



# ANNUAL REPORT

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## Chairman's Foreword

Dear Parishioners

It is both a pleasure and an honour to write to you again as the Chairman of Stoke Mandeville Parish Council. A particular welcome to the many new residents of the parish.

Updating you on our work during a pandemic, with a brutal war going on in Europe and a cost-of-living crisis at home seems particularly trivial by comparison. But local people are interested in local issues, and we are working on plenty of those on your behalf.

The parish council has continued to operate remotely where possible, although legislation requires us to now revert to the previous model of meeting in person in certain cases. That has advantages and disadvantages, but we have tried our best to provide the service you expect from us, and we have continued to work well with key stakeholders. Here I would like to thank our local Unitary councillors, Peter Strachan, Richard Newcombe and Steve Bowles, for their input and interest in our work.

There are currently several key projects for us, summarised here, but set out more fully in other sections of this report.

On the long-running Neighbourhood Plan, we published our draft Plan last summer and received enthusiastic backing from those who responded to the ambitious ideas set out in the consultation documents. But good ideas count for little without being able to deliver them in the real world, and we have since been working with both interested parties and external consultants to turn those into reality. We hope to produce a finalised Plan, suitable for submission to Buckinghamshire Council and able to be approved by residents, in the coming months.

At Eskdale Road, we constructed a path round the field which has proved popular for many users, especially during poor weather. We have also extended the car park to provide further spaces. Later in the year, we hope to replace the playpark, which like the author is much-loved but now showing its age, with brand new equipment. As far as the Community Centre itself is concerned, we need to work with the existing trustees/committee to ensure its continued operation once they step down at the end of July.

No-one can fail to notice the work being carried out by HS2 in the village and around Hawkslade. We continue to meet regularly with them and challenge when required. On a more positive note, many of you will have seen the publicity following the spectacular finds at the old St Mary's Church site – you may even have enjoyed visiting it on the open days during the summer. We want the remains exhumed from the site to be reburied in our new burial ground in Marsh Lane and are waiting for what we hope will be funding from HS2. Building it will be a major piece of work over the next year.

Turning to our regular committees, these continue to meet frequently. Planning Committee monitors planning applications and construction work, as set out later in this report. Both HS2 plans and those for the Sports & Social Club in Lower Road have been closely scrutinised. Communities Committee works tirelessly to improve the facilities and appearance of the parish, and Finance and Governance Committee keeps an eye on how we operate and what we spend.

We have tried to improve our engagement with residents during the year, putting more information on social media, updating noticeboards more frequently and being proactive with the local press and radio stations. We know that this is a process which will take time to fully bear fruit.

Local elections took place in May 2021. As in many parishes, the election was uncontested in Stoke Mandeville, with all those councillors standing being re-elected. Gaurav Shrivastava joined us as a councillor for the Village ward and has been a welcome addition. We do however remain short on

numbers, with four current vacancies. This position is sadly becoming more common, at a time when parish councils have more influence and more work to do. We'd really encourage anyone with an interest in improving the community and the daily lives of those in it, to join us. Contact the Clerk for more details.

Our staff have risen to the challenges this year, as we knew they would. As the first port of call for residents, they do a huge amount of work on your behalf, efficiently and without fuss. To us councillors, their advice and support is invaluable. Many residents will know Ann-Marie Davies, our Assistant Clerk, who is retiring soon. She has been a complete pleasure to work with in my short time on the Parish Council and we will all miss her greatly. From a very good pool of applicants, Peter Rayner was selected as Ann-Marie's replacement. We welcome him.

Sincere thanks to Tony Skeggs as Clerk and to my fellow councillors for all the guidance and input they have given me over the year. It is much appreciated.

For the last two years, I have concluded by saying *'I hope that by the time the next of these reports is produced, the world will be a safer and more stable place, and the lives of parishioners will have returned to normal. Our work continues with that aim. In the meantime, I wish you and your families all the best.'* I wish I don't have to repeat myself again this year.

