Annual Parish Meeting 13th April 2017 Action Points

It was encouraging to see so many residents attend the Annual Parish Meeting this year and on behalf of the Parish Council would like to thank you all for your involvement and participating in the interesting discussions which took place. It was certainly the best turn out seen for some years.

As promised and for your information I detail below the action points which will be taken forward by the Parish Council:

- Communicate with Sudbury Safer Neighbourhood Team to arrange deployment of speeding enforcement vans/camera in the village when they are available.
- As soon as the new SCC councillor for Cosford has been elected, the Parish Council will approach the councillor to use part of the Highways Budget to buy a "SID" for the village.
- In the event that the Highways Budget cannot be accessed, the Parish Council will consider the purchase of Community Speedwatch package.
- Investigate security alarm/CCTV supply companies to see if a village discount for installation
 of new systems for village residents can be negotiated. If this can be negotiated, details will
 be provided to villagers.
- Whilst there appears to be progress regarding the Rattlesden exchange and the upgrade of broadband, for those villagers served by Bildeston exchange, this will take a lot longer. An Action Group is to be formed to highlight the issue.
- The Play Area Action Group already established will obtain quotes for improvements to the Village Hall Play Area and bring back to the Parish Council meeting for consideration.
- Research is being made into setting up a Good Neighbour Scheme which will be referred back to the Parish Council and publicised within the village once established.
- The Parish Council will investigate the possibility of installing Dog Foul bins in the village and how this could be managed.

The full minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting will be published very shortly and will be available on the Village Website and at the Village Hall. Of course you are welcome to attend Parish Council Meetings to hear the progress being made on these issues.

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