



**East  
Hagbourne  
Parish  
Council**

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**Volunteer Request**

There is always a need for additional volunteers to help with a variety of projects in the village so please do get in touch with the clerk to discuss your interests and how you could contribute to the volunteer network.

This month, our focus is on those with practical skills, knowledge or equipment who could spare some time later in Spring to be part of a taskforce to help with the resurfacing of some well used footpaths in the village. Please contact the clerk if you can help!



**Historic Footpath Sign Reinstated**

The Grange Path footpath sign at Lower Cross has been missing for a few months after its wooden post rotted away. This sign dates back to the early 1970s, when East Hagbourne was still part of Berkshire.

The sign has been carefully restored, repainted and mounted on a new post in its original position where it will hopefully continue to point towards Berkshire for many years to come. There are at least two other similar signs around the village - can you spot them?



**Cemetery Memorials**

There were unfortunately some incidents last year involving antisocial behaviour, disturbance of grave mementos and removal of items from graves. East and West Hagbourne Parish Councils offered condolences to those who reported incidents. Please remember that the cemetery is not managed, so it is important that grave owners and visitors are aware and report any concerns to the Parish Clerk in a timely manner. Thank you for your understanding.



**Parish Council Chairman's Surgery**

The next Parish Council Chairman's surgery will be from **10 – 11.30am on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February** in the meeting room of Hagbourne Village Hall.



**Defibrillators**

Now is an excellent time to consider gaining a new life skill – if you are interested in signing up for a defibrillator training course please get in touch with the clerk to be added to the waiting list. The training covers a lot of useful information to help you recognise and deal with emergency situations effectively, including how to give CPR. Knowing what to do in an emergency could be the key to saving someone's life so please consider this free training opportunity seriously.



The village defibrillators are available 24/7 at the following locations:  
Outside the Village Shop    Outside Hagbourne Village Hall  
In an emergency, call 999 – they will give you the access code.

The following planning applications have been received since the last meeting:  
P19/S4558/HH 34 Main Road, East Hagbourne – Remove wooden gate and posts and fit new metal gates and railings.  
34 Main Road have also applied for Listed Building Consent under application P19/S0171/LB.

P20/0084/FUL Land adjacent to the village hall, Main Road, East Hagbourne - Variation of conditions 2 (drawing) and 4 (accommodation schedule) - on application refs. P17/S2469/O - replacement approved Market Housing Accommodation Mix Drawing 16-71-IN-127A with new Accommodation Schedule Outline application with all matters reserved, for a residential development of up to 74 dwellings (including 40% affordable housing)

**The next Parish Council Meeting will be:** Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2020 at East Hagbourne Pavilion.

**All Council meetings are open to the public and we welcome your participation.**

Agendas and Minutes of previous meetings are published at [www.easthagbourne.net](http://www.easthagbourne.net)

### **Football in East Hagbourne**

Hagbourne United Football Club are looking for new players to play in the North Berks league divisions 4 & 5. The Club currently fields two men's teams for age 16+, but will be pleased to hear from players of all ages and abilities. Contact Trevor Davies at [trevor.davies500@ntlworld.com](mailto:trevor.davies500@ntlworld.com) or tel 07505 991 688