*Graham Stewart* - Chairman - April 2022



## Council Members

Stoke Mandeville Parish Council comprises a maximum of twelve Councillors, elected or co-opted to the Parish Council. At the end of March 2022, there were four vacancies, two in the Stoke Leys ward and one each in the Hawkslade and Stoke Grange wards. This leaves us with four positions to be filled by co-option. If you are interested in being a councillor, please contact the Chairman or Clerk. Councillors hold an important public office and, while the role is voluntary and unpaid, there is a small allowance to cover expenses. We do not want anyone to be deterred from being a Councillor for financial reasons.

The Council meets on the third Tuesday of every month except August. Details of the meetings are on the website and noticeboards within the Parish and can be obtained from the Clerk on request. Following the parish elections in May 2021, the councillors who represented you during 2021/22 are shown below.

| Name                         | Ward Represented         | Committees  |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Chris Thorn                  | Hawkslade                | Communities and Planning                              |
| Pat Wood                     | Hawkslade                | Communities and Finance & Governance                  |
| Andrew Clark<br>(Vice-Chair) | Stoke Grange             | Finance & Governance, Neighbourhood Plan and Planning |
| John Robinson                | Stoke Grange             | Finance & Governance, Planning and Neighbourhood Plan |
| Barbara Ezra                 | Stoke Mandeville Village | Communities and Planning                              |
| Jonathan Magill              | Stoke Mandeville Village | Communities and Planning                              |
| Gaurav Shrivastava           | Stoke Mandeville Village | Finance & Governance                                  |
| Graham Stewart<br>(Chair)    | Stoke Mandeville Village | Finance & Governance and Neighbourhood Plan           |

## Council Staff

The Parish Council employs two members of staff on a part-time basis, and they are based in the council office.

**Clerk and RFO: Tony Skeggs**

**Assistant Clerk: Ann-Marie Davies until 30<sup>th</sup> April  
Then Peter Rayner.**



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## Attendance record at meetings of the Parish Council and its Committees

| Councillor                                | Attendance |            |               |
|---|------------|------------|---------------|
|   | Possible   | Actual     | %             |
| Cllr Jenny Hunt (Stood down May 2021)     | 2          | 2          | 100.00%       |
| Cllr Richard Butler (Stood down May 2021) | 1          | 1          | 100.00%       |
| Cllr Santosh Kirve (Stood down May 2021)  | 1          | 1          | 100.00%       |
| Cllr Andrew Clark (Vice Chair)            | 24         | 11         | 45.83%        |
| Cllr Barbara Ezra                         | 26         | 23         | 88.46%        |
| Cllr Jonathan Magill                      | 26         | 18         | 69.23%        |
| Cllr John Robinson                        | 24         | 20         | 83.33%        |
| Cllr Gaurav Shrivastava                   | 14         | 13         | 92.86%        |
| Cllr Graham Stewart (Chair)               | 15         | 15         | 100.00%       |
| Cllr Chris Thorn                          | 26         | 19         | 73.08%        |
| Cllr Pat Wood                             | 19         | 18         | 94.74%        |
|   | <b>178</b> | <b>141</b> | <b>79.21%</b> |

YOUR COUNCILLORS DURING 2021-2022

Barbara Ezra, Pat Wood, Chris Thorn, Jonathan Magill



Andrew Clark, Graham Stewart, John Robinson, Gaurav Shivastava

## Committee Reports

### Communities Committee

#### Members

Barbara Ezra (Chair), Jonathan Magill, Chris Thorn, and Pat Wood.

During the last twelve months the following projects were completed or are still in progress.

The car park was relined during the summer with an additional disabled bay being created next to the play area. The car park is presently being extended and was due for completion at the end of March. The tennis courts on the playing field were relined and there is a plan to provide new nets.

Being an allotment holder continues to be a popular choice. Currently, there are no vacancies and a waiting list. A new gravel pathway from the car park into the allotment area was laid as well as a new boot scrape to keep the path clean. For the first time the parish council provided a skip to give the allotment holders a chance to get rid of any rubbish that they had. This proved very successful and may be repeated.



