoe Junior Football Club for their donation of £1,500 towards this project.

Pitstone Parish Council and Pitstone & Ivinghoe United Football Club are also delighted to announce that the Football Stadia Improvement Fund (FSIF) are to provide grant funding of up to £35,924 towards the refurbishment and extension of their pavilion in Pitstone. The development includes new changing and community facilities, covered walkway and viewing area, turnstile access, outdoor equipment stores, office and car park improvements. These elements will meet the requirements of the football league and bring the club one step further down the road of being able to realise their ambitions of promotion. The club and parish council are most grateful for all the support received from both the FSIF

and all their other grant funders. Funded with £6.5m each year from the Premier League, the FSIF – the sister organisation of the Football Foundation – **is the country's largest** provider of grants towards projects that help improve the comfort and safety of lower league football grounds in both the professional and amateur game. These improvements range from new football stands and turnstiles to floodlighting and improved provision for disabled supporters. Both the Parish Council and Pitstone & Ivinghoe United Football Club, along with their other partners and site users, look forward to inviting members of the public to view the new facilities once the work is complete.

Dog Poop Bags Should Go in your Green Lid Bin – or Residents Pay Twice, or Three Times!

All residents pay council tax to AVDC for the collection and removal of their general waste – this is where your dog poop bags should be placed. The parish council pays AVDC to visit the village twice a week during the summer to empty dog bins, and weekly during the winter. Unfortunately, at present, they are unable to confirm if they can increase the frequency to twice weekly during the winter. The funding for this collection service comes from the parish council element of your council tax, so all residents (including those without dogs) are effectively having to pay twice for the disposal of this waste. We are aware that some residents fill up big sacks of fouling from their garden, then drive to a public dog bin and try to feed it into the bins, which causes them to fill up too quickly leaving insufficient capacity for use by those walking their dog, making the parish continually pay for more dog bins and more emptying, which is then charged to residents via a higher council tax charge. If the bulk deliveries of fouling are left next to the dog bins and the bag splits open leaving it to spill onto the

path, AVDC has to send out a specialist collection team, resulting in a third charge to **everybody's council tax**. The parish council spends approximately £2.5k per year on dog fouling collections & bins – on top of the tax you pay to AVDC for your refuse collection and specialist teams. Whilst it is clearly better to bag & dispose of dog fouling than to leave it on the ground, please dispose of the fouling correctly in your green lid bin whenever possible. Green lid refuse (including dog poop bags) is taken to Greatmoor where it is converted into energy to power your homes.

Especially during this period of national emergency, it would be helpful if your dog bags could be deposited in your green lid bins whenever possible.

Community Bus and possible alternatives in the meantime

Thank you to all the residents from the four parishes who took the time to respond to the Community Bus survey. We are working to determine if there would be enough demand to make such a service viable and will update you in due course.

In the meantime, you may find the following information useful when our country gets moving again:

- Many residents responded that they would like to use the service to access healthcare appointments. Both Pitstone (whose scheme covers both Pitstone & Ivinghoe) and Cheddington have Community Car Schemes which are operated by volunteers specifically to help residents to access medical appointments. Pitstone residents should call our coordinator on 01296 767116, who will provide further information.

- Residents also expressed an interest in journeys to Tring station. A lift-share scheme is operational for this station which may be able to assist you, please visit wmtrains.liftshare.com for more information, or email

accessibility@wmtrains.co.uk or call 07970447880. You can register as a driver or passenger, for a single journey or regular trips. This service may currently be affected by the Coronavirus regulations, but you should still be able to register your interest.

- Attending the cinema was of interest to some residents. You may not be aware that the Pitstone Film Club operates from the Memorial Hall on the last Friday of every month. Soundproofing and black out blinds have been installed. The cinema has a professional projector and screen. Drinks and snacks are available from the bar. You can follow them on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/PitstoneFilmClub/> or email them at: filmclub@pitstone.co.uk and ask to be included on the regular mailing list.

