

Parish Council Meeting 18th January 2024
Jubilee Meadow Makers Working Group
update



Jubilee Meadow Makers
making space for nature

The working group has not met since the last report to the Parish Council

1. **Funding.** Gill has made an application to SNDC for a £300 Clean Up & Bloom Award which we can either allocate to the Meadow or to alternative development. Attached is the draft for PC approval of a second application to the SNDC Go For It Grant scheme for a further £300 specifically for equipment and notices for the Meadow
Action: The PC is asked to approve the draft Go For It Grant application
2. **Works.** Since the last PC Meeting, the Meadow Makers have undertaken tasks including: removing the plastic fencing on the Meadow and replacing it with 'rustic' wooden fencing, a session of ragwort control, maintenance of the new hedge-line and control of shrubs suckering into Long Lane verge. It is intended that the twice monthly Meadow Maker work sessions will continue i.e. 1000-1200 on the first Friday and third Monday of each month
3. **Expenditure.** As previously reported (and funded through the Geoffrey Watling Trust grant) 'in the green bulbs' have been ordered for delivery later this month (aconites, anemones, bluebells, daffodils & snowdrops)
4. **Promotion.** As approved at the last PC meeting, a date for a guided walk on the Meadow as part of the Norfolk Wildlife Trust's Wider Community event programme has been scheduled for 29th May 2024 1000-1200 and will be promoted and booked through the NWT online events programme

Dave Jones

Meadow Makers Working Group (8th January 2024)