

# The Dragon For October 2013



Dear All

Well here we are – autumn is upon us already and the shops will soon be full of Christmas paraphernalia! What a thought - but at least we had a good summer this year and I hope you had a very enjoyable one. Although we did not have a meeting in August (as usual), we have been making good progress with a number of our initiatives. We are hoping that work will start on the affordable housing development next to Sufton Rise by the end of the year. If you are interested in any of the new dwellings, please contact the Clerk. We have also signed the lease on the green area opposite The Moon in Mordiford, with Major Hereford and we thank him very much for his kind cooperation. Our first action will be to put in a series of posts around the periphery of 'The Green' to prevent unauthorised parking. We then plan to plant some trees and enhance the area for rest and relaxation. If you have any ideas of what you might like to see, please contact your local Councillor.

Despite the deep cuts being made at Hereford Council, we have retained our grants for the Lengthsman and maintenance of footpaths, which gives us a good degree of local control over prioritising important jobs in our area. If you are aware of anything that requires attention, please let us know. We are continuing to assess our position regarding Neighbourhood Planning. Herefordshire is leading the way with this national initiative and we are in the process of talking to other Parish Councils who have embarked upon the process. So far we have had input from Lyonshall and hope to talk to the PC from Eardisley soon.

As always, you are very welcome to attend our Parish Council meetings on the third Tuesday of the month at Mordiford School at 7.30pm.

Enjoy this season of mists and mellow fruitfulness.

Best wishes

Nick

Nick Brewin Chairman Dormington & Mordiford Group Parish Council

#### 'Chewing the Cud' - Livestock Market Memories

"You don't want people asking for market memories in 20 years' time – it has to be done now!"

Could you help deliver an exciting new local heritage project? Thanks to a grant of £72,100 from the Heritage Lottery Fund (HLF), Hereford-based Catcher Media Social plans to capture the memories and stories of the old livestock market on film, along with a special website devoted to the market. The search is now on for a team of enthusiastic trainees to take an active role and help make this happen.

Whether your interests are in film making, research, interviewing, recording stories, oral history, management of the website or social media, we want to hear from you. Maybe you have a personal connection to the old livestock market, have a story to tell, or photos to share, please do get in touch – NOW!

'Chewing the Cud' will be run by the same team that worked on the much-lauded 2011 Hereford Cathedral 'Close in Living Memory' project - Rick and Julia Goldsmith, Jo Henshaw, Marsha O'Mahony - and will be supported by Herefordshire Lore.

Catcher Media Social's Julia Goldsmith said: "We are thrilled to have the support of the Heritage Lottery Fund and are confident the project will faithfully record a much-loved landmark in Hereford and engage and train a team of volunteers, equipping them with skills for work and life.

"Hereford's old livestock market was such a cherished cultural institution. We're going to use it to draw people together from across the county to learn new skills, share stories and to celebrate our shared agricultural heritage."

For over 150 years the old livestock market operated at the heart of Hereford city, bringing with it an unmistakable noisy hub of activity: buying, selling, trading, gossip, drama, intrigue, romance and heartache – all the elements of a thriving cultural community.

The resulting film, based on people's stories, will be screened across the county, while the website will be so user-friendly anyone can use it. "We want everyone to be able to upload their own comments, memories, photos and videos," said Rick Goldsmith. As one regular market man put it, "It has to be done now, not just for farmers but for the wider community too."

This heritage project marks the launch of local company Catcher Media's new

community interest company, Catcher Media Social, which has been set up to provide opportunities to participate in hands-on and exciting face-to-face projects, which enable people to become active and well-skilled in their use of digital and online media.

So, if you are interested in getting involved and receiving some guided, hands-on training, or if you have a story to share, please get in touch with Jo Henshaw on 07788 643184 or 01432 266611, or by email: joannahenshaw@btinternet.com.

'Chewing the Cud' is also kindly supported by the Cargill Community Partnership and the NFUM Community Giving Fund.

"Wild plant charity Plantlife (www.plantlife.org.uk), are hoping to reach out to many wild plant enthusiasts and nature lovers by inviting them to become wild plant 'pioneers' and subscribe to a free quarterly e-learning bulletin to learn more about our native wild plants via the 'Wild About Plants' project website - www.wildaboutplants.org.uk . The August e-bulletin is out now and the next issue being written as we speak! The Wild About Plants team deliver Plantlife's outreach programme and work to help people reconnect with the outdoors and their local greenspaces. Working with schools, families and communities from all walks of life and with fantastic free downloadable resources, the team hope to engage people with the nature on their doorstep. In recent years subscribers have been asked to record the plant life in their local area and recount what they used to see/pick and forage for.

