Wrockwardine Parish Council

The Parish Council would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year, and take this opportunity to reflect on how your money, raised through Council Tax and grant funding, has been used to benefit our community. Last year the Parish Council purchased and installed three



defibrillators with a fourth kindly donated by Leaton Quarry. These are located at Admaston House, Allscott Phone Box, August House Charlton and Wrockwardine Parish Hall and are checked regularly by our clerk. The Parish organised a training event at Admaston House with Telford First Responders. It was advertised and very well attended by parishioners, and the Parish Council hope to put a further one on later this year.

Parish-owned play areas in Admaston, Walcot and Wrockwardine all began to show signs of ageing, and a planned programme of repairs and refurbishment of the land and equipment has started and will continue in 2020. Alongside this, grass and hedge cutting has taken place regularly to ensure the many Parish owned open spaces are accessible to everyone. This included major work on the protected Siberian Elm tree on Admaston Green which lost branches in some particularly stormy weather and required emergency work to ensure safety.

The Parish purchased a Speed Indicator Device (SID) and at the end of 2019, after securing funding from the Police Commissioners Office, the Parish installed six additional sockets for SID to be moved around the Parish. If you pass at speed, it will flash you and, you can help make the roads in the Parish safer by slowing down.

The Parish obtained additional funding from the Borough Council when residents voted online for areas in Telford they felt would benefit from money through the Big Green Vote Telford @ 50 Legacy Funding Grant. Awarded for Admaston Green, the Ward Councillor then offered an additional sum from the Ward Fund Scheme to help fund a project on the Green. Consequently, the Parish has £2,832 for a scheme and would welcome suggestions from parishioners of what you would like this money to provide on the Green. Please send your suggestions to the clerk at <code>clerk@wrockwardine.org.uk</code>. The Parish will consider all suggestions at its meeting in March, so please share your ideas with us.

There are currently two vacancies available for co-option on to the Parish Council and we are always happy to hear from anyone who would like to join us and help continue to make a difference in the community. Please contact the clerk for more details.

This communication is the responsibility of Wrockwardine Parish Council and any queries, comments or questions should be raised with the Clerk to the council Julia Hancox either by email to clerk@wrockwardine.org.uk or by calling 01952 897355 or 07842 158615

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