

Heath Hayes & Wimblebury Parish Council

Opens Spaces & Sustainability Committee Meeting Wednesday, 16th February 2022 at 9.30am Hayes Green Community Centre

Present: Cllr A Fitzgerald, P Haden, S Thompson, D Todd and L Wilson.

In Attendance:

Parish Clerk: Mrs L Bowman

1. Apologies

Apologies received from Cllr J Ashford, J Aston & M Buttery.

2. To Approve the Minutes of the Open Spaces meeting held on the 15th December 2021

The minutes of the meeting held on the 15th December 2021 were approved as a true record.

3. Update of works completed since the last meeting

The Committee were updated on work completed since the last meeting on the 15th December 2021.



Two new benches installed at Milking Brook.

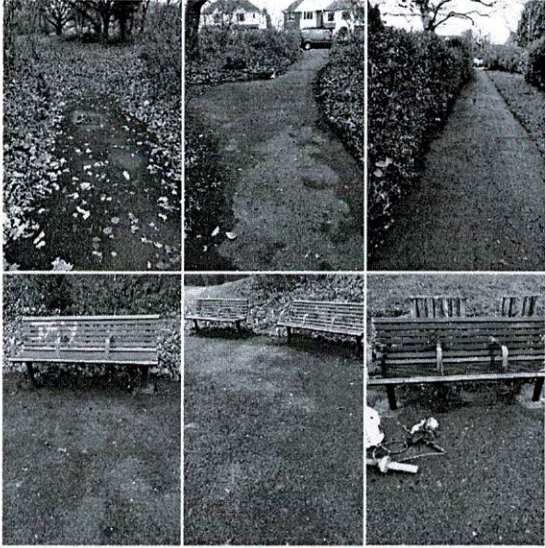


Cut back around street signs.

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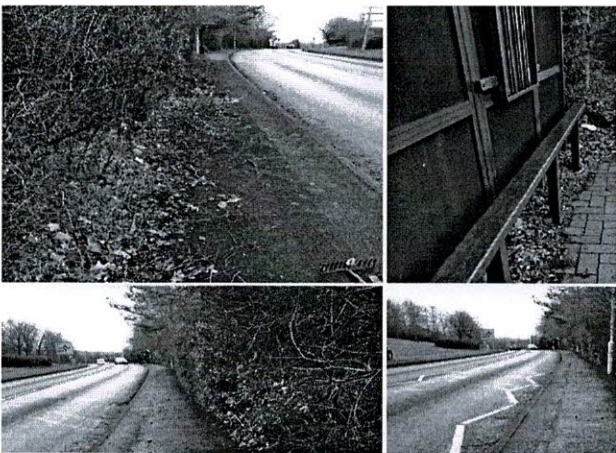
Cleared path way on Gorsemoor Road to Millers Vale.



Benches cleaned and cleared on Gorsemoor Park.



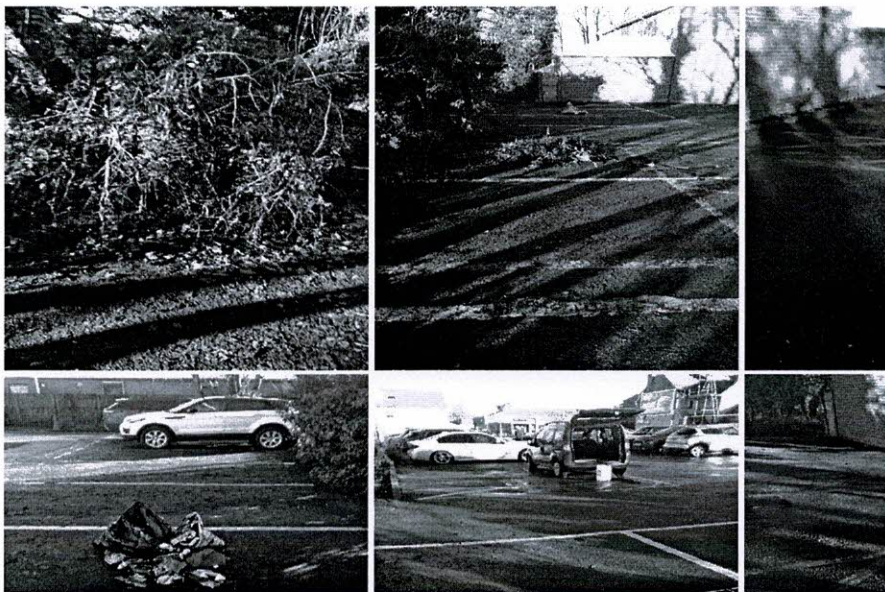
Gorsemoor Road cleared paths.



Heath Way, cleared paths.

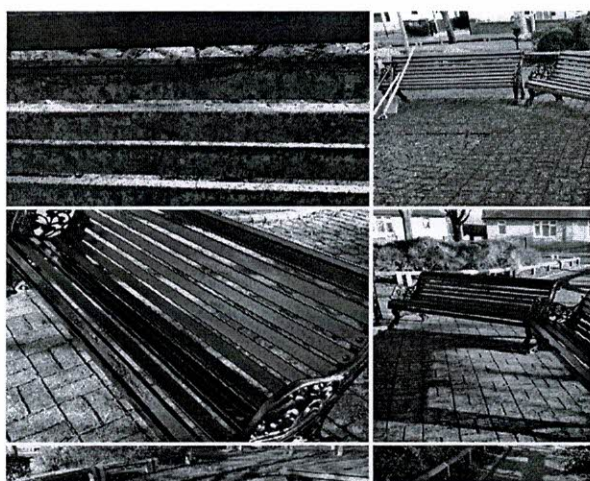
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Hednesford Road, car park.

