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Mrs. Victoria Woodhouse Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

> Mrs. Eileen Badcock Services Officer

Mrs. Liz Steer **Deputy Services Officer** 



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### Allotment Plots Available

The Parish Council has Allotment Plots available at the Babbages Allotment Site in Bickington. If you would like to give growing your own produce a go please contact the Parish Council. Please note the Babbages Allotments site is a walk-to only site.

### Parish Council Vacancies

Due to the resignation of three Councillors and the sudden passing of Cllr Wood the Parish Council has several Casual Vacancies. The co-option process to fill the Fremington/Yelland Vacancy has begun, if you are interested in becoming a Councillor please contact the Parish Council for a co-option application pack which must be completed and returned to the Council Offices by Friday 25th May 2018. Notices for future co-options and elections will be advertised on the Parish Council Website, Facebook Page and Notice Boards and in the local press.



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#### VACANCY FOR A PARISH COUNCILLOR

Fremington Parish Council has the following Vacancy Fremington (Yelland) Ward

Anyone wishing to be considered for co-option should contact the Parish Clerk for a Councillor Co-option Pack on the following details:

Mrs. Victoria Woodhouse, Parish Clerk Council Offices, 12 Higher Road, Fremington, Devon, EX31 3BG, Telephone: 01271 321063

E-mail: clerk@fremingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk

#### Closing date for applications is 5pm on Friday 25th May 2018.

The co-option will be made at the Council Meeting to be held on Monday, 4th June



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# Neighbourhood Plan

Thank you to all who took part in the householder survey. The paper survey allowed for up to five individuals from each household to complete it with an online version also available for convenience. The survey produced some interesting results and whilst in the main people like living in the parish, understandably concerns were raised about the amount of development, traffic and lack of community and sporting facilities. Respondents felt the parish was a safe place to live and loved the open space and setting of the parish and this was something that people would like to protect. The responses collected will be used to write the policies and aims and objectives of the Neighbourhood Plan and a vision statement for our parish. A full copy of the presentation and/or report is available from the Parish Council.

The findings from the householder survey can also be used to inform future decisions and policies of the Parish Council and aid applications for grant funding. Making it even more important that you took the time to take part and voice your opinions so thank you again for your contribution.





# Message from the Chairman

Dear Parishioner,

In this edition of the Parish Newsletter I would like to pay tribute to Councillor Tony Wood who passed away suddenly.



As the Chairman of Fremington Parish Council and on behalf of Tony's fellow Councillors I would like to express our shock and sadness at the suddenness of Tony's passing. He has been an invaluable part of the Parish Council with his insight and knowledge and has been on several of the committees over the years. It is indeed sad that only recently our loan for the refurbishment of the Beechfield Centre has been approved. When the new building is complete we will indeed remember Tony's enthusiasm for this building. Our thoughts are with his wife and family at this sad time.

Cllr Sue Kingdom, Chairman of the Parish Council

# Plans Agreed for the Completion of the Pavilion and Community Centre at Tews Lane

The Tews Lane Committee has recently approved the plans for the completion of the pavilion at the Oueen Elizabeth II Sports Fields, Tews Lane. The plans include a sports hall, bar, meeting rooms and accommodation above for a possible caretaker. The Planning Application will be submitted in the near future and there is Section 106 funding coming forward from the developments in the area to complete the project. Section 106 Funding has also been secured for an extension to the existing car parking and a Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) on site.