The perimeter path around the Queen Elizabeth 2nd playing field continues to be well used by the community and has had some remedial repairs with further work planned for the summer. The path is just under a third of a mile (500 metres) for one circuit.

As part of the devolved services agreement with Buckinghamshire Council, Aylesbury Town Council has continued to carry out grass cutting and maintenance services across most Parish wards this year on a contractual basis on behalf of the Council. Again, their work has been complimented by residents who praise its frequency and quality. We are pleased to have been informed that the Bucks Council subsidy towards these devolved services will be continued for 2022/23.

The Parish Council owns and maintains the streetlights in Stoke Mandeville Village and the Stoke Leys ward. Now that new lights either side of The Bell in Lower Road have been installed by Buckinghamshire Council, the remaining lights can be converted to LEDs. The lights in Old Risborough Road are due to disappear once HS2 construction starts.

The parish council provided two new benches – an accessible bench on Station Road and one outside the combined school (to commemorate Stephen Pluckwell, a Parish Councillor who passed away in 2020).

The Parish Council has made two bids to the Community Board for funding of white gates to some of the entrances to the village and to provide a power supply to the village green to allow for a Christmas Tree to be lit.



There are plans to hold a Picnic on the Playing Field event to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee on the 3<sup>rd</sup> June. Entertainers have been booked and it is hoped that there will be street food vans offering a range of foods for those residents who want something more than a picnic.

Grounds maintenance work around the village and playing fields continues to be provided by two contractors, R. Haines, and Buckinghamshire Council.

Several of the junior teams of Stoke Mandeville FC continued to play their home games at Eskdale Road.

Lastly, the biggest project to date is to revamp the play area and to bring it up to date with modern equipment. The council has met with several play providers and is now awaiting to review their submissions, with a decision to be made in April. Work is not expected to start until September 2022. Part of the process involved asking the children from the Combined School to put their requirements on paper, some of which should feature in the final design. All the children who produced drawings received a £5 book voucher whilst four winners each received a £25 book voucher.

My thanks go to all Committee members for their support and input throughout the last year.

Barbara Ezra  
Chairman

## Finance and Governance Committee

### Members

Graham Stewart (Chairman), Andrew Clark, John Robinson, Gaurav Shrivastava, and Pat Wood.

### Report on Activities in the Financial Year – 2021/2022

#### Governance

The remit of this committee is 'To be responsible for the finances of the council, setting the annual budget, the precept, reviewing the final accounts and auditor reports. Ensuring that the council policies are reviewed and kept up to date.'

The committee met twice during the 2021/22 year – in October and December – although items covered by its remit were included in several full Parish Council meetings.

We had a long and detailed discussion before setting the budget and precept for the coming financial year. It was agreed that the amount we ask each household to pay should be increased by 9.75%. Increases are never welcome, but we took the following points into consideration before settling on this figure:

- No increase had been applied in the previous year
- Inflationary pressure on the costs of labour and raw materials, which impact our capital spending and maintenance work
- Inflationary pressure on the costs of utilities
- Our increased use of specialist consultants to help deliver projects
- New housing development in the parish has resulted in a higher tax base

This means that a Band D household will pay £71.48 instead of £65.13 per year – an increase of £6.35. We think this remains good value for the services we provide and is comparable to, or lower than, many parishes of a similar size.



This increase ensures our finances will remain in a solid position, with reserves which are adequate both for the work we plan to carry out and for unforeseen expenses. It results in a total precept of £198,500. Net expenditure for the year is forecast at £216,000.

Your council, like all public bodies, operates according to a set of policies. We continue to make good progress with maintaining and updating these, bringing them into a common format with an agreed review cycle. In line with statutory requirements, we have introduced a new policy on investments.

Each year your council is subject to an external audit of its finances and governance. The auditor noted that a further control around the signing of invoices and payments was required and that a more robust tender process could have been used for one project. These points have been noted and we have revised our processes accordingly.

Thanks to members of the committee for the valued input and support they have given this year.

