## Heath Hayes & Wimblebury Parish Council Opens Spaces & Sustainability Committee Meeting Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at 9.30am Hayes Green Community Centre

**Present:** Cllrs J Aston, Fitzgerald & Thompson

In Attendance

Parish Clerk: Mrs L Bowman

Friends of Heath Hayes Park

1. Apologies

Apologies received from Cllr E Aston, M Buttery & P Haden. No Apology received from J Preece

- 2. To Approve the Minutes of the Open Spaces meeting held on the 17<sup>th</sup> January 2024. The minutes of the meeting held on the 17<sup>th</sup> January 2024 were approved as a true record.
- 3. Update of works completed since the last meeting
  - Pathways cleared around Meadow Way.



• Litter picked on Hednesford Road Car Park.



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• Cleeton Street path and waste land tidied up, cut down the large tree, removed all rubbish.



• Grit bins in place on the corner of Otterburn Close and Dorset Road.





Cleared leaves and weeds from the pavement on the Cannock Road.



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• Cut back the land between the Cannock Road and Norton Road at Five Ways Island.



• Cleared leaves and weeds from the pavement on the Norton Road.



• Cut back the bushes on Primrose meadow.



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• Cut back the bushes and cleared the paths on the Canterbury estate.



• Horseshoe drive cut bushes and removed rubbish.

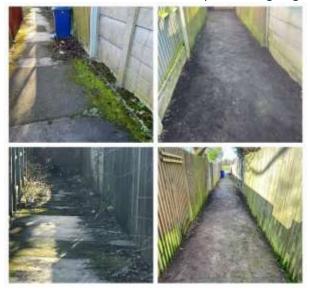


• Fairfield Close cut hedges and cleared drains.



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Cleared around Boston Close paths and garages.



• Cleared path from Cromwell Road to Cannock Road.



- 4. Areas of improvement required within the Parish.
  - Councillors to provide photographic evidence of other areas requiring attention.
    - Alley from St John's Church up to Langholm Drive needed glass sweeping away.
    - Alley from Cannock Road to Cromwell Road required pea gravel putting in the soak away.
    - Dog Waste Bag dispenser installing at the front of the alley opposite Five Ways School and Gorsemoor School.
- 5. Best Kept Village Community Competition
  - Friends of Heath Hayes Park would be submitting their application on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March. Lots of
    impressive work had gone into the application with many groups and business participating. Shrubs
    would be put into the planters mid-April, bedding plants and hanging baskets in May. Judging would
    take place during May and June. The Street cleaning team would be asked to attend the area in May.

- 6. Litter Picking
  - Parish Litter Pick with Little Chimps Day Nursery, Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2024 10am, starting at Wimblebury Community Centre.
  - Friends of Heath Hayes Park, Sunday 21st April 2024 10am, Starting on the Car Park at Heath Hayes Park.
- 7. Items for Information or Future Agenda's
- 8. Date of Next Meeting 15th May 2024 at 6.15pm

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