

STONEBRIDGE ALLOTMENT SOCIETY

COMMITTEE MEETING 16th JANUARY 2017

The following are a few items of interest from the business meeting held on 16.1.17

NEW FENCES AND GATES Full planning approval has now been granted for the work. Orders for materials are being placed and the work is planned for the first week in March.

ORCHARD AREA MAJOR TREE WORKS The contractor started work on 13.1.17 and will complete on 20.1.17. Work parties will progress the remainder of the work. If you are willing to help, including on week days, please contact the Secretary for more details.

LOCAL WORK PARTY Ashley and Daniel Haines, Hazel Grave and Keith Thompson have completed the clearance of the former dumping area by plot 22A, including the fallen trees, ivy and bramble in the adjacent waterway. A number of other local work parties are being planned by enthusiastic plot holders.



MAJOR WORK TO PLOT HOLDERS TREES Bob Gomes has now contacted all plot holders who asked for their work to be included in the planning application. Andy Freeman and John Gould have tackled the large walnut between plots 37 and 38A.

NEXT WORK PARTY The next work party will be for Sunday 22nd January, 10.30am to 12. We will be tackling the clear up of the tree works in the old orchard area, preparing the bonfire and feeder piles to dispose of branch cuttings. All help welcome.

ARCHAEOLOGY IN STONEBRIDGE PONDS There will be a talk in the Purifier Building on Thursday 16th February. Watch out for the poster.

BRICK STORE Funding for the repairs has been obtained. A specialist has now completed the repairs to the roof tiling. The remaining repairs will be by volunteer groups. Any help with timber repairs, upgrading the doors etc would be appreciated. If you have the necessary skills and are willing to help, please contact the Secretary.

WATER TANK REPAIRS These will commence shortly. Whilst the water is turned off there will be an opportunity for plot holders who regularly use the tanks to drain and clean them out before the supply is reconnected.

FTCAMG We have been advised that the Town Council Management Group plan to inspect all Faversham sites in April, July and October.

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