

WEST PARLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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Newsletter **End September 2012**

1. Verge Cutting

Following a tour of the village yesterday I write to say how much we appreciate the hard work that has been done by so many residents to keep tidy the verges outside their own homes and also other verges nearby. The latest cut by EDDC contractors has also made the whole village look very smart, but there is a difference in the appearance of the verges cut regularly by residents and those cut once every 6 weeks by EDDC. We are very grateful to all involved.

2. Former Scout Hut site

We are pleased to report that the former scout hut site in the recreation ground is now clear and the redevelopment of the site occur during the next month or two. Many residents have helped us with this work and wish to express our grateful thanks to all who have given up their time to help.

3. Trees for the roadside verges

We have already received orders from residents who wish to buy a tree to be planted in the village and we shall welcome any further orders. We shall buy more trees during the autumn for the roadside verges and other green spaces in the village. If you are interested in buying one of these trees please contact Alan Macdonald at alanmacd@talktalk.net

4. Weed killing on the village pavements.

DCC Highways will be applying weedkiller to the weeds on all of the pavements and kerbs in the village during the next week or two. Please ensure that you do not park on the pavements which will prevent the weedkiller being applied where the car is parked.

5. Parley Wood

Work will be resumed in Parley Wood during next month to remove more of the invasive holly trees which are choking the deciduous trees. We shall be inviting volunteers to assist with the removal of the holly branches and others with chain saws to assist in cutting down the trunks and producing logs.

We shall be offering logs free of charge to all who assist in this work. Please inform us if you would like to help. (alanmacd@talktalk.net)

6. Coffee Morning, Parley Sports Club - Wednesday, 3rd October - 10 am until noon

All residents will be warmly welcomed.

Combined with next week`s coffee morning we are again holding a **Plant Swap** at which residents are invited to bring along any plants which they have to spare and to take home other plants which they see at the Fair. Details from Cllr Pat Couper.

Email: pcouper68@gmail.com

7. Date for your diaries -

Friday, 29th September 7.30 pm Parley Sports Club - Race Night Free entry.
Lots of fun!!

Friday 19th October at 7 pm. Parley Sports Club. Annual Reception for Volunteers – Please let us know as soon as possible if you are able to attend.

Friday, 9th November at 7 pm. Parley Sports Club – Ladies Night. – a night of Fashion and Shopping. For more information please see the “whats on” page of the website.