

2022 PLAN

Artwork/Schools .. Bridget and Elaine have this in hand

Bus stops .. TBC

Water butts .. apart from the three tanks we have put in four water butts and I am waiting still to hear about the scout hut and the pipe in Market Vets Car Park. Sue Backhouse came up with a good suggestion and despite the buildings being grade two listed, she has suggested how to do it, but there are four down pipes on the two chapels so we are going to look at that too.

Day Lewis Window .. Gail and I are going to do more in blue and yellow then Elaine and Bridget will revamp completely for judging

Front Garden Competition.. Julie and Margaret have this all organised, we now need to leaflet drop and spread the word

Tree stumps ..Julie has this and tiaras in hand

Wellies..Kim is collecting them all and nearer the time ie June, we can plant them with things like Lavender etc and distribute around the town .. we could keep them in The Meddlars until judging

Medlars ...Andrew says we can change the sign and make it The Bloomers Yard or whatever and use it in the meantime. We may also need to tidy up before judging especially if the composting is to be shown to the judges there.. See minutes

East Street/ New Rd/The Enhancement/Lorry Wash/Pannier Market beds..need summer bulbs, summer planting, chippings and weeding

The Medical Centre ..need to weed and maintain three little beds and the three planters (which will also need painting. Also perhaps here is a good place to pop some of Elaine's half barrels painted silver in between the three planters.

In front of The Amory and Day Lewis..here might be a good idea to put more of the silver half barrels

Church Walk ...needs more shade loving plants, weeding and chippings

Three beds at the end of North Street ..succulent and grasses bed needs weeding and chipping. The third bed needs revamping and Jane has suggested a herb bed ?

Central Park .. two raised beds and entrance needs weeding and chipping..??depends on vote about park .. see minutes

Squires Court ..the bank has been fully extended now, planted (except for a few summer bulbs) and surrounded by edging boards. We have spread two dumper bags of chippings but it may need four more ! They have been ordered.

Liverot Walk..Julie and Keith have made four extra planters which have compost but now need planting with climbers and summer plants. The water tank has been placed and needs disguising. The beds need weeding, chipping and topping up with summer bulbs and the odd central feature. Need to conceal tank.

The Gateway and The Elan Estate

Tank put in place and concealed with reeds and plants. The bed along the fence is planted and needs chipping and Marc is going to do a wooden edge. The wild flower meadow needs more rotovating this week as do the two areas down Julie's end. We also need to plant some rambling roses there. Then we need to plant the seeds. See minutes

Memorial Garden..Elaine, Margaret, Sue, Gail and I have worked very hard and very quickly (even helped by Mick and Dave our hubbies!) to get this area completed. It is almost done ..it is weeded and planted, just need chippings and the odd extra plant. The arborist is going to shape the arch. The Tommy RBL planters need varnishing and planting and we hope to do succulent planters in the two concrete ones that are there and we need to revamp the existing Mens Shed planters.

Behind the Amory Centre..Glenys Laws will sort the Library Gardens although I have agreed with Andrew that we will pop some more sharp climbers up the Heras fencing. We need to paint the rest of the bin area. We need to weed the mural wall and chip it but it is looking so good. We can also plant some purple white and silver. The new area is almost done now .. Jane is going to sew some wildflower seeds around the trees and we will plant some more shrubs/roses? Those from the park as purple and white? See minutes (Jane wants other shrubs not roses)

Courtyard Garden.. As you can see Margaret and I have completed most of the pots and compost so it is ready for planting which we will do with the dementia group. Andrew has agreed for our bench that was in the park to come here so the clients can work outside at the table and the bench will not get destroyed here. Julie has some more pots and Harriet who is in charge of the group is getting a wheelchair friendly raised bench and a birdtable. We need someone to help us paint the fence, ladders and the table and also fix some pots to the ladder. NB Decided at meeting that the table was to be kept in The Medlars/ Bloomers Corner

Hospital .. We now have two raised beds in front of the hospital so the ukraine flag and possibly the Devon flag should be possible. So just the planting to be done there and any work with Imogen but they will do most of that work with the help of Marc possibly depending on funding.

Three areas yet to be done ...

1. Tree near Stags and the sheep pens.. See minutes
2. In front of Sainsburys..Elaine's Bed of Flowers
3. The beds opposite and to the side of Market vets... see minutes

Plus we need to decide where to put our animal feeder containers, plough, roller and sit-on mower which we are going to drape with flowers .. see minutes...and then there are the three bikes which Elaine is organising for the enhancement.

Do we also need to ask schools again for bug hotels!?

What have we missed?

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