

HURST VILLAGE SOCIETY

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Monthly Newsletter

Hurst Show & Country Fayre Sat 24th & Sun 25th June

The show will feature attractions organised across Martineau Green, St Nicholas Primary School and Hurst Village Halls and Scout Hut. There is lots to see and do from craft stalls, to classic vehicle show, live music, hobby house jumping, terrier racing, archery, BBQ and bar, plus much more. View full details <u>here</u>

HVS Archery at the Hurst Show - volunteers required

HVS will be back, with the ever-popular Archery, at the Hurst Show and Country Fayre in the School Field (same location as last year).

Bows for all sizes, and targets for all ages.

Do come and find us at the Show for a bit of fun.

We are also looking for VOLUNTEERS to help with the archery for a couple of hours please <u>email</u> Robin. No experience necessary.





Hurst Village Shop - Update

Use It or Lose It

The latest news is that sales at the shop are up, but no final decision has been made. Use It or Lose It. The good news is that the outside of the shop has just been painted.



Tennis at Dolphin School

Tennis for Hurst Residents has now resumed for the summer at the Dolphin School at 6.30 pm on Monday evenings.

Players of all standards, who are invited to make a commensurate donation to the School at the end of the season, are welcome.



HVS AGM Update

Thank you to the 28 members the HVS who attended the AGM on 22nd May. A summary of the Society's activities over the last year was presented, which encompassed the projects HVS has been involved in as well, of course, planning,

There were constructive comments and feedback on planning, including more ways in which we can encourage people to give suggestions on planning. As always, we ask people to get in <u>touch</u> with any comments or suggestions they have.

We would also like to thank <u>Stanlake Park</u> for the use of the their wine shop and also to thank Diana Penfold who talked about the activities of the <u>Diana Brimblecombe</u> <u>Animal Rescue Centre</u>.



Planning & Other Hurst News

Neighbourhood Plan

As reported in the last HVS newsletter, the Parish Council resolved in April to suspend work on the Neighbourhood Plan other than to continue to update potential evidence and information data. At the time, the original terms of reference had expired automatically after 5 years.

The Parish Council formally adopted new terms of reference for the Neighbourhood Plan at it's meeting on May 30th. You can view the new terms of reference <u>here</u>, they are also available on the Hurst Neighbourhood Plan <u>website</u>. If you are interested you can <u>contact</u> the Neighbourhood Plan team.

Unauthorised Access onto Lodge Road prevented

Local residents noticed work being undertaken to remove a hedge and create a large gate into a site on Lodge Road. This was reported to WBC and HVS. Thanks to Councillor Wayne Smith and his WBC colleagues for reacting quickly.

New Community Hub

The HPC are planning a new Community Hub for the village on the site of the existing Scout Hut.



This is discussed regularly at the monthly Parish Council meetings. As noted in the <u>HPC April minutes</u>, the Chairman reported that he had to arrange a meeting with the Hurst Village Halls and the Scout Group to discuss the draft plans. Once these discussions have taken place plans will be circulated for further discussions. The HPC Chairmans' <u>Annual Report 22/23</u> notes that the HPC are currently engaging with Architects who are drawing up plans for consideration.

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