



EDLESBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

Edlesborough Parish Council News
(Including Edlesborough, Dagnall & Northall)
August & September 2026

St Mary's Village Carnival

Thank you to everyone who visited the Parish Council stand at this year's St Mary's Village Carnival. The Council was delighted to promote its Biodiversity and Rewilding Project, with visitors given the opportunity to plant a sunflower seed and take home a packet of wildflower seeds to sow in their own gardens.

The Council extends its congratulations to the St Mary's Village Carnival Committee for organising another outstanding event. We commend the Committee for the considerable effort and dedication invested before, during and after the carnival. We would also like to thank everyone who contributed to making the day such a success, whether by taking part in the procession, decorating their homes, volunteering, or attending and supporting the event.



EPC Surgery

The Clerk will be available on **Thursday 8th October**, from **12 noon to 2.00pm**, at **Edlesborough Pavilion**.

Parishioners are welcome to drop in to speak with the Clerk or a Councillor about local matters, raise questions, or make suggestions.

Repairs to Edlesborough Pavilion

At the time of writing, the repair works at Edlesborough Pavilion are still progressing. Unfortunately, periods of heavy rainfall followed by unusually high temperatures have delayed progress. Council hopes that the works will be complete by the time this report is published.

Please note the soffits beneath the balcony will be replaced at a later date, once it has been confirmed that the repairs to the balcony have been successful.

The Council would like to thank **ECSC CIO and Trading Company**, together with all charity members, for their patience, understanding and cooperation throughout these essential works.

Traffic Calming in the Parish

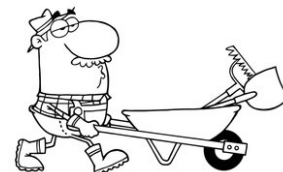
The latest data collected by the **Moveable Vehicle Activated Speed (MVAS)** devices is available on the Traffic Calming page of the Parish Council website:

👉 www.edlesborough-pc.gov.uk/community-information/traffic-calming-in-the-parish/

Allotment Rents

Annual allotment rents for **2026/27** are due from the beginning of **October 2026**. The rent remains **£2.60 per pole**.

The Council requests that payments are made via internet banking wherever possible. Any tenant who is unable to make payment in this way should contact the Clerk as soon as possible to discuss alternative arrangements.



Please ensure that payment is received by **11th October 2026**. Late payments will incur a **£10 administration fee**.

The Parish Council currently maintains a waiting list for all allotment sites. Anyone wishing to be added to the waiting list should contact the Clerk.

Plot Numbers

The Council would also like to remind tenants that the Allotment Agreement states:

"Each Tenant shall provide and display a stake showing the allotment number."

At its June meeting, the Council agreed that where tenants continue to be in breach of this requirement, the Council will install a plot number and invoice the tenant for the associated cost.

Dogs at the Allotments

Due to increasing complaints to the Council about dogs at the allotment sites Council reminds tenants and dog owners walking through the sites of the following rules;

- Dogs **MUST** be kept on a short lead.
- **DO NOT** allow your dog to stray onto the allotment plots.
- **ENSURE** you clean up after your dog.
- Dog walkers must keep to the designated paths/rights of way.



Should tenants become aware of dog owners regularly breaching these rules please contact the clerk with the following information;

- Allotment site.
- Description of owner and dog.
- Times when the dog is exercised at the site.

Buckinghamshire Local Plan

The Council has been advised that Buckinghamshire Council will publish the **Pre-Submission Buckinghamshire Local Plan and site allocations (Regulation 19)** on **23rd July 2026**. This will be followed by a six-week public consultation period.

The consultation will provide residents, businesses, organisations and other interested parties with an opportunity to comment on whether the Plan is legally compliant and sound.

Once the consultation has closed, Buckinghamshire Council will consider all representations received before submitting the Local Plan, supporting evidence and consultation responses for independent examination in **December 2026**.

Further information is available on the Buckinghamshire Council website:

www.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/planning-and-building-control/planning-policy/local-planning/buckinghamshire-local-plan/

Council Meetings

The next meetings of **Edlesborough Parish Council** will be held on:

- **Thursday 17 September 2026** – Edlesborough Memorial Hall
- **Thursday 15th October 2026** – Northall Village Hall

The meetings will commence at **7.30pm**.

Parishioners are welcome to attend all Ordinary Parish Council meetings and may ask questions, raise issues, or make suggestions during the **Open Forum**, which takes place before the formal start of the meeting.

Where possible, the Council requests that questions or issues are submitted in writing to the Clerk by the **Tuesday preceding the meeting**.

Agendas and minutes from previous meetings are available on the Council's website

www.edlesborough-pc.gov.uk or from the Parish Clerk.