Graham Stewart  
Chairman

## Planning Committee

### Current Members

Andrew Clark (Chairman), Barbara Ezra, Jonathan Magill, John Robinson, and Chris Thorn.

The Planning Committee meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm. During 2021/22 meetings went back to being held in public, although on occasions when there have been only a couple of domestic applications the meetings were held virtually but have remained open to members of the public.

The Parish Council is a statutory consultee for planning applications within the parish and has a set period in which to undertake this function, sometimes only a matter of days. It's important to emphasise that whilst the Parish Council has a right to be consulted on all planning applications, ultimately the decision on applications rests with the Local Planning Authority – Buckinghamshire Council. Whilst developers have the right of appeal against those decisions, unfortunately Parish Councils do not. As planning decisions have to be based on law, the Council is careful to relate its objections to national and local guidance such as the emerging Vale of Aylesbury Local Plan or the National Planning Policy Framework. By doing this, your council can often build compelling arguments for changes to planning applications to make them better for local residents.

The last few years have seen unprecedented house building in the parish of Stoke Mandeville. This has been driven by landowners and developers and agreed by Buckinghamshire Council (or its predecessor Aylesbury Vale District Council) who are themselves constrained by the national Government agenda to increase housing in Buckinghamshire. As such, the new developments have been largely outside the control of the Parish Council and our task has been to try and make the new developments as good as they can be and to minimise the possible loss of amenity for existing residents. While many existing residents regret the loss of fields and open spaces, as a Council we have no choice but to accept the changes and work to make them better and more acceptable. We have successfully persuaded developers and Buckinghamshire Council to make changes over the year, ranging from the layout and design of major developments to the details of restoration of listed buildings. The parish council is sometimes requested by the local planning authority to provide street names for new developments, in doing so the council tries to reflect local themes within its suggestions.

Sadly, major house building in Stoke Mandeville parish is not finished, with between 1,000 and 1,600 homes planned for the 'Aylesbury Garden Town 1' development between Lower and Wendover Roads and a further 500 – 600 houses in the 'Aylesbury Garden Town 2' near Hawkslade.

Last, but by no means least, the Parish Council also has overarching responsibility for the Neighbourhood Plan. A draft has been agreed by the Council, but still needs to be approved by the Local Planning Authority, Buckinghamshire Council before a local Referendum can be undertaken and then submission to the Planning Inspectorate for final agreement.

The Planning Committee considered 38 domestic and 3 major planning applications from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021 to the end of March 2022.

Andrew Clark,  
Chairman

## Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group

It has been another extremely busy year for the Stoke Mandeville Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group. But back in June 2021 the Steering Group signed off a draft of the document entitled "*The Stoke Mandeville Neighbourhood Plan*", which was subsequently agreed by the Full Council at a special council meeting on the 24<sup>th</sup> June. This enabled the council to undertake a six-week consultation period involving the public, developers and other interested parties including Buckinghamshire Council.

During the year, members of the group have met very regularly and put considerable effort into the development of the Plan and formulating responses to the comments that were received from the consultation. Thanks are due to the Councillors and members of the public involved.

It was re-assuring that the public supported the aims of the Neighbourhood Plan especially the five main themes - The Parish Centre, Stoke Brook Corridor, Southern Boundary, Western Boundary, and the ex-Bucks CC S&S club. The parish council has employed Untitled Practice to work up feasibility studies, which will be required when the plan is presented to the Planning Inspectorate. During the year, the group has been ably supported by Angie Bamford in her administrative role. who has attended meetings (both internal and external) as required and has helped to keep us on track with delivery.

It is important to mention that the Neighbourhood Plan is one of a number of documents which will influence the future of the Parish. It forms part of the overall planning system followed by national and local government, but it allows us considerable discretion to shape the character, quality and feel of our own local area. In producing the Plan, the group has given much thought to the future, and the intention is that soon we will share those thoughts under the working title 'A Vision for Stoke Mandeville'.