- There was also some interest in attending day trips and excursions. Local firm, Masons Coaches, offer a comprehensive range of day trips, lunch club outings and holidays, all with local pick up points in Pitstone. You can find full details via this website page: <https://www.masonscoachhire.co.uk/days-out-and-holidays> or you can ask for a brochure to be posted out to you by phoning 01296 661604 or emailing info@masonscoachhire.co.uk. As examples, trips that had previously been arranged for May included a Stratford Upon Avon River Cruise, the Malvern Spring Flower Show, a lunch club visit to The Anchor in Great Barford and a Market Day in Lichfield.

Winners of our Design a Sign competition

On 7/3/2020 it was our pleasure to present the prizes to the children who won our Design a Sign Competition. Each child was awarded with a certificate and copy of their artwork made up into a sign. Six copies of each sign have been erected around the village to encourage motorists to slow down. Very many congratulations to our six winners for their bright, colourful and eye-

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Annual Report and Accounts

This edition contains the descriptive version of our annual report and accounts for the year ending 31 March 2020, which can be found immediately after this article, on page 10. You can also find full details of our accounts, and your electors rights, on our website: <http://pitstone.co.uk/ppcnews/exercise-of-electors-rights-accounting-statements-for-year-ending-31-3-2020/>

Grants provided to the Community First Responders and Windmill Pre-School

The parish council was delighted to award a grant of £2,000 to South Central Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust to provide a dedicated kit to be used by a second Community First Responder from Pitstone. Community First Responders are volunteers and play a vital part in our local emergency healthcare provision as an ambulance will take 20 minutes to reach Pitstone from Stoke Mandeville. If a first Responder is on duty, and can reach you before the ambulance, the 999 service will notify the first responder and they will provide vital immediate first level care. You can find out more information about becoming a First Responder, or making a donation to the service, here: <https://www.scas.nhs.uk/our-services/community-and-co-responders/>

The parish council was pleased to support Windmill Pre-School with a donation of £150

to enable the production and distribution of resource packs to assist parents during the coronavirus outbreak. For more information about the preschool, please click here: <https://www.windmillpreschool.co.uk/>

Grants are considered quarterly, with the next review taking place at the July council meeting. The review will take place at the October council meeting. More details on how to apply or what we can fund is available here: <http://pitstone.co.uk/ppcinfo/grant-policy/>

Pedestrian / Cycle safe access between Pitstone and Tring Station

Hertfordshire County Council (HCC) continues to investigate engineering options to improve pedestrian and cycle safety between Pitstone and Tring Station. HCC have been very busy investigating all the various options & possibilities and have significantly cut back the trees/shrubs to improve visibility. **HCC's preferred option of a shared footway/cycleway off carriageway** has been deemed unviable due to the extreme cost and unavailability of additional land required. Unfortunately, all the alternative options investigated (such as cycle lanes on carriageway, signed cycle routes on carriageway, physical and visual interventions) for a direct route along Northfield Road have subsequently failed the associated Road Safety Audits and Speed Management Strategy. It is not possible to reduce the traffic speeds by the significant level required to enable any direct route. Therefore, aspirations for a direct cycle route along Northfield Road, that would have been of particular benefit to confident cyclists, are not implementable. HCC has also investigated if a route along the railway line was possible and this has also been ruled out. We are grateful to HCC for undertaking such a thorough investigation at their own cost. However, HCC continue to investigate if there are any options for improving the

more indirect routes that may appeal to family/leisure cyclists and will report back in due course on whether any improvements can be made to footpath 72 to enable cycle use (parts not within the highway boundary) and whether cycle channels/ramps could assist access via the Grand Union canal towpath route. The limited S106 funding

provided by Taylor Wimpey must be spent by June 2024 if any acceptable and affordable enhancements can be identified.

A copy of the HCC report is available here: <http://pitstone.co.uk/ppcinfo/foot-and-cycle-paths/> The Parish Council is actively involved with this work and continues to push for a successful resolution.