The Wild About Plants team Wild About Plants is funded by Natural England through Access to Nature, as part of the Big Lottery Fund's Changing Spaces programme. It is a partnership project involving

partner organisations throughout the country."

Did you know that the County flower of Herefordshire is Mistletoe? http://www.plantlife.org.uk/wild\_plants/ plant species/mistletoe/

Kindest regards,
James Luetchford

James Luetchford Fundraising Intern 01722 345730 Ext 126 14 Rollestone St, Salisbury, SP1 1DX



#### Important information for users of Household Recycling Centres.

The permits scheme for commercial vehicles and trailer to take rubbish and recycling to the County's household recycling is changing and comes into force as of October 1st, 2013.

Commercial vehicle and trailer (CVT) permits were introduced in 2007 to prevent the use of Household Recycling Centres by traders depositing their business waste, putting extra pressure on the centres, cause congestion and at a cost to the council tax payers of Herefordshire and Worcestershire.

Commercial vehicle and trailer (CVT) permits are available free of charge to residents of Herefordshire and Worcestershire to deposit household waste from their own domestic property. Each household is able to apply for up to 12 permits per year (April to March). Permits will be issued on a pro-rata basis, allowing one permit per calendar month, for example, an application made in October will be issued with 6 permits. Each permit allows one visit. Permits will be retained by site staff upon entry.

Householders can make as many visits as they like in a private car, car and small trailer (up to 1.3 meters in length), caravanette, people carrier or minibus. For details on restricted vehicles please visit http://www.letswasteless.com/cms/recycling-centres/cvt-permits-new.aspx#Permits.

Permits obtained prior to changes coming into force 1<sup>st</sup> October 2013 will no longer be valid as from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2014. All existing applicants will need to apply through the updated scheme to avoid being turned away at the household recycling centre.

All applications for permits must be made in advance. Residents should allow up to 10 working days to receive permits in the post.

Any vehicle over 3.5 tonnes or double axel trailers will no longer be permitted to the household recycling centres.

Applications for commercial vehicle and trailer permits can be made through www.letswasteless.com, anyone unable to apply on line can call 0845 607 2007 for assistance or application forms will be available at all Info in Herefordshire Contact Centres/ Worcestershire Hub contact centres

Commercial waste can be disposed at private disposal sites in Herefordshire and Worcestershire, which normally accepts waste on a chargeable basis. Details of these sites can be found in the yellow pages or by visiting www.wastedirectory. org.uk

Kind regards,

Miss Alexandra Nicholas BSc Environment Promotions Officer Waste Management & Sustainability Places & Communities

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### Work to build fastershire is underway

It may seem that the rollout of faster broadband across the two counties has gone

quiet, but this certainly isn't the case. The Fastershire project team has been busy doing a lot of work planning the whole programme, as well as starting the ground work to deliver Fibre broadband to the first communities who will receive it in the autumn.



A team of BT Openreach planners and surveyors have been out across the region surveying the existing network (and they are very grateful that we are having a dry summer). 161 surveys have already been carried out across the two counties, with another 150 due to be completed by the end of the year.

As well as establishing what work needs to be done in the local telephone exchanges, they are checking the condition and capacity of equipment like cabinets and poles. This early task is important as it is at this stage we find out whether any work is needed for the structures to support fibre to all the premises that it is connected to

The planners and surveyors also assess the condition and capacity of duct boxes which are in the ground, generally by the side of roads. These duct boxes are key to installing fibre across Herefordshire and Gloucestershire.

The fibre is fed from one duct box to another, building an underground network of cable that connects your local telephone exchange to your closest cabinet. Before this can be done, the engineers have to feed fibre duct (a tube to protect the fibre from the elements) from one box to another. 21Km of fibre duct has been laid so far across the Forest of Dean and southern Herefordshire, with a further 32k being laid by Christmas.

Once this protective tubing is in place, the fibre is then blown down the tube. Luckily we have a machine that does this, as it would take a lot of lung power to blow fibre along 2,500Km of underground network!

The photos show the fibre duct being laid just outside Coleford and South Cerney. The South Cerney team were working just off the A419 and didn't have a smooth ride as the road that the duct boxes were originally alongside has been moved. Even though they had a map showing the location, if took them a while to find the duct boxes as the area had become overgrown as they hadn't needed to open them up for some time.