### **AGT1 and the Gardenway**

Many residents will be familiar with the major housing development proposed for AGT1, the area (currently farmland) south of Stoke Mandeville Hospital and Stoke Grange, and north of the village. Workshops have taken place in recent months between the consortium of developers, Buckinghamshire Council, technical experts, and representatives of your Parish Council. We have contributed very fully to these, despite challenging and often unrealistic deadlines, making our views clear where we think the proposals are inappropriate or could be improved, but never opposing just for the sake of it. It remains to be seen to what extent our contributions are incorporated in the final plans, but we will continue to represent the interests of those who may be impacted by the proposals.

The Gardenway is the 18km orbital park that will encircle Aylesbury, which will be delivered in phases over several years. The route will connect with existing walking and cycling routes providing a green corridor to surrounding villages and the local countryside. Part of the Gardenway will pass through the Parish, and again we have taken part in meetings and workshops to suggest to the Buckinghamshire Council team how best this could be delivered in Stoke Mandeville. We await their proposals with interest.

Both these projects are complex and highly constrained by external factors such as HS2, the existing railway line and road networks, and the proposed SEALR. But those in authority have the responsibility to ensure they are delivered in the best way possible and we will hold them to account.

Andrew Clark, Chairman.

## HS2

During the year, HS2 and their contractors have continued their extensive work in the parish, both construction activity in the fields outside Hawkslade and Stoke Mandeville, and archaeological work at the site of the old St Mary's Church next to Risborough Road.

The latter, now complete, resulted in finds of great national importance, which received extensive newspaper and television coverage. I know that the open days held on site proved very popular and we are grateful to those hosting them.

In the autumn, we began formal work with HS2 to design and part fund a new burial ground situated in Marsh Lane. This will receive the bodies exhumed from the old church site, so that they remain within the parish in an appropriately marked setting. Part of the site will be used for that purpose with the larger remainder used for new burials, as our current burial ground reaches capacity. We have engaged external consultants, CDS, to help refine our plans and negotiate the various planning and surveying hurdles which must be overcome. Approval from HS2 is now several months behind schedule, but we are hearing positive noises and hope to receive the go-ahead soon.

Your council continues to hold regular meetings with HS2's engagement managers. We receive details from them of forthcoming work and publicise these via our website and social media. It continues to be the case that information is often received late, and work does not take place when planned, but we hold them to account and provide feedback from residents when we are made aware of issues. Traffic, the closure of footpaths/rights of way and noise tend to be the main source of complaints. We have asked HS2 to undertake more public engagement in the parish than they have done to date, so residents are better informed.

In December we received detailed construction maps and noise reports from HS2. We reviewed these and gave feedback to the officers at Buckinghamshire Council in time for their planning meetings with senior HS2 officials.

Last year we joined a group of seven parishes, extending from Aylesbury in the north to Missenden in the south, in order to have a more powerful voice when talking to HS2, its contractors and Buckinghamshire Council. To date this appears to have had limited success based on the level of engagement we have seen.

## Membership of external bodies

The Parish Council enjoys membership of a few external bodies to which nominated Councillors attend as elected representatives to represent the views of their communities as follows:

### **Community Boards 2021/2022**

The sixteen Community Boards covering Buckinghamshire continued to meet virtually during 2021/22. Each one is led by a Councillor from Buckinghamshire Council, to which Parish and Town Councils, local organisations and businesses are invited to attend. Stoke Mandeville Parish is within the Wendover and Other Villages Community Board with Aston Clinton, Buckland, Bierton, Buckland, Drayton Beauchamp, Halton, Hulcott, Kingsbrook, Wendover and Weston Turville, and therefore no longer links with Aylesbury Town. Community Boards are allocated their own budget for funding schemes within their area. Stoke

Mandeville has made two bids for funding – the first to establish a power supply to the village green to light a Christmas tree which has been approved and the second to provide village gates indicating you are entering the village. No decision has been reached on this one.