2019-2020 ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS FOR PITSTONE PARISH COUNCIL

Financial Position

	2018-19 Actual	2019-20 Actual	Variance to Last Year	2019-20 Budget	Variance to Budget
Income	£126,838	£230,338	+82%	£372,501	-38%
Expenditure	£147,157	£263,850	+79%	£1,329,704	-404%

The substantial increase year-on-year relates mainly to the three capital projects described below, where grant funds have been obtained to enable works.

The parish council is financially independent with no loans, lease payments or debts.

Extension and Refurbishment of the Pavilion Site

The parish council has been successful with obtaining grant and S106 commitments of over £900k towards the extension and refurbishment of the pavilion site (£370,000 grant from Aylesbury Vale **District Council's New Homes Bonus awarded; £540,000 of Section 106 funding ring-fenced;** £10,000 grant from the Vale of Aylesbury Housing Trust Thriving Communities scheme received; £4,000 pledged from Pitstone & Ivinghoe United Football Club; £35k application outstanding with the Football Foundation; £1.5k pledged by Pitstone & Ivinghoe Junior Football Club). The council has committed £14,885 of funding accrued over previous years towards this project. It should be noted that the majority of this grant funding is paid by the providers in retrospect, following receipt of invoices & proof of works undertaken, therefore these figures are not reflected in the above accounts. During the financial year our professional partners draw up architectural, mechanical, electrical, civil, construction and principal designer proposals; associated building and ground reports were undertaken; the tendering and value engineering processes undertaken, and Neville Special Projects awarded the contract. Planning consent was granted last year. £62,488 of costs were incurred during the year & £28,482 grant funding was received (the council must claim retrospectively). Physical construction works will commence in June 2020 (postponed from April due to Coronavirus) and complete in October 2020.

The Purchase of a Parcel of Leisure Land

What you perceive to be the recreation ground was in fact two parcels of land. The village green being the main parcel of land immediately in front of the memorial hall. The land from the rear car park back to the rear hedge, which contains the play equipment etc, was previously part of the allotment site and managed under licence to provide additional open space. The council has been trying to secure this land, on a permanent basis, for many years and was delighted when the owner

(Pitstone Parish Charity) was able to progress our purchase of the land. £37,090 was spent on this purchase, completely funded from Section 106 grant funding released by Aylesbury Vale District Council. Securing the tenure on this land, has enabled the long-awaited replacement of the play space to progress.

Installation of Replacement Play Space

Huck Teck had previously been awarded the contract for the removal of the old playground equipment on the recreation ground and the installation of an exciting new play space. Once the land purchase above had been secured, the contract was reviewed and updated. Initial ground works were undertaken. Work was due to commence at the end of March but had to be postponed due to the Coronavirus outbreak. The council is working with the contractor to facilitate the project as soon as possible. £40,055 of invoices were received during the year. This project (total cost £123,868) is being funded by an S106 release from Buckinghamshire Council, a Community Leader Grant and £11,951 of funding accrued by the parish council.

A new play space within the Bellway development off Vicarage Road has now been installed by the developer. Once open, Bellway will arrange for the maintenance and care of this play area for a period of 24 months before it can be passed to the parish council.

Other Grants Received

Buckinghamshire County Council's Local Area Forum supported our parish with two grants.

The first (£1,347) covered 50% of the cost of a second mVAS (flashing speed sign) unit for Pitstone, following approval by Taylor Wimpey for an additional site on Westfield Road. Our 2 units now rotate around our 4 approved locations.

The second (£2,080) contributed towards funding for outdoor sports equipment for the youth café including an outdoor table tennis table and outdoor basketball hoops (both of which are also utilised by Brookmead School), scooters and skateboards.

Grants and Donations given by the Parish Council

During the financial year, the parish council provided the following grants and donations to other groups: Pitstone & Ivinghoe Entertainments specifically towards the firework festival (£2k), our Volunteer of the Year 2019 (£50), Royal British Legion (in lieu of a fresh wreath) (£150) and our Volunteer of the Year 2020 (£50), although sadly the arrival of Covid-19 meant that the Annual Assembly had to be postponed and this last payment has yet to be presented.

