February 2024 Chairmans Report

Felixstowe Peninsula Community Partnership (FPCP)

Task and finish group - Adult/children activities meeting - further funding made available for additional projects.

Items put forward included Trampoline try out sessions for children,

Women on water at Sailing Club for non members to try out varies activities

FPCP -

Health Fair, Thursday 14th March

Owing to doubt regarding Orwell Hotel providing premises to hold event, venue is now Harvest House.

I will be attending a further meeting of Group on Wednesday, 7th February

Memorial Hall Management Committee

Attended by Cllr Owen and myself, items included -

Air conditioning units - secretary advised planning commission required.

Problem with cutlery continually going missing. Notice to be provided to address this tedious issue

Upholstery of chairs to be cleaned as necessary once panto has taken place

Meeting concluded with sad news of former committee member who recently stood down after 40 years serving on committee had died.

Fly tipping at Capel Hall picnic site area

Reported to Clerk regarding sacks of builders rubble left near dog waste bin plus two items of furniture left in bushes along with kitchen waste bin and light fitting which I hauled out and left by litter bins. Items by litter bins taken away but on last inspection rubble remains.

School hedge

Hedge near school entrance now trimmed back so no longer need to walk in road to pass

Tackling climate change

It was agreed at December meeting to hold a joint meeting with Trimley St Mary to invite residents to attend to discuss tackling this subject.

However St Mary Councillor who offered to prepare a presentation advised me that due to family illness this needs to be put on hold.

Bus shelter at top of Grimston Lane

As reported by Cllr D'arville a shelter to be provided.

The work should take place shortly.

Public transport

Cllr D'arville and myself will be attending meeting with Felixstowe Travel Watch in February. Representative for First will be in attendance and we will be following through recent correspondence regarding no show buses etc.

Speeding issues along High Road

I continue to be approached about this, plus flooding due to blocked storm drains. In particular on corner of High Road and single track road. Areas in Grimston Lane also continue to become flooded.