- **Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes Association of Local Councils [BMKALC]**

BMKALC is the County member organisation providing support, information and training for member Parish and Town Councils. It links into the National Association for Local Councils [NALC] which acts on behalf of parish and town councils with Government. Membership to these organisations is not obligatory. BMKALC is led by an Executive Committee comprising thirty-four Councillors elected by their peers. A quarterly Parishes Liaison Forum is organised by BMKALC when two Councillors from member Councils are invited to attend. These meetings are well subscribed by both Parishes and Officers of the unitary authority and there is an opportunity for Parish and Town Councils to raise issues for discussion through the agenda.

- **Stoke Mandeville and Other Parishes Charity**

Barbara Ezra is nominated by the Parish Council to serve on the Board of the Stoke Mandeville and Other Parishes Charity and is also the elected Chairman. The Board of Trustees are nominated by the Parish Councils of Stoke Mandeville, Prestwood and Great Hampden, which are partners within the Charity.

- **ARLA Liaison Group**

Pat Wood is the Parish Council's representative on the liaison group, which serves to benefit local communities.

## Council Finances

### Unaudited summary of the Council's financial performance

|                                    |                 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Opening balance as at 01/04/2021 - | £217,693        |
| Total Income                       | £216,647        |
| Total Expenditure                  | £158,960        |
| Closing Balance as at 31/03/2022 - | <b>£275,380</b> |

Total receipts for the year were £216,647, which included:

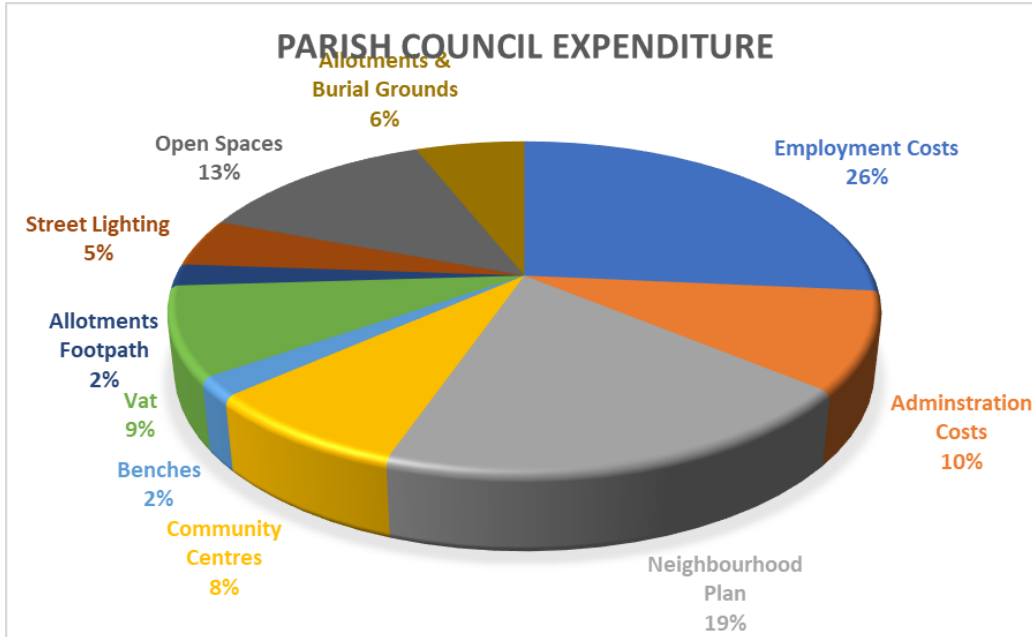
- Precept - £173,350
- Charity grant - £12,000
- Neighbourhood Planning grant - £9,900
- New Homes Bonus grant - £2,000
- Allotment Rents - £1,365
- Burial Ground fees - £1,250
- Miscellaneous - £8,050
- Playing Field rentals - £300
- Reclaimed VAT - £2,592

Total Expenditure for the year was £158,960; the highest expenditure items were:

- Employment of clerk and assistant clerk - £42,074,
- Development of the Neighbourhood Plan - £30,552,
- Installation of gravel pathway to the allotments - £3,375,
- Grounds maintenance around the parish and mowing of the playing field - £21,016,
- Grants towards the running costs of the two community centres - £6,500.
- VAT on Payments - £13,836.