As you can see, our teams are working on the side of some very busy roads, so if you seem them, please slow down and give them room. They will appreciate it.

#### Notes taken at the meeting held on Wednesday August 14<sup>th</sup> 2013 to discuss the development of Mordiford Green

#### River banks

It was agreed that the three Alder bushes lying along the river bank should be retained and trained to produce a main stem so that they should develop into trees.

The other vegetation including nettles, docks, balsam and Elder should be cut back so that the river can be seen. In future years, it was suggested, the banks could be sprayed to reduce the amount of vegetation to be cut back.

#### Flooding and Road drainage

It was agreed that nothing could be done to alleviate the flooding of the Pentaloe River but no development should take place in the vicinity of the road bridge. It was noted that the road drain opposite the Moon Pub was blocked and Amey should be asked to deal with it as soon as possible.

#### Road boundary.

It was generally agreed that a series of posts are necessary to prevent vehicles being driven on to the green. These should be 6ins in diameter, 3ft tall (one foot in the ground) spaced at 2m intervals. The posts could be planted using a power auger which is available for hire. One of the posts should be placed in a tube to allow easy removal when vehicle access to the green is required for mowing and strimming.

#### Development of Green

It was believed **two benches** without tables should be placed on the comparatively level ground, facing south, and inclined slightly towards each other. These benches would be similar to the one placed on Pentaloe Green.

In the past, a parishioner suggested that a **flag pole** should be provided. It is believed planning permission would be required for this but it should be looked into.

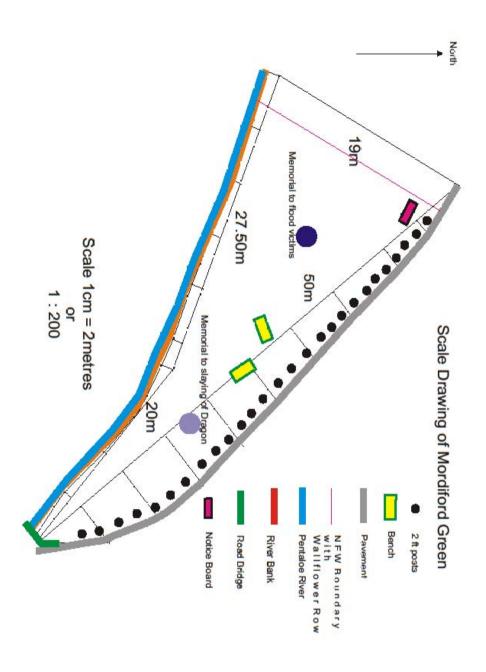
A **memorial** to those lost in the flood of 1811 was considered. This need not involve more that a large boulder placed on a suitable base with a plaque. Another idea raised was to display **a barrel to commemorate the slaying of the Mordiford Dragon** by a miscreant who hid in the barrel. The barrel would need to be suitably anchored with a plaque attached. The complete story of both events could be told on the Parish Notice board. It was also suggested that a sculpture of the dragon could be included but the cost might preclude that

The **notice board** will need to be moved when the new boundary to the Green has been demarcated. A temporary fence and a Hornbeam hedge will be planted on the new boundary. It was recalled that the Chairman had ordered some **shrubs giving autumn colour** to plant on the Green but the details were unclear. When the quantities are known, a planting scheme can be devised.

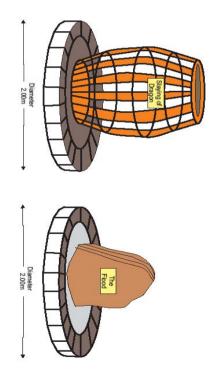
It was generally felt that the Green should be kept in a condition that was easy to maintain. **Flower beds and hanging baskets should not** be included. Neither should litter bins as they would need to be regularly emptied.

The number **of traffic notices** displayed around the Green was noted. It was felt this should be reduced. The placing of the Telephone notice on the Hereford notice was one possibility. A plan of Mordiford Green with diagrams of possible development is shown overleaf.

If parishioners wish to comment on the suggestions made, please contact the Clerk to the Parish Council as soon as possible







Monuments for Mordiford Green

# School transport policy consultation - nearest school

Due to financial pressures Herefordshire Council has to look at all services which are non statutory and incur cost. Their transport policy means that they have previously provided more than the statutory requirements. They are therefore consulting on proposed changes from 4 September to 18 October 2013.

