



# Wickham Parish Council News

September 2013

## Wickham Festival



The Festival was a great success this year, feedback from the businesses in the village has also been good. Lots of local people took up the offer of free entry on Sunday which was sponsored by the Parish Council.

## Local Plan Part 2

The Parish Council Neighbourhood Planning Steering Group is working with Winchester City Council on the plans for the future of Wickham. The results of the evidence gathering processes are available on the Council's website, use the Local Plan Part 2 link on the home page [www.wickhamparishcouncil.org](http://www.wickhamparishcouncil.org)

## Planning news



Planning permission has been granted for a development of 31 McCarthy & Stone retirement apartments on the site of Wickham Laboratories.

Permission has also been granted for 6 two bedroom houses on the site of the vacated GP surgery.

## New Street Lights for Wickham

All the aging streetlights in Wickham will be replaced during September and October. Newer lights will be fitted with energy saving lamps. The 'conservation' lights in The Square will be refurbished and new lamps fitted.

## Wickham All Weather Pitch



The all weather pitch on school grounds behind the community centre is available for hire 6-9pm weekdays and 9am-9pm at weekends and during holidays. Cost to hire £25/hour. The pitch is free to use from 4.30-6pm every term time weekday and at other times it isn't being formally hired.

## Parish Council Meetings

Held at Wickham Centre, all welcome to attend.

### Committees

7pm 4<sup>th</sup> September-- Neighbourhood Planning

7pm 11<sup>th</sup> September -- Planning & Recreation Committees & Watermeadows Trust

### Full Council

7.15pm Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September

Please see notice boards and website for agendas, dates and times of other meetings.

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