

Twyford Parish Council

Twyford in Bloom Working Group

A meeting of the Twyford in Bloom Working Group will be held at 7.45pm on Thursday 20th June 2024 at Loddon Hall, Twyford.

1. **Welcome.**
2. **Apologies.**
3. **Twyford in Bloom 2024:**
 - 3.1 Preparations - Update.
 - 3.2 Portfolios - Updates.
 - 3.3 Route – Update.
 - 3.4 Thames & Chilterns in Bloom – Judge’s Visit – To note Twyford’s visit will take place on the 9th July 2024.
 - 3.5 The Tour – To note Mrs B Ditcham & Mrs J Jagger to conduct the tour with further participants to be invited along the route.
 - 3.6 Wheelbarrow Displays – Update.
4. **Hanging Baskets** – To note that the summer baskets have been installed.
5. **Update on ongoing projects:**
 - Adopt-a-Street (GW)
 - Air Quality (BD)
 - Bridge Copse (SL)
 - Cuincy Garden (BD)
 - Garden Areas (GR)
 - Jubilee Corner
 - Bell Corner
 - Polehampton Corner
 - Millennium Garden
 - Stanlake tub
 - Gateways (BD)
 - Daffodils
 - Hurst Road Allotments
 - Twyford Growers (C-HN)
 - Communal Area (MB)
 - French Drain (redirection of natural spring) (MB)
 - Wildflower Area (RL – TATA)
 - Hazel Copse (SL)
 - KGVR (BD/MB/ED)
 - Grass Labyrinth
 - Seasonal Bulbs
 - Hedge Laying
 - Pillar renovations – Wargrave Road entrance
 - Loddon Hall (GR)
 - Millennium Copse (SL)
 - Polehampton Charities
 - Polehampton School – Secret Garden (RH)
 - Pond Mapping / Hedgehog Sightings (GR/DL)
 - Rewilding/Wildflower & Bee Friendly areas
 - Verey Close/Broad Hinton Copse (SL)
 - Bridge House (GA)
 - Loddon Hall/KGVR Wildflower Area (GA)
 - Ruscombe Turn
 - Malvern Way
 - Stanlake Copse (IB)
 - Stanlake Meadow Trees (RH)
 - Twyford Station – planters (PC)
 - Twyford Together (RY/ED/PC)
 - TRHA (GS)
6. **New projects for 2023/24:**
 - Sponsorship of garden areas and planter.

- Wildflower Information Board (Parish Land Project) – To noted that the board has been installed in KGVR.
- Labyrinth Information Board (JJ).
- Shop windows (HE) – To consider inviting local artists to display suitable paintings along the route.
- Utility Boxes – To consider getting a local artist to paint the boxes to deter from being graffitied.

7. **Future of 'In Bloom'.**

8. **Date of next meeting – 24th October 2024.**