Cut tree and removed fallen tree, weeded, litter picked and created four more spaces, disabled plots cleaned.



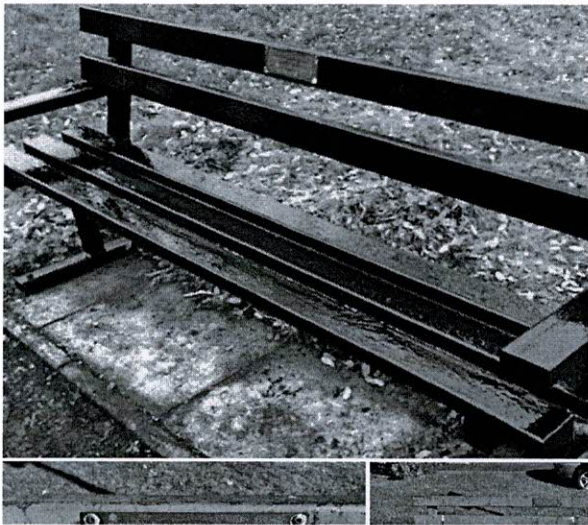
Kent Place cleared moss, leaves, sanded and painted 3 benches.



Sanded and painted 2 benches on John Street.

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Sanded and painted benches on Brooklyn Road.



Sycamore Road, cleared path and trimmed hedge.



Moved the bark at cannell mount to create a path for the fairy garden and around the bin. Removed ramps that had been built and removed tools that had been left.

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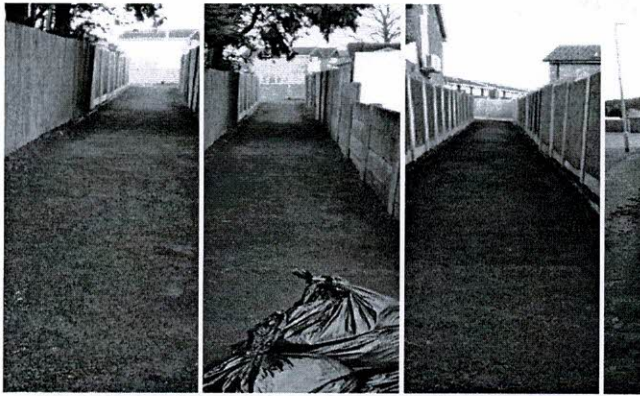


Cannel Mount Fairy Garden

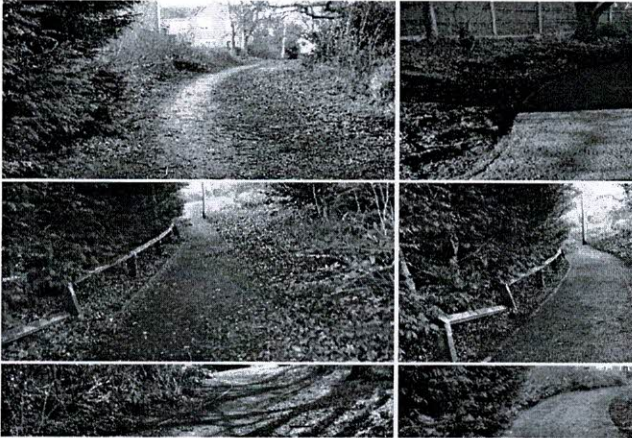


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Otterburn Close



Freemantle Drive

Cleared leaves and tidied path, near Horseshoe Drive & Barn Way,



Installed Poo Bag Dispenser, Hednesford Road Car Park.



Installed Bike Racks, Hednesford Road Car Park.

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4. Areas of improvement required within the Parish

Councillors provided a list of jobs and photographic evidence of areas requiring attention. It was suggested purchasing a second bin at Cannel Mount next to the bench within the wooded area to see if it may help the litter situation.

- Varnish bench and carvings on Cannel Mount.
- Fairfield Close, clear leaves and mud from the road.
- Foot path leading down to Milking Brook, entrance via Almond Close, trim back.
- Clean benches on Milking Brook.
- Clean the bus stop and area at Meadow Way.
- Paint and repair notice board at the library.
- Clear path at Five Ways Island from Burntwood.
- Observe and clear areas where visibility is poor at road crossings.
- Clean and stain sign at coppice nature reserve.
- Clean highway signs.
- Cut back all bushes level with the pavement, on Keys Park Road.
- Litter pick at various locations:
 - Gorsemoor Road Park.
 - Hayes Way Park.
 - Back of Shugborough Way.
 - Pathway from Attingham to the nature reserve (bottom of St Lawrence).
 - Nature reserve by the side of Salisbury Drive.
 - Pathway to the side of Gorsemoor primary school mainly dog poop in bags hanging in trees.
 - Litter around the park on the Newlands Park estate.

5. Parish Litter Picking

- 26th February 2022 meet at Hayes Green Community Centre at 10am.

6. Items for Information or Future Agenda's

7. Date of Next Meeting - 6th April 2022

Signed 

Dated 27/4/22

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