



News

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As clocks go back and the nights draw in, the Parish Council's work is never done, be that answering the residents' questions to making informed comments on planning applications. The Parish Council work continues, how easy it would be to throw another log on the fire and settle down for the night, but your Parish Councillor's venture out in all weathers to attend meetings to represent the residents of Cradley & Storrige to make where you live a better place.

Some say "it their job" but is **NOT**, they give their time for free, to enhance where we live.

Could you do this! **Would** you like to do this! **Would** you like to make a difference in your local community! **Have** you a few hours free a month? if you have answered Yes to these questions then come and join US. If you would like to know a little more, please contact me.

One of the important jobs the Parish Council has been doing this month is setting the Parish Council budgets for 2023/24. There will be a complete breakdown on the Parish Council Website very soon and the twice-yearly Parish Council "Reporter" Magazine will be hitting your door mats in December with everything you want to know about the Parish Council budget for 2023/24 and how to make comments. **REMEMBER** your views are extremely important to the Parish Council, because they represent you.

The Parish Council's Highways Working Group have been busy meeting with Cllr Ellie Chowns (Herefordshire Council) and officers of the Highway's department, about issues like Speeding within the Parish, Potholes, and the future maintenance of Rectory Lane. The Working Group is looking at installing Speed Indication Devices (SID's) in several places around the Parish, so **Watch** this space and **Watch** your speed.

The Parish Council is looking at purchasing New Notice Boards, where would you like to see them? replacing an old notice board or installed in a completely new location or maybe you think the Parish have enough notice boards.

One last call to anyone who would like the **FREE** Parish Council filling cabinets, if they don't find a new home soon, they will be taken to the scrap metal merchant. Please contact me without delay.



The Parish Council would like to pay tribute to all those fearless brave Men & Women who gave their lives for our freedom, with special thoughts to those from Cradley & Storrige.
"When you go home, tell them of us and say: - 'For your tomorrow we gave our today'".

The Parish Council Salute's you – Lest we forget

Parish Council wants to hear from you on all the issues raised.

I look forward to receiving all your views by emails: clerk@cradleyparishcouncil.gov.uk or

Telephone / Text: 07966 172028

Why not enrol on to the Cradley & Storrige Parish Council website www.cradleyparishcouncil.gov.uk you will then receive all the latest Parish Council news.

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