Pitstone Community Car Scheme

A new member of staff joined us in April 2019, Stephen Davies, to fulfil the role of co-ordinator for the Pitstone Community Car Scheme. All drivers are volunteers. New drivers have been recruited, new policies put in place, training provided and the scheme is currently working well enabling residents to access their medical appointments who may otherwise struggle to do this given the limited public transport system from the village.

Pitstone Allotments

Funding was provided to purchase stone, digger, and driver, to enable Pitstone Allotment Association to install a perimeter track around the site which will mean that tenants can access their allotment throughout the year.

Other Leisure Updates

Nicholas King Homes will be installing a multi-use games area, as part of their residential development, on land owned by the Parish Council at the bottom of the Memorial Hall car park and providing replacement car parking adjacent to this. Once we have confirmed timescales from the developer, we will let residents know.

The Parish Council still aspires to install a concrete skate park on the recreation ground between the new multi-use games area and the new play space. Tendering had to be placed on hold due to the Coronavirus outbreak but will resume during 2020/21 and we will keep residents updated on progress.

Devolved Services

We received £3,552.30 from Buckinghamshire County Council to undertake grass verge cutting

within the 30mph limit (including some areas of grass previously maintained by Vale of Aylesbury Housing Trust), siding out of footpaths and certain right-of-way maintenance. £3,322.72 was expended during the financial year. Allowing for a prior year adjustment, the cost centre closed with £399.46 to carry forward to 2020-21. Under our Devolved Service obligations, we also issued 10 event advertising permits, removed unauthorised advertising, issued 3 hedge cutting notices and resolved 4 complaints.

Buckinghamshire Council have extended the contract for a further 24 months. The council re-tendered for aspects that had come up for renewal and contractors are now in place until the close of the 2021-22 season.

Ongoing Projects by Other Bodies/Tiers of Government

- Hertfordshire County Council has ruled out the possibility of a direct cycle route along Northfield Road for safety reasons but continues to investigate more indirect routes which may be of particular benefit to leisure/family cyclists.
- Buckinghamshire Council continues to work with developers (Taylor Wimpey, Croudace and Bellway) to fulfil their highway obligations.
- Buckinghamshire Council continues to work with both Pitstone and Ivinghoe Parishes re the Safety Scheme proposals.
- The new unitary Buckinghamshire Council came into effect at the start of April, replacing the old Bucks County Council and the 5 district councils.

Parish Council Election

Along with the elections for Buckinghamshire Council, our elections were postponed by central government following the outbreak of Coronavirus and will now take place in May 2021. All members of the council will continue in their existing seat of office for the further 12 months. Next May, we gain an additional seat, to reflect the expanding community. If you are interested in joining the parish council, please contact the parish clerk.



BEACON COMMUNITY CHOIR

Barbara Cummings

As we write this, it is nearly six weeks since **we should have performed Karl Jenkins's "Stabat Mater" to a packed St Mary's church,** and we should also have been preparing for our ever popular open air, summer programme, this time returning to The Lawn in Ivinghoe. How things have changed in such a short time. In the nearly 13 years since the choir was formed, we have never been silent for such a long period of time. But though we are not performing in public, work is still going on in the background. Like many choirs all over the country, the Beacon Community Choir has been meeting on Zoom, swapping lockdown stories and laughing and singing

together throughout the current crisis. We are learning a new repertoire and making plans for future concerts once we are allowed to perform again. Until the government give us all the go ahead to gather together in larger groups, and concerts and theatre performances are once again allowed, we cannot give any definite dates of future choir concerts, but as soon as we are able, we will be celebrating in song together with you, our loyal and valued audience. We hope you all keep safe over the coming weeks and we look forward to seeing you soon at our first concert in the new season!



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We hope everyone is staying safe during this challenging period as we transition from total lockdown to the “new normal”. While we definitely didn’t get off to the smooth start which was envisaged back before the Covid crisis and consequent lockdown, on 1 April, 2020 the new Buckinghamshire council was officially launched. However, with no elections possible after the lockdown, all existing councillors from all the district councils and the county council were automatically made councillors of the new unitary Buckinghamshire Council.

