

Northwood Parish Council  
Project Working Group  
2:30pm - 29<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Present: R Martin (RM), S Flux (SF), P Baker (PB), J Pullen (JP)

1. Venner Play Area
  - a. The goalposts are still to be repositioned. RM, PB and JP agreed to meet at the play park on Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024 at 2:00pm to move the posts. RM to contact Mark Coventry to see if he is available. Andy Flux also agreed to help.
  - b. RM confirmed cable ties have been fitted to the swings cross bar to stop pigeons landing.
  - c. Following the moving of the goalposts, the remaining speed/Think sign will be taken down in Nodes Road. PB will liaise with Biltmore signs for refurbishment.
2. Lord-Lieutenant Visit
  - a. Susie Sheldon, Lord-Lieutenant of the Isle of Wight, will be visiting the Warm Space on Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> November 2024 from 12:30pm. This is not an official engagement but a personal visit to find out more about the setting and the people using it.
3. Christmas Celebration
  - a. The Warm Space Christmas celebration is planned for Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> December from 12 noon. Members of the Salvation Army will be giving a Christmas carol musical performance
4. Richard Quigley Visit
  - a. Richard Quigley, Member of Parliament for Isle of Wight West, will be visiting the Warm Space on Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> December 2024 from 1:00pm. Richard will be talking to the pensioners and answering any local questions.
5. Annual Northwood Village Day
  - a. The meeting agreed a date for the 2025 event – Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> July 2025. The play area at Venner Avenue will be the venue.
  - b. Events to be considered:
    - i. Tug of War (RM)
    - ii. Magician (PB)
    - iii. Music – Chris Quinton (SF)
    - iv. Bounty Castles and other attractions (RM)
    - v. Ice Cream – Plaza Ice Creams (PB)
    - vi. Bubble Football (SF)

Meeting concluded at 3:30pm.