

**Heath Hayes & Wimblebury Parish Council  
Opens Spaces & Sustainability Committee Meeting  
Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at 11am  
Hayes Green Community Centre**

**Present:** Cllr J Aston, A Fitzgerald, P Haden, S Thompson & L Wilson.

**In Attendance**

**Parish Clerk:** Mrs L Bowman

**1. Apologies**

Apologies received from Cllrs J Ashford & D Todd

**2. To Approve the Minutes of the Open Spaces meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023.**

The minutes of the meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023 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 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023.



Various bus stops weeded.



Heath Hayes Car Park cleared.



Ingestre Close.



8x benches painted on Heath Hayes Park and 2 at St. John's Church.



Alley from Tesco to Greig Court.





Cleared footpaths and gutters on Knighton Road and Scott Street.



Cut back and cleared weeds from alley by the library.



Cut back and cleared weeds from alley by Five Ways School.



Cleared path behind the library.



Painted Wimblebury War Memorial.



Tidied around Bourne Methodist Church.





Emptied Bins at Haymaker Park and Wimblebury nature reserve.



Weeded along High Street and revisited alleys around Meadow Way estate.



Cleared path by Community Life Church.



Island at the bottom of John Street cleared of weeds.



Installed Christmas Decorations.



Cleared paths behind Tesco.







Cleared Bank Street Car Park.



Planters ready for the summer bins emptied at Cannel Mount, Haymaker Way Park, Wimblebury Nature Reserve and litter picked.



Gorsemoor Road cut branches back cleared path.





Cleared around Gorsemoor Park.



Fairfield Close and alley way off cul de sac drains cleared.



Cleared leaves outside Heath Hayes Academy.



Opposite Five Ways cut trees back cleared leaves from path.

#### 4. Areas of improvement required within the Parish

Councillors provided a list of other areas requiring attention.

- Remove an A4 Events poster from lamppost at Fiveways School.
- Clear entrance to alley opposite Fiveways School.
- Clear leaves and moss along the path by Heath Hayes Academy.
- Clear Leaves, moss and weeds from various path/walk ways around Heath Hayes and Wimblebury.
- Clear Leaves, moss and weeds from pathway at the rear of St John's Church.
- Clear path on the Cannock Road
- Tidy picnic area at Hemlock Way.
- Check the condition of the Parish bench on Badgers Way.
- Wrap reflective tape around low level barriers, permission required from the District Council.

Jobs to be considered from the Highways budget.

- Obtain quotes to clean the road signs around Heath Hayes & Wimblebury.
- Weed spray around Melbourne Road.

Enquire with Kingsmead if they would be attending Cannel Mount again this year.

#### 5. Heath Hayes in Bloom

Defer to the next meeting.

#### 6. Litter Picking

- 25<sup>th</sup> March 2023

#### 7. Items for Information or Future Agenda's

#### 8. Date of Next Meeting - 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2023

Signed:.....

PP LWA

Dated:.....

22-3-23