## How Stoke Mandeville Parish Council spent your Council Tax

The work of Parish Councils is funded by the precept which is collected by Buckinghamshire Council through the Council Tax levy. For 2021-22 Stoke Mandeville Parish Council’s precept represented a charge to an average Band D household of £65.13 per annum, unchanged from the previous year. The pie chart below shows the areas where the precept is spent.



## 2022-23 Precept

For the next financial year starting on 1 April 2022, there will be an increase in the precept of the Parish Council. The Council decided to have an increase in order that it had sufficient reserves to enable it to undertake more significant projects. Over the next few years, we have several high-cost projects to be completed as listed below:

- completion of a Neighbourhood Plan to manage the future growth and development of our Parish.
- continued delivery of services devolved from Buckinghamshire Council with reducing subsidy.
- development of a new burial ground for the Parish.
- management and maintenance of open spaces from completed new developments.
- installation of street furniture (bins, benches etc) within completed new developments.
- refurbishment of the children’s play area in Eskdale Road.

## Stoke Mandeville & Other Parishes Charity Grant

The Charity continues to support the community during the pandemic. Unfortunately, many of the planned events had to be cancelled due to the Government restrictions in place. However, we hope that “normality” will return as soon as possible.

Barbara Ezra  
 Chairperson  
 4<sup>th</sup> April 2022

## Looking Ahead

The following table is an extract from the Council's Development Plan and demonstrates the work the Council will be focusing on in 2022-23.

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <b>Burial Ground</b>       | Develop the site in Marsh Lane, work is currently under way to meet the planning pre-conditions and then tenders will be sought for the work. At the same time the parish council is working with HS2 on the re-burial of remains from the original St Mary's church off Risborough Road. |
| <b>Resilience Planning</b> | Produce a resilience plan for Stoke Mandeville.   |
| <b>Neighbourhood Plan</b>  | The completion and publication of the Neighbourhood Plan for Stoke Mandeville Parish.   |
| <b>Play Area</b>           | Refurbish the existing play area, work to be completed by late summer.  |
| <b>Village Green</b>       | Install power supply to enable placement of a Christmas Tree.   |

## Meetings of Stoke Mandeville Parish Council for the remainder of 2022

**STOKE MANDEVILLE PARISH COUNCIL – SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS FOR 2022****Venue: Community Centre, Eskdale Road, Stoke Mandeville HP22 5UJ****Members of the public and press are welcome to attend****All meetings are now back to face to face.**

| Month            | Date             | Time    | Meeting                                    |
|------------------|------------------|---------|--|
| <b>April</b>     | 12 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Finance and Governance Committee           |
|                  | 19 <sup>th</sup> | 7.00 pm | Annual Parish Meeting                      |
|                  | 19 <sup>th</sup> | 8.00 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 26 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>May</b>       | 10 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Communities Committee                      |
|                  | 17 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council (AGM)                       |
|                  | 24 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>June</b>      | 14 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Finance and Governance Committee           |
|                  | 21 <sup>st</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 28 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>July</b>      | 12 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Communities Committee                      |
|                  | 19 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 26 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>August</b>    | 16 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council (if required)               |
|                  | 23 <sup>rd</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee (if required)           |
| <b>September</b> | 13 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Communities Committee                      |
|                  | 20 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 27 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>October</b>   | 11 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Finance and Governance Committee (Budget)  |
|                  | 18 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 25 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>November</b>  | 8 <sup>th</sup>  | 7.30 pm | Communities Committee                      |
|                  | 15 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 22 <sup>nd</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee                         |
| <b>December</b>  | 6 <sup>th</sup>  | 7.30 pm | Finance and Governance Committee (Precept) |
|                  | 13 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Parish Council                             |
|                  | 20 <sup>th</sup> | 7.30 pm | Planning Committee (provisional)           |

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