# What are the proposed changes?

- Herefordshire Council proposes to change this to the statutory requirement of providing free transport to the nearest school only
- Herefordshire Council has considered children to be eligible for free transport if they live more than the statutory walking distance from a school serving a catchment area. This applies even if there is a nearer school, within the statutory walking distance for them to attend

## Council's duties - the law regarding school transport

- Entitlement to school transport is set out in the Education Act 1996 (as amended by the Education Act 2002 and the Education Inspections Act 2006). Local authorities have a statutory duty to make school travel arrangements for certain categories of "eligible" children, as well as a discretion to provide school transport to other children if they consider such arrangements to be necessary to facilitate that child's attendance at school
- In order to be considered as "eligible", a child must generally be attending the nearest "qualifying school" to their home, which is the nearest suitable school for the child with places available, and be unable to walk to school due to the nature or length of the route, or because of any special educational needs, disability or mobility problems
- In addition, Section 508C of the Education Act provides local authorities with discretionary powers to provide transport for all children who are not classified by the law as "eligible" children. Where transport is provided, local authorities may charge for the service

#### The council's equality duty

Section 149 of the Equality Act imposes a duty on local authorities 'when exercising public functions' to 'have due regard to' the need to: eliminate discrimination and advance equality of opportunity (and foster good relations) between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not.

This is generally referred to as the PSED (Public Sector Equality Duty). The nine 'protected characteristics' are: age, disability, gender reassignment, pregnancy and maternity, marriage and civil partnership, race, religion or belief, sex, and sexual orientation.

## **Background facts and information**

# What are the council's options?

- Keep transport provision but parents make contributions to the vacant seat payment scheme
- Council remove transport provision for non-eligible children and young people
- Council maintain provision and find alternative ways of saving £250,000

# Who will the changes affect?

Diagram showing how at present a child living nearer a school than their catchment area school currently gets free school transport to their catchment area school which is further away.

# What effect will the proposed changes have?

- Some parents may wish to make different choices about their child's school
- It will save the council money
- Some schools with irregular

shaped catchment areas may find they have a number of parents affected as they may no longer get free transport

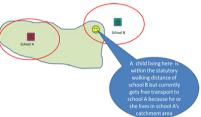
## What are the options for those affected?

- Parents can make their own arrangements for transport
- Parents can apply for transport through the vacant seat payment scheme currently costing £660 a year
- Schools may wish to support parents making their own arrangements
- Change school

# What are the options for the timing of the proposed changes?

- 1. September 2014 for all or
- 2. September 2015 for all or
- 3. Phased from September 2014
- New entrants
- o Those moving house
- o Specific year groups (particularly KS4)

Please note a phased approach is likely to cost more and it may also introduce complications for families with more than one child affected.



# How to respond to the consultation?

The Council welcomes your views on the proposed policy changes:

- 1. Online: school transport policy feedback form on https://www.herefordshire.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools/school-and-college-transport/school-transport-policy-consultation/
- 2. Post: Transport Consultation, Herefordshire Council, PO Box 185, Blackfriars Street, Hereford HR4 9ZR
- 3. Email: Mainstream\_education\_transport\_consultation\_2013@heref ordshire.gov.uk

Please note the Council will not acknowledge receipt of your feedback.

All comments must be received by **Friday 18 October 2013** so they can be taken into consideration by the relevant Herefordshire Council cabinet member

A similar consultation concerning post 16 students with special educational needs can be found at https://www.herefordshire.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools/school-and-college-transport/post-16-special-educational-needs-transport-policy-consultation/

#### **Dormington and Mordiford Group Neighbourhood Watch**

Local representatives meet quarterly to discuss problems with regard to criminal activity and crime prevention. If you are not a member of Neighbourhood Watch and would like join, please access the Neighbourhood Watch page of the parish council website www.dormingtonmordifordgroup-pc.gov.uk for contact details. A copy of the monthly newsletter from the Safer Hereford Team is available from this page. Local Policing Team......www.westmercia.police.uk

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 Childline
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 Domestic Violence Helpline
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 National Drugs Helpline
 0800 776600

 National NHW Association
 02079 630160

Herefordshire Road Safety Hotline01432 364582

Herefordshire NHW www.communicate.co.uk/here/hfdsneiwatch/

#### FOWNHOPE MEDICAL CENTRE

#### Dr Alison Wood ❖ Dr Mike Hearne ❖ Dr Dinah Hawkyard FLU CLINICS 2013

For patients of Fownhope Medical Centre eligible for flu vaccination: Friday evening, 11<sup>th</sup> October, 3.30pm – 6.00pm at Lady Emily Hall, Tarrington

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Saturday morning, 12<sup>th</sup> October, 9.00 – 11.00am at Fownhope Memorial Hall

#### No appointment necessary.

For most people, flu is unpleasant but not serious. You will usually recover within a week. However, certain people are at greater risk of developing serious complications such as bronchitis and pneumonia. These conditions may require hospital treatment.

