

## Nuthurst Parish Plan 2019 – 2021

<b>No</b>	<b>Project</b> (Brief description)	<b>Tasks</b> (Programme with timings)	<b>Output</b> (quantify/describe the achievement)	<b>Cost (£)</b> (Finance required)	<b>Responsible person</b>
1.	<p><b>Church Road/Limekiln Road Green Space</b></p> <p>To continue to improve the attractiveness of the green space between Church Road and Limekiln Road (previously planted with one thousand daffodils and 100 camissias) for the pleasure of local residents and passers-by</p> <p>Also, to increase the bio-diversity of the area (bees, butterflies, moths etc)</p>	<p>1) To ensure that West Sussex County Council (WSCC) leaves large ovals of grass unmown in each Spring and Summer (notices needed) to allow wild flowers and seeds to proliferate</p> <p>2) To sow wild-flower seeds in the long grass to extend the period of interest. Collect seed e.g. wild campion and sow by Autumn 2019 to provide a wider variety of wild flowers to encourage insect life.</p>	<p>1) Ovals of long grass containing varied species of grass left uncut in 2019. Volunteers cut and removed long grass in October 2019</p> <p>2) Volunteers scarified small areas within the grass ovals and sowed a variety of wild flowers seeds (marguerites, campion etc) in October 2019</p>	<p>Nil</p> <p>Nil</p>	Owen Hydes

		<p>3) To arrange for one annual cut of ovals by WSCC beginning in Autumn 2019 to allow the seeded wild flowers to grow the following spring (2020)</p> <p>4) <b>Provisional.</b> To plant 6 to 8 bushes in the oval areas to provide height and further interest with blossom in the Spring and berries in the Autumn 2019, provided a Licence is granted by WSCC</p>	<p>3) WSCC did not cut ovals. Volunteers cut them in October 2019</p> <p>4) Licence granted by WSCC in 2019. Volunteers planted 7 bushes (guelder rose, viburnum, myrtle) in the ovals with protection from deer</p>	<p>Nil</p> <p>Approx. £100</p>	<p>Finance Committee agreed expenditure</p>
2.	<p><b>Gagglewood Green Space Provisional</b></p> <p>To start to improve the attractiveness of the wide verge at Birches end of Gagglewood following a request from residents for a similar project to the one at Church Road with a</p>	<p>1) To contact Saxon Weald, the owners of the verge, to acquire permission for the project (July 2019)</p> <p>2) To stake out one oval for wilding part of the verge and make and install notice boards to prevent those areas being mown by WSCC. (July 2019)</p>	<p>1) Saxon Weald gave permission in October 2019.</p> <p>2) Delayed because awaiting Saxon Weald permission. Volunteer resident staked out one oval in November 2019</p>	<p>Nil</p> <p>Nil</p>	<p>Owen Hydes</p>

	<p>trial project of one oval of long grass. Also, to increase the bio-diversity of the area.</p>	<p>3) To involve local residents in collecting and sowing wild flower seeds and planting daffodil bulbs in Autumn 2019 to create of a more rural feel to what is a rather urban area with parked cars.</p> <p>4)To arrange one annual cut of the oval beginning in Autumn 2019</p> <p>5) If local residents deem the trial project a success, to consider extending the project with additional ovals of long grass with bulbs and wild flower seeds and the possibility of some bushes</p>	<p>3) Volunteers planted about 100 daffodil bulbs in November 2019. Too late and wet to sow wild flower seeds – these will be sown spring 2020</p> <p>4) Delayed to Autumn 2020</p> <p>5) Review success in summer 2020</p>	<p>£25 for bulbs</p> <p>Not yet costed</p>	<p>Volunteer residents provided the bulbs</p>
<b>3.</b>	<p>Improve leisure opportunities for older children at Open Spaces in the Parish</p>	<p>1) Facilitate the use of Woodlands Walk Open Space, Mannings Heath Village Green and other open spaces for ball games and other activities by gaining permission for their use and purchasing the necessary</p>	<p>1) Identification and gaining of necessary permissions for use. HDC approached regarding Woodlands Walk</p>	<p>Costs still to be assessed but funded from CIL or grants</p>	<p>Cllr Mercer Clerk</p>

		<p>equipment to support the activities - May 2020</p> <p>2. Provide and make managed arrangements for access to any loan equipment – May 2020</p>			
4.	<p>Improve the Children’s Playground at Mannings Heath Village Green. To review existing play equipment with a view to modernising to equipment with renewed emphasis on child development features and fun. Current equipment is old fashioned, and swings need major repair / replacement</p>	<p>1) To look at what type of equipment of available to meet the needs and assess the costs involved to show Open Spaces Committee the potential for the project- March 2020</p> <p>2) To explore and show the funding/grant possibilities available – March 2020</p> <p>3) Prepare detailed plans, specification of equipment and costs and make applications to various grant and funding organisations - Summer 2020</p> <p>4) To review funding granted and what shortfall if any will</p>	<p>1) Assessment of equipment and costs underway</p> <p>2) Exploration of funding/grants underway</p>	<p>Costs still to be assessed but funded from CIL or grants</p>	<p>Cllr Cotton Clerk</p>

		<p>need to be needed – End 2020</p> <p>5) Plan implementation if all approved to provide a new modern playground - 2021</p> <p>6) Organise work parties to maintain equipment for low risk matters identified in safety audits - ongoing</p>		Nil	
5.	Updating Mannings Heath Village Green and other relevant bye-laws to encourage and facilitate use of open spaces	<p>1) Seek advice on legal methodology to change bye-laws as required – Nov 2019</p> <p>2) Complete process for bye-law revision – July 2020</p>	<p>1) Advice sought and received</p> <p>2)</p>	Not yet costed	Cllr Mercer Clerk
6.	Monks Gate Pond	<p>1) Review ways to ensure that the pond is appropriately maintained, in consultation with local residents, and report – 2020</p> <p>2) Develop an appropriate maintenance programme - 2020</p>	<p>1) Consultation with local residents started</p> <p>2) Appropriate programme developed</p>	Not yet costed	Cllr Mercer

7.	Availability of open spaces	1) Review and develop opportunities to increase the amount of open space available to parish residents – 2019-20		Not yet costed	Cllr Mercer Clerk
8.	Availability of funds for open spaces and activities	1) Identify and report regularly on budget and grants available to improve and develop open spaces and their recreational use – 2019-21		Not yet costed	Cllr Mercer Clerk