

THE WALCOTE WORD

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FRANKS ROAD

A bit of a makeover for the playing field

We have a new des res for our bugs, built by some of our younger residents with a bit of help from a few adults. We hope to compliment it in the next year with a wild flower area.



See the new and improved skateboard ramp. At the moment there are still a few bits to do but it shouldn't take long.

Thanks go to the Vattenfall windfarm scheme and the Lutterworth Area Community Fund for their grants.



Take a look at the new outdoor gym, installed with help from the Vattenfall windfarm scheme. So, no excuses now. If it proves to be popular, and we have funding, the PC will look at adding other items. A picnic bench follows shortly.

CAN YOU HELP?

Neighbourhood Watch

Following a suggestion from a resident, the Parish Council is looking to see if there are any benefits in setting up a neighbourhood watch scheme.

Whilst it seems like a good idea, the scheme would need a volunteer from the community to be the lead contact to set up and administer the scheme going forward. For further info see: www.ourwatch.org.uk

If this is something you'd like to see in the village and are willing to help we'd like to hear from you. Please contact: clerk@mistertonwithwalcote.org.uk

The Platinum Jubilee

Next summer, Elizabeth, our Queen, will have been monarch for 70 years. How should we mark her Jubilee?

We'd really like to hear what YOU want to do. Would you like a village event or are you more likely to go to Lutterworth or London? Should we install a seat or plant a tree, or can you come up with a more imaginative suggestion? How about joining in with the national plan to install and light a beacon? Would you be prepared to get involved?

If you have any ideas or think you'd like to be help, please contact the Parish Council. Our next meeting is on 30 September, so we await your ideas!

UPDATE

Footpaths

Work has now been carried out on the footpath below the Church, hopefully making it more resilient.

And in the next month or so LCC is planning to move the permissive path in Rye Close Spinney away from the boggy area, making passage easier.

Neighbourhood Plan

Having passed referendum, it has now been "made" and must be taken into account by HDC when it decides planning applications. But in another few years it will need to be reviewed. We'll let you know when so that you can get involved!

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