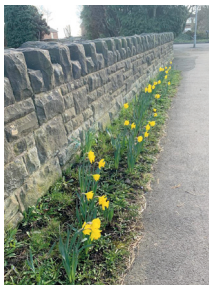
Sharlston Parish Council
– Achievement Statement 2022/2023 –

Your Parish Council continues to listen to what's important to residents and strives to deliver real impact in the community to tackle issues and improve where we live. In the last 12 months we have:

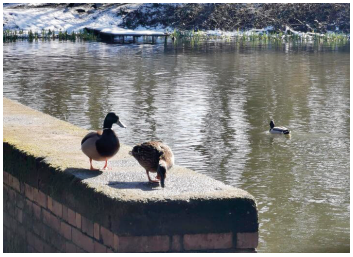
- Installed a commemorative information plaque to mark the Platinum Jubilee of the late HRH Queen Elizabeth II and held a successful Platinum Jubilee celebration event, raising £435 for Yorkshire Air Ambulance
- Provided grants to Old Sharlston Cricket Club, Wakefield & District Swift Group & Sharlston Rovers Juniors to support local initiatives and sporting achievement
- Donated a commemorative wreath and attended the annual Remembrance Day Service at St Luke's Church
- Supported the Community Foundation Wakefield District with their Fuel Poverty Campaign for the 5th year running, donating £500 to support local residents
- Purchased an additional grit bin to replace one damaged in a car accident outside the Pharmacy and continued to ensure all bins were kept full during the recent bad weather
- Joined community PACT meetings to support community safety and support
- Re-planted the 16 planters around the village and ensured these are identifiable with new signage as well as completing the 5-year bulb planting initiative, keeping our 'village in bloom'
- Held quarterly Highways Walks addressing issues raised by residents and liaised with the Local Council for action on our roads as well as purchasing a mobile speed indicator device to support with addressing speeding issues in the village








- Coordinated regular litter-picks via the 'Sharlston Against Litter' Facebook Group
- Organised a new litter/dog-waste bin on the Heathers
- In partnership with local businesses and volunteers, provided another Christmas event including an afternoon tea, for our local older residents as well as hosting another great Christmas light display in the village for enjoyment by all
- Created a new partnership with the Youth Council at Sharlston Community School and have donated a Bug Hotel and new play equipment this year
- Supported local residents and businesses with queries and concerns including inconsiderate parking, environmental health, bus services, mobile library, speeding and trees
- Signed the Civility & Respect Pledge & committed to excellent standards in Local Council Administration
- Acquired new land in the village for further development in the interests of residents
- Created 5000 and 10000 step health walks in the village







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