Councillors representing the Ivinghoe Ward are Cllrs Anne Wight, Peter Cooper, Sandra Jenkins, Derek Town and Chris Poll. With seven parishes and with Cllr Cooper technically straddling both Ivinghoe and Wing Wards, we all agreed that we would divide up the parish work to reduce duplication of effort and to ensure that each parish had two dedicated councillors able to focus their attention on the specific needs of each parish and its residents. For Cheddington, Marsworth and Pitstone Cllrs Jenkins and Town will be working together throughout the coming year to make sure residents have a definite voice in the council as the new authority takes shape.

As we move forward into the “New Normal”, we would like to remind everyone that we all need to be very vigilant since this pandemic is sadly far from over. In addition to social distancing measures, it is essential that everyone remembers to wear face masks or coverings while using any public

transport. This is particularly the case for bus passengers and parents of children using school transport. The government has got more advice on how to wear and how to make a cloth face covering on its website which you can find on this link below: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/how-to-wear-and-make-a-cloth-face-covering?dm_i=5438,7OP8,30S0KB,U1G6,1

While the Covid public health crisis has definitely been challenging, one of the greatest things to come out of it has been the way in which our communities pulled together to ensure that no one was left behind. The individual community volunteer groups were assisted by the Aylesbury Hub coordinators to make sure that help, food, and supplies got to self-isolating or shielding residents in need. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has participated in the many volunteer groups throughout our local area, which have been highly successful in helping shielding and self-isolating residents to cope with the effects of the pandemic.

We are pleased councillors were able to assist those efforts through our Covid fund, which was made available through the new Community Boards. We have already been able to provide over £8000 in funding across the Wing and Ivinghoe wards to help our volunteer groups defray their expenses.

As for council meetings, during lockdown unfortunately we were not able to hold our first full Buckinghamshire Council meeting. However, we have a virtual full meeting of



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the Council scheduled in July. Our local area planning committees have already resumed in online meetings. We have also been allocated to Select Committees and outside bodies. If residents have any concerns or questions, it is still business as normal, so do please get in touch.

We would like to also remind residents that they can still use Fix My Street and the online Rights of Way reporting tools to report any maintenance issues to the council. Both of these reporting tools can be found on the Buckinghamshire Council website link below: <https://www.buckscc.gov.uk/services/transport-and-roads/report-a-highways-problem/>

Finally, we would like to draw everyone's attention to the new Community Boards which will help us deliver services in partnership with parishes and residents in a totally new way. Cllr Anne Wight is Chairman of the new Wing and Ivinghoe Community Board and will be working with Cllr Peter Cooper who has kindly agreed to be Deputy Chairman on the Board, as well as with the other local members - Cllrs Sandra Jenkins, Chris Poll and Derek Town representing Ivinghoe Ward, and Cllrs Netta Glover and Ashley Bond from Wing Ward. This is an opportunity to improve the way that we work with residents and parish councils to deliver results and better address local needs.

Together we will be working with parish councils, Thames Valley Police, Buckinghamshire Fire & Rescue, and local health organisations to address a wide variety of local priorities. While we will be looking initially to ensure that we continue to be responsive to those shielding due to the Covid Crisis, other local priorities we might focus on could include things like tackling environmental issues, addressing mental health or anxiety within the community, reducing doorstep scammers, raising awareness of how to help avoid vulnerable people falling victim to doorstep

scams and cybercrime, improving road safety, improving community transport options, and anything else residents feel is important to them.

With a dedicated Community Board coordinating officer in place, we hope to be able to engage residents who may have felt that their needs previously had been overlooked or who may not have had time to attend parish council meetings due to work commitments. The Community Boards are for all residents. We will be looking at new ways of gathering resident input, encouraging participation via new channels, and making sure everyone who wants their voice heard has a say in setting local priorities for the board to focus on.

While Buckinghamshire will have 16 Community Boards in total, no two boards will be alike. This is an organic, new and ever-evolving concept in local government.

