#### EDLESBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL



#### Edlesborough Parish Council News (Including Edlesborough, Dagnall & Northall) February 2017

# Edlesborough Green Roundabout and Play Area

The roundabout on Edlesborough Green has been temporarily removed for complete refurbishment. Safety fencing has been erected around the wet pour area and EPC reminds parishioners that this area is not to be entered.

EPC are currently investigating removing the centre fence and bark in the play area. The intention is to replace the bark with safety matting and grass as in the newer side of the play area. It will be necessary to temporarily close part of the play area for approximately six weeks to allow the grass seed time to germinate.

EPC ask that parishioners do not enter the area during this time. The main gate to the play area will also be replaced.



#### Neighbourhood Plan Pre-Submission Plan

The consultation period for the Pre-Submission Plan has now ended. EPC thanks parishioners for attending the meetings and their responses.

EPC and the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group will now analyse all the responses and changes may be made to the plan where appropriate.

EPC will then submit the Neighbourhood Plan to AVDC for approval.

If AVDC approve it an independent Government Inspector will examine it to see if it meets the requirements laid down for a Neighbourhood Plan. If so it may then be approved.

Finally, the plan will be put to all parish residents on the Electoral Register to vote Yes or No.

A simple majority of those who vote is needed to determine the result.

We have to have a plan that allows for the building of the minimum number of dwellings required by the Aylesbury Vale Local Plan. This should then give us protection from additional opportunistic developments until the next planning cycle in 2033.

If we fail to get an approved plan for our parish then AVDC and the developers will decide what, when and where to build for the next 15+ years.

#### Christmas in the Parish

Edlesborough Parish Council would like to thank:

- The EDaN Beautification Team are organising Christmas lights for the new Christmas tree on Edlesborough Green and for dressing Edlesborough Memorial Hall in Christmas lights. This looked truly festive.
- Cllr Mrs Owen for organising the hanging of Christmas Wreaths for Dagnall.
- Paulette Taylor and her team; Susan Hill, David Hill, Beverley Sage, Timothy and Daniel Michaelson-Yeates and Bas Westrope for the wonderful Christmas Wreaths that lined Edlesborough High Street.

EPC also thank the following for their generous sponsorship of the wreaths:

- Able Bathrooms
- Aaron Fencing
- Baby Moments UK
- Duncan Tomblin
- Freed Veneers
- Heirloom
- Janes

- Marbled Meats of Northall
- NG Autos
- NMJ Service Centre
- RS Electrical Services
- Speedcheck Foundations
- Summerleys Residents
- The Complete Tennis Court Service

• Litchfield Floor Renovations

Two new Christmas Trees were planted and lit in the Parish. One outside Dagnall Village Hall in memory of Kathy Bovington and another in Northall near the village sign in memory of Lin Sargeant.

### <u>Streetlights</u>

Please report failed streetlights in Edlesborough, Dagnall and Northall to the Clerk for repair. When making a report please ensure you are a specific as possible about the location.

### White Lines & Road Markings

EPC continue to press TfB for the promised repainting of the road markings and replacement of the cats eyes at the junctions of Ivinghoe Way, Pebblemoor and the Leighton Road (A4146). If you notice any other road markings in need of repainting please report those to Bucks CC.

# <u>Allotments</u>

Edlesborough Parish Council currently has vacant allotments. Anyone wishing to take on an allotment should contact the Clerk. Fees are  $\pm 2$  per pole and plots range in size from 5 – 20 poles.

# <u>Speedwatch</u>

The EDaN Traffic Management team are looking for volunteers to help with their new Sentinel device. If you have an interest in slowing down traffic in the villages or are concerned about Road Safety, please contact Louise Turner on 01442 843123 or by email at <u>louisefanthorpe@yahoo.co.uk</u>



# Edlesborough Parish Council Meetings

The next Edlesborough Parish Council Meetings will take place as follows Edlesborough Memorial Hall, Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2017 Edlesborough Memorial Hall, Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2017

# The meetings will commence at 7:30pm.

All Parishioners are welcome to attend all Ordinary Parish Council meetings and may ask questions, raise issues and give suggestions during the Open Forum before the formal start of the meeting. The full minutes of the Parish Council meetings are normally available to view on the website or from the Parish Clerk.

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