# EDLESBOROUGH CHURCH FLOODLIGHTING PROJECT HISTORY

2003

JANUARY PARISH COUNCIL AGREES TO CONDUCT FEASIBILITY STUDY

FEBRUARY PARISH COUNCIL DECIDES TO CREATE A VILLAGE PLAN

FLOODLIGHTING SUB-COMMITTEE PROPOSED

APRIL VICAR (MALCOLM GRANT JOINS SUB-COMMITTEE)

MAY FLOODLIGHTING COMMITTEE TO MEET IN JUNE

JULY PARISH PLAN DISCUSSION MOVED TO DECEMBER

SEPTEMBER FLOODLIGHTING PROJECT ON HOLD DUE TO OTHER

COMMITMENTS AND WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE PARISH PLAN

NOVEMBER PARISH PLAN – TALKING TO VILLAGE ORGANISATIONS

DECEMBER PARISH PLAN PUBLIC MEETINGS HELD

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MARCH PARISH PLAN PUBLICITY PLANNED FOR VILLAGE CARNIVALS

APRIL APPLICATION MADE FOR PARISH PLAN FUNDING

JULY PARISH PLAN ON HOLD UNTIL DECEMBER

2005

APRIL COUNCIL ANNOUNCES THE PARISH PLAN IS DELAYED

JULY COUNCIL DECIDES TO RE-START WORK ON THE PARISH PLAN

SEPTEMBER CLERK TO WRITE TO LOCAL ORGANISATIONS

NOVEMBER INVITATIONS TO BE SENT OUT IN NEW YEAR

2006

FEBRUARY INVITATIONS SENT OUT

JUNE PUBLIC MEETING PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER EVENING MEETING TO BE PLANNED FOR NOVEMBER

OCTOBER FIRST MEETING TO BE RE-SCHEDULED FOR EARLY 2007

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2007

JANUARY FIRST MEETING TO TAKE PLACE ON 7<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY

FEBRUARY FIRST MEETING TOOK PLACE ANOTHER TO BE ARRANGED

MARCH TWO FURTHER MEETING TOOK PLACE, SUB-COMMITTEE TO BE

**FORMED** 

APRIL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN NORTHALL

MAY 'OPEN DAYS' PLANNED

JUNE EDAN PARISH PLAN PROJECT LAUNCHED

JULY EDAN QUESTIONNAIRE TO BE DELIVERED IN SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER EDaN QUESTIONNAIRES ACHIEVE A 67% RETURN RATE

2008

JANUARY EDAN RESULTS PRESENTATION TO PARISH COUNCIL

FEB/MARCH EDaN RESULTS 'OPEN DAY' PRESENTATIONS

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JULY EDAN PARISH PLAN PUBLISHED

VILLAGE BEAUTIFICATION CATEGORY INCLUDES CHURCH

**FLOODLIGHTS** 

OCTOBER PRELIMINARY DISCUSSIONS TAKE PLACE WITH THE CHURCHES

**CONSERVATION TRUST** 

2009

FEBRUARY PARISH COUNCIL AGREES TO ADD £5000 TO FLOODLIGHTING

**PROJECT** 

APRIL FLOODLIGHTING TEST ON CHURCH COMPLETED

JUNE MEETING WITH THE CHURCHES CONSERVATION TRUST TO

PROGRESS FLOODLIGHTING PROJECT

NOVEMBER FIREWALK ORGANISED FOR FLOODLIGHTING FUNDS

£1000 GIVEN TO KEECH HOSPICE

£2000+ RAISED FOR FLOODLIGHTING

#### DECEMBER THE CCT SPECIFIES EXCEPTIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE

**FLOODLIGHTING PROJECT** 

2010

MAY PARISH COUNCIL MEETS WITH THE CCT TO PRESS THE CASE FOR

FLOODLIGHTING. CCT REQUIRES GREATER LOCAL SUPPORT FOR

THE CHURCH.

JULY THE CCT WRITES FORMAL LETTER TO PARISH COUNCIL WITH

**SPECIFIC AND EXACTING REQUIREMENTS** 

**E.G NO OBJECTIONS FROM PARISHIONERS** 

CHURCH TO BE OPEN ALL DAY, EVERY DAY.

2011

JANUARY PARISH COUNCIL DONATES A FURTHER £1000

THE CCT CONFIRMS THAT IT WILL NOT SUPPORT THE

FLOODLIGHTING PROJECT WITHOUT A LONG TERM COMMITMENT

TO THE CHURCH

JANUARY EDaN ISSUES PROPOSAL TO SET UP CHURCH FRIENDS DELIVERED

TO EDLESBOROUGH VILLAGERS

MARCH FIRST MEETING OF THE FRIENDS OF THE CHURCH ON THE HILL,

**EDLESBOROUGH** 

THE CCT REQUIRES THE FRIENDS TO PRODUCE A LONG TERM PLAN

TO SUPPORT THE CHURCH

SEPTEMBER DRAFT CHURCH PLAN PRODUCED

FRIENDS ORGANISE CONCERTS, CLEANING, CHURCHYARD SCRUB CLEARANCE, HERITAGE WEEKENDS

**ESTABLISHES WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE** 

2014

FEBRUARY REPORT ON BAT PROTECTION RECEIVED

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AUGUST THE CCT GIVES APPROVAL TO APPLY FOR PLANNING PERMISSION

2015

**JULY** 

ARCHAEOLOGIST ENGAGED TO OVERSEE INSTALLATION

### OCTOBER TRENCHES DUG AND LIGHTING CABLE INSTALLED

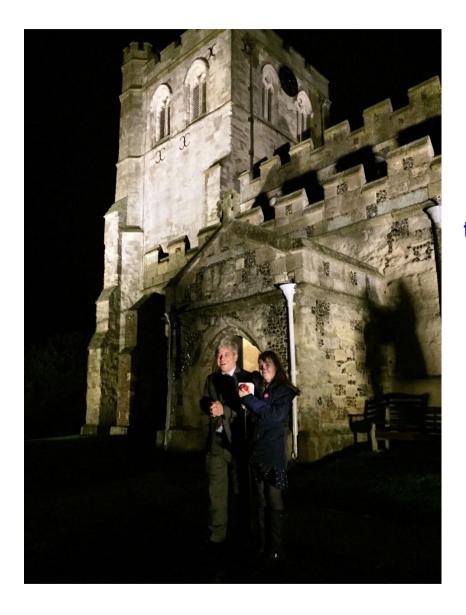








#### NOVEMBER FINALLY !!!!!!!!!



## 6:00pm Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2015

John Bercow, our MP and Speaker of the House of Commons, with Rebecca Howells who won the opportunity to switch-on the new flood lighting of Edlesborough Church

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