As we don't want to be restricted by the full Community Board meeting dates in order to get to grips with key issues affecting residents, we will be setting up sub-committees to work in depth and get results. The number and nature of sub-committees **won't be determined by a top-down** type of government model but instead will be determined by local stakeholders themselves. Sub-committees can then report their findings, concerns and funding requests to the Community Board for projects that are driven directly by resident needs and priorities.

We will be keeping parish councils informed about how the new Community Boards are progressing, so do please keep checking websites and bulletins for more information as to how you can become involved so we can hear your ideas about how you would like to see our communities develop and **thrive. Even if you don't have time to attend** meetings themselves, your voice still counts, so do please get in touch as we go forward together.



A REPORT FROM BROOKMEAD SCHOOL

Jessica Avery, Acting Headteacher

As another academic year draws to a close, we reflect on what an extraordinary experience it has been for the whole Brookmead community. When our children went home on 20th March, we truly believed the school closure was going to be a hiccup within the year, not a disruption for the remainder of it!

In true Brookmead style, however, everyone has embraced the challenge. Between the end of March and the beginning of June, we welcomed an average of 20 children with either vulnerabilities or with parents who are key workers into school each day, opening more widely to children in the Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 6 on 1st June.

Numbers in these year groups have risen steadily over the last two months and we finish the year with 130 children regularly attending school. Additionally, with our own extended opening throughout July, by the end of term almost 300 out of our 340 pupils will have spent some time in school since the initial closing.

Our own extended opening has provided the opportunity for children from year groups not specifically identified by the Government, to come into school for one extended day; this time has given them an opportunity to reflect on their successes during the first half of the year as well as the positives that home learning has brought. Despite uncertainties, many children have identified how home learning has promoted their independence, their confidence as independent learners as well as their curiosity for finding things out. It has, indeed, been a delight to recognise these growing strengths emerging from a challenging situation. Furthermore, the

children in school quickly adapted to the Government guidance and the new routines put in place, displaying resilience and increased stamina throughout a very different school day. You may well have seen them all embracing the rules with regards to social distancing each morning as they have lined up to come in. Without a doubt, the all important Brookmead School Values have continued to be displayed loudly and clearly. With further Government guidance now released with regards to how schools will be moving forward in September, we continue to make plans to ensure the best for all our children. As you may be aware, Brookmead will have a new Headteacher from September. Mrs Esther Taylor is joining us from Oak Green School, a large primary school in Aylesbury, where she has been a Deputy Head for nine years. Esther and I have been working on the forward plans together, building on what Brookmead has had in place since March and I am confident Esther will continue to lead the school along a widening path in the months ahead.

For me, it is the end of my time at Brookmead. After nearly twenty four years I have decided to retire, a decision I took a while back and one that fills me with a mixture of sadness as well as excitement as one chapter closes and another opens. I would like to thank the whole community for the support over the years - (I have taught many of you!) - and particularly for the support received during my final period of time here as Acting Headteacher. As someone who lives locally, it is definitely not 'goodbye' but rather 'I look forward to seeing you in and around the village'.

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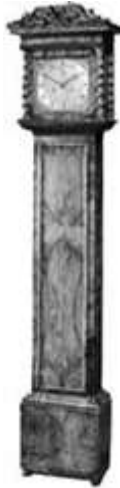
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UPDATES FROM THE CHURCH

Val Plumb and Sandra Green

Extraordinary Times Call for
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Dear folks,

My name is Val Plumb and I'm currently the Rural Dean for the Mursley deanery and one of my jobs is to support churches when they are without a vicar!

So, it has been a real joy getting to know your church wardens and ministry team over the last few months and I very much look forward to getting to know you too!

But it is fair to say that things haven't quite been as straight forward as we would have liked. Who would have thought 3/4 months ago we would be living in a world where phrases like 'new normal, stay safe and social distancing' would be in our language let alone all the extreme changes that we have endured as a society?

But thankfully the one thing that has not changed in all of this, and will never change, is God and His promise to be with us in whatever we are going through. Jesus said 'And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age' Matthew 28:20. And best of all, God doesn't do Social Distancing!

