



Speen Parish Improvements Plan 2020/2021

As you probably know, your Parish Council receives Council Tax funds in order to maintain our local facilities and to support local endeavours. We also generate a small income from hiring out facilities, such as Speen Pavilion. Another source of funding comes to us from the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL). The CIL is a charge which can be levied by local authorities on new development in their area. In addition, where possible, we bid for funds from the District Council.

Last year we identified that we had sufficient funds to enable a number of small improvement projects during the Financial Year 20/21.

Over the next year, in addition to maintaining your facilities, we aim to:

- Undertake the following Green Projects:
 - Upgrade 12 of our 21 street lights to allow LED bulbs
 - Commence a tree planting project
- Undertake the following Safety Projects:
 - Increase the number of Dog Waste Bins
 - Review the provision of Winter Salt/Grit Bins in Woodspeen and Stockcross
 - Support the provision of a footpath from Stockcross Recreation Ground car park to Stockcross School
 - Support pedestrian/road safety focussing on the vicinity of schools
- Undertake the following General Projects:
 - Introduce a Parish Council Notice Board in Woodspeen
 - Support the provision of a new Pavilion at Stockcross Recreation Ground
 - Upgrade the Pavilion at Speen Recreation Ground
 - Repaint the Stockcross Telephone Box

In parallel to delivering the 2020/2021 Projects, Speen Parish Council will start to consider Projects for the 2021/2022 Financial Year. Early identification of Projects allows us to understand our funding requirements and also to bid for external funding.

If you have any Parish Improvement ideas for 2021/2022 please contact:
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