The flu vaccine is offered to people who are **at risk**, to protect them from catching flu and developing serious complications.

It is recommended that you have a flu jab if you:

- are 65 years old or over
- are pregnant
- have a serious medical condition
- are the main Carer for an elderly or disabled person whose welfare may be at risk if you fall ill
- are a frontline health or social care worker *Professional health and social care workers who are in direct contact with patients/clients should be vaccinated by their employer as part of an occupational health programme*

If you suffer from any of the following conditions you are advised to have a flu jab;

- respiratory disease, such as severe asthma, COPD or bronchitis
- heart disease or heart failure
- chronic kidney disease
- chronic liver disease
- chronic neurological conditions
- stroke or TIA
- diabetes
- a weakened immune system due to conditions or treatments e.g chemotherapy.

# Letter from Bill Longmore, the Police and Crime Commissioner for West Mercia

It is important that I engage with communities and interest groups such as victims, watch schemes, parish councils, voluntary and community sector and speak with people to find out their true views about how we can together effectively prevent crime and disorder.

However, I wish to go further. My vision is for a new community spirit with people working together in partnership to improve society and to reduce crime and disorder with West Mercia Police and their safer neighbourhood teams, statutory community safety partnerships, other agencies and groups within the public and private sector.

Bringing communities together to tackle crime is always important, but with wide scale reductions in public sector funding and the current economic climate, it is never more so.

Local communities can help in the fight against crime and disorder and work together to protect themselves and their property, which in turn helps reduce the fear of crime.

Engagement with communities and interest groups such as victims, watch schemes, parish councils, voluntary and community sector people can contribute significantly to creating safer neighbourhoods.

I aim to be a strong and powerful voice for the people and victims of crime and inspire others to be leaders in their communities to prevent crime and disorder, and build a better and safer society. I appreciate that this will not be an easy task. Since my election my deputy, Barrie Sheldon, and I have travelled widely through the force area, which covers an extensive geographic area of over 2,860 square miles and has a population of over 1.2 million. We have made contact with a wide variety of partner organisations, communities and interest groups. Implementing this strategy, which will be underpinned by an action plan, will develop those links and help fulfil my ambition. It will also assist me in holding the Chief Constable to account with regard to the arrangements West Mercia Police make for engagement with local people.

I welcome your views, thoughts and observations, which can be emailed to me at opcc@westmercia.pnn.police.uk

The draft Community Engagement Strategy is out for consultation until 14 October 2013 when we will review its contents having received your feedback. It can be found at : - http://www.westmercia-pcc.gov.uk/Document-Library/Publications/Community-Engagement-Strategy-DRAFT.pdf

Very best wishes and thank you for your continued support, which is much appreciated.

Bill Longmore, Police and Crime Commissioner, West Mercia.

#### **SAMARITANS**

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AT:

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#### Mordiford closed churchyard.

As you are aware, parts of the churchyard are becoming a little overgrown. The grass is regularly mown but additional work is required to cut back vegetation growing along the walls, over the monuments and into the trees.

Andrea Gilpin, the National Project Manager of Caring for God's Acre, kindly visited the churchyard and provided advice as to what to do and how to do it.

Operations were delayed because of nesting birds but the time is now right for work to be done.

It has been proposed that individuals wishing to help should meet from 9.00am to 12.00noon, each Saturday, during October. They should wear suitable boots, eye protection and clothing and bring hand tools to cut back ivy and brambles etc and to clear up afterwards. Arrangements have been made for the rubbish to be removed from the site after the work has been done. Please bring your own refreshments. Ring Brian on 01432870308 for further information.



#### Dormington & Mordiford Group Parish Council Councillors May 2013

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## The New Affordable Housing Scheme at Sufton Rise.

Kat La Tsar and Nick Edge from WM Housing will both attend the October meeting of the Parish Council together with attendees from J S Harper (Contractor) and Kemble Housing. The meeting will be held in Mordiford School on October 15th. It will start at 7.30pm. As ever, members of the public are welcome to attend, and will have an opportunity during the evening of asking questions and raising matters of interest.