It been a rough time for everyone during these extraordinary times, but especially for our elderly and vulnerable who have and are still experiencing some real isolation as they continue to shield. As a church it has been such a privilege to work alongside our communities as we collectively reach out and support our neighbours.

Lockdown or locked up as I like to call it created some of the most challenging and painful times and for some and for others it

became a real treat, an opportunity to simply stop.

One of the great gifts of the Christian messages that is so often forgotten about is the call to be still, to let go and let God. We are so good at being busy with the outside world that sometimes we forget that its **equally important to do the 'housework'** within ourselves too.

It's so easy to give into pressure, to fulfil other's expectations, to keep the show on the road that often we find ourselves feeling exhausted and fed up, and that is not the best place to be and certainly not the place that God is calling us to be.

We have a long history of early church fathers who knew the importance of to use a **modern term 'chillin' out', they would** literally opt out of everyday life choose to be totally alone, and start living and breathing at a much deeper level of existence where they developed, a calm simple routine and rhythm to life.

As the year arches through summertime for some the busyness naturally lulls, people traditionally take more holidays, schools close and our young people finally get to rest after the pressure of exams, and we just seem to spend more time outside in nature enjoying the warmth and colour of the season.

But in these extraordinary times I urge you **more than ever to 'stop and smell the roses',** coming out of lockdown will be a challenging time because we simply don't know the future and for many that can be very stressful.

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Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. John 14:27

Do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself.
Each day has enough trouble of its own.
Matthew 6:34

So, I wish you well, stay safe, stay positive **and remember... the importance of doing nothing and then resting afterwards!**
Val Plumb, Rural Dean for the Mursley Deanery

News from St. Mary's Church, Ivinghoe

Some of you will know that we are without a vicar just now. As all appointments have been frozen because of Covid 19, this will be the case for some time. So, until then the church wardens, Babs Byrom and David Green and I will be responsible for the day to day running of the church with the help and support of Val, our lovely Area Dean. In the letter before she introduces herself to us all.

If St. Mary's can help you in any way, please contact Babs on 07860 780127 or David or myself on 01296 668648. At the moment, we are only open for private prayer twice a week on Wednesdays from 10-midday and Saturday afternoons from 2-4pm but as circumstances change we will let you know.
Sandra Green, Licensed Lay Minister

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The lockdown time has given us the opportunity to revamp and deep clean, and we are now open again. Full safety measures are in place so you will notice some changes, and we are adapting rapidly according to the guidance issued by the County and the Government.

We are open between 2pm and 5pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays for help and advice from the Library Manager or a senior volunteer.

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We plan to hold our AGM on Saturday 19th September at 10am.



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We are sorry to say that, with heavy hearts, we've finally taken the decision to cancel BeaconLit 2020. The current situation with Covid19 means we cannot confidently put tickets on sale or do any of the other things we would need to be doing to mount a festival in July, and we have concluded that postponing to a later date is unlikely to be a realistic option.

We know local book lovers will be as disappointed as we are that the festival, with a fabulous line up, won't be going ahead - but we are hoping to keep as many of that line up as possible on board for Festival 2021 on Saturday 10 July next year. These include:

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- Sunday Times Bestseller Ruth Hogan

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- Characters: Debate and Create - with Morgen Bailey
- Historical thrillers panel with some of the top names in the genre: Antonia Hodgson, Laura Shepherd-Robinson, William Ryan and Antonia Senior
- Sunday Times Bestseller Cara Hunter in conversation with crime writer Dave Sivers
- Former Chief Crown Prosecutor and **Chief Executive of the UK's Police & Crime Commissioners** Nazir Afzal

So please save the date! Meanwhile, we are hoping to do some BeaconLit events online during the Summer, and we'll keep you informed on that.

