

## **DILTON MARSH PARISH COUNCIL – NEWS AND UPDATES– JULY 2024**

### **Pollinator Corridor**

Dilton Marsh Pollen Corridor is now in its second year, and is developing well. It is part of the Ethandune Pollen Corridor providing a pathway for insects and Bees to use to pollinate our plants and crops. The work on the patches is completed by residents of the village who are committed to improving the environment. The areas are a mix of wild flowers, cut grassed areas and no-mow areas. The lawn mower donated by Tracey Hyde, Red Fish Events following the Dilton Dash will help so much. It will allow the team to maintain the areas, provide paths and clearings for residents, young and older to walk among wild flowers, spend time sitting on the benches and watching Bees and insects buzz around. The lawn mower will be a true work horse in the autumn cutting back the no-mow areas and the wildflowers in preparation for our 3rd year. Dilton Marsh Pollen Corridor are very grateful for the donation of this lawn mower and will ensure it is used wisely to improve our environment.

### **Community Grants**

The Parish Council has recently awarded two community grants, in support of local organisations and projects. The Little Marshians Toddler Group was awarded £250 and the Holy Trinity Church £300 in support of the parish magazine. If any local group would like to apply for a grant please contact the Parish Clerk who will provide a grant application form. Please note that the Council does request that a representative of the organisation attends the Council meeting at which the grant application is to be discussed.

### **Speed Posters**

More speed posters are to be produced following an event held in Woodland View during the half term holiday. Local children designed a number of posters to raise awareness of speeding issues and at the June PC meeting six designs were picked to be taken forward. The final details for the production of the signs will be agreed at the July meeting.

### **Planning Applications**

Details of planning applications are posted on the PC website and information on any planning decisions can be found in the PC minutes. Minutes are published on the website and copies can also be requested from the Clerk.

### **Dates for your diary**

The Parish Council meets on the third Thursday of every month (apart from August) at 7.30 pm in the Memorial Hall. Please do come along! Meetings dates for the remainder of 2024 are:

19<sup>th</sup> September 2024

17<sup>th</sup> October 2024

21<sup>st</sup> November 2024

19<sup>th</sup> December 2024 (if required)

### **Contact Information**

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