

Little Birch Parish council

Ward member report, May 2018

Surgery

Every year since being elected I've held a surgery in Much Birch village hall in May to give residents the opportunity of talking to me about matters of concern at a 'drop in' session. This year the surgery will be held on 8th May between 6pm and 7.15pm – feel free to drop in for a tea and a chat, if you want to make an appointment please email me on david.harlow@herefordshire.gov.uk

Poppies

We've been delighted by the success of the poppies at the Cathedral, some early estimates are that in excess of 150,000 people visited the display delivering a much needed boost to the city's retailers particularly in Church and Broad streets.

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Whilst this road doesn't run through the parish it runs close and I've had some feedback from residents about some parts of the road being dangerous. The fact of the matter is that many of our roads were never designed to carry such volume and weight of traffic, the recent resurfacing work on this site has been an improvement but it will not change to fundamental problems of traffic flow. The period of the road works led to vastly increased traffic up Tump Lane and this caused distress to the residents although this is now behind us.

Residents will have noted the works being undertaken by Highways England on the A49 with night time closures; whilst inconvenient most people understand the need for constant investment in our roads.

Potholes

Please see document below referencing the issue of potholes in the county, as you can see it is a big problem but we are doing our best...



Challenge of Fixing
Potholes - Briefing Nc