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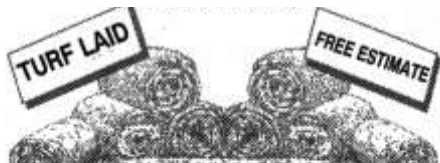
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RELIGION

Ivinghoe and Pitstone Chapel Fellowship:

Sunday Services on third Sunday of each month, 12 Church Rd, 10:30. Family film on first Thursday of each month, Millennium Room of Memorial Hall, 2pm. Over 60s Club on third Thursday of each month, Yardley Centre, 2-4pm, join us for varied programmes of speakers, quizzes and entertainment.

Contact: 01296 668005

First Thursday Friends: Family film on 1st Thursday of each month, 2 - approx. 4:15pm Millennium Room Pitstone Memorial Hall

Contact: Margaret Cole 01296 668005

St Mary's Redundant Church Conservation: Awaiting details

St Mary's Ivinghoe: Awaiting details

Contact: Reverend Adrian Manning

Tring and Berkhamsted SGI Buddhists: A lay humanist organisation. The SGI is a global movement of people connected by Buddhism and the shared commitment to realise a future where life's inherent dignity blooms.

Contact: Sue Nicholls 07788 662349 or check out <https://sgi-uk.org/>

HEALTH

Village Health Centre: Yardley Avenue, Pitstone. LU7 9BE Opening hours 9am - 12pm and 2pm - 6pm except Wednesdays 8 - 12pm and closed pm and Fridays, 9am - 12pm and 2 - 5pm

Contact: www.pitstonesurgery.co.uk and 01525 223211

Little Rothschild Surgery: 71 Marsworth Road, Pitstone LU7 9AX Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 8am - 1pm and 2 - 4:30pm Friday 8am - 1pm closed in the afternoon

Contact: www.rothschildhousesurgery.co.uk, 01296 662800

Nifty Fifties Plus: Keep fit for older folk followed by optional gentle sport. Not for profit. Cheddington Village Hall. Thursdays 10 - midday. Contact: Chris Hall, 01442 824350

PLACES TO VISIT

Ford End Watermill: The only working watermill to survive intact, in the county. Restored and run by Ford End Watermill Society. Open Easter and bank holidays. Adults £3, children £1. For further details go to www.fordendwatermill.co.uk

Contact millman@fordendwatermill.co.uk or tel. 01442 825421

Ashridge House: Set in 190 acres of gardens, Ashridge House is majestically nestled in National Trust woodland in the rolling Chiltern Hills in Hertfordshire. Tours available. Find out more at <http://www.ashridgehouse.org.uk/about-ashridge-house/>

USEFUL NUMBERS

Report a Right of Way Issue: <https://www.buckscc.gov.uk/services/environment/public-rights-of-way/report-a-rights-of-way-issue/>

Street light problems: Castlemead lights – email:

CCSouthMid@taylorwimpey.com

Marsworth Road lights – Bucks County Council online: [http://](http://www.transportforbucks.net/report-it-street-lighting.aspx)

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Other Pitstone lights - email: parishclerk@pitstone.co.uk

Report a pot hole, blocked drain or other highway problem: Bucks County Council online:

<http://www.transportforbucks.net/Report-it-pothole.aspx>

Castlemead highway issue? Email: CCSouthMid@taylorwimpey.com

Missed bin collection or to find out about recycling: Aylesbury Vale District Council online:

<https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/section/recycling-and-waste>

Dispute with your neighbours about their high hedge: Aylesbury Vale District Council offer more information and a complaint service. For more information go to: <https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/high-hedges>

Other nuisances causing problems e.g. smoke, air pollution etc: Visit Aylesbury Vale District Council website: <https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/section/nuisance> or <https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/section/environmental-problems>

Bothered by aircraft noise: Email Luton Airport noise@ltn.aero









Need details of a planning application: Details of all local applications are published online by Aylesbury Vale District Council: <https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/search-planning-licensing-applications>

Want to know if you need planning permission? Visit: <https://www.planningportal.co.uk/>

Illegally parked: Report problem vehicles to Thames Valley Police on telephone: 101

Faulty electronic bus stop signs: passtrans@buckscc.gov.uk

PITSTONE PARISH COUNCIL

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