

Front Garden Competition

After judging took place over the summer, letters went out to the shortlist selected as candidates for the Parish Council Best Front Garden competition, 2018. Further judging has now selected a winner of each of our categories: best Dane Housing and overall winner. The two winners have now been notified by letter and invited to receive their trophy and award at the next meeting of the Parish Council.

Traffic Matters

The Parish Council have received many comments regarding the newly installed puffin crossing on London Road. Whilst some comments have been positive, many concerns have been raised to us including positioning of the posts, angles of the lights and timing issues. As a result, members of the Parish Council have arranged a meeting with Cheshire East engineers so that we can try and resolve the complaints.

On a positive note, Cheshire East Council has notified us that the double mini roundabouts in the village centre will be resurfaced and white lined over the last weekend of September. This will greatly improve safety around this area.

We have recently had one of our regular meetings with Cheshire East Highways where we were able to pursue several matters. One outcome was that the Parish Council are to supply a list of signs that have become obscured by foliage so that Cheshire East can arrange some remedial work. We ask residents to contact the Parish Council Office with details of any obscured signs of which they are aware to help us ensure our list is complete.

Police Matters

Our PC, Roger Need, and PCSOs, Liz Chesters and Lee Berry, are continuing to hold surgeries where you can raise issues directly with them. The Parish Council office is now being used for some of these surgeries to provide privacy, if required, when discussing your issues. Dates can be found on the Parish Council Website and in the Parish Council office window.

The police have advised us that they issued 54 tickets for speeding offences on Manor Lane and Macclesfield Road in August. We can expect further enforcement of speed limits and the HGV routing in the coming weeks.

Facebook

The Parish Council now has a Facebook Page which we will use to quickly pass on news and information in a timely manner. The page can be found by searching for Holmes Chapel Parish Council and 'liking' the page to follow it. Our news should then appear in your feed. Alternatively, a link can be found on the Parish Council Website.

We will continue to publish our news using existing means on our website and in this magazine as we appreciate that not everyone has Facebook.

Our office is generally open Tuesday to Friday mornings, 9am to 12 noon.

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