

## NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN:



**Update:** 70 residents, members of the Neighbourhood Plan Group and Councillors attended the Annual Parish Meeting on 7 June to hear what views residents had expressed in the Neighbourhood Plan Survey. The results are available to read on the Parish Council website. These results have been used to draft a vision and five key objectives for the area for the next 20 years. Residents at the meeting were asked to check and confirm that these objectives will help to achieve the vision.

**Vision: An enhanced sustainable rural community that provides for people of all ages.**

### Objectives:

Heritage	To promote, protect and improve access to natural and built heritage
Transport & Movement	To enhance and maintain local walking routes, access to public transport and connections to local towns and employment centres (without reliance on cars)
Housing	To provide a sustainable place to live with a range of housing that meets local need.
Health & Wellbeing	To cultivate social cohesion and healthy lifestyles through the provision of public, recreational and community spaces
Environment & Economy	To provide and create environment that is attractive to employment and visitors.

### How to get involved?

If you would like to get involved in any way in the preparation of the Neighbourhood Plan, then contact the Clerk. Next steps: The “planning policies” are being written which are required to comply with national planning guidance. These will make up the plan which will be put together over the next few months and then made available for you to comment on.

## =====**Parish Festival**=====

Festival week started with **Songs of Praise** at St Johns Church in Ashley. **St Mary’s School** Summer Fair then attracted the crowds and beat the rain and the opening of **Mucklestone Church Tower** tested the hardest but was well worth it for the stunning views. At the **Turner Hodgkiss Community Nature Reserve** a variety of small mammals came out to play.

The **Stafford Morris Men** gave a rousing display at The Peel. The Mayor, Cllr Ian Wilkes, led the way in audience participation, with a brave rendition of the Jenny Lind.

Rain delayed play for the **Rounder’s Tournament** and the long awaited rematch between the finalists last year, the Fire Service, and the teenagers will have to wait another year as the fire crew couldn’t make the revised date. At the second attempt, 7 teams took part and the winners were the Goodwin’s under 16’s (same team as last year but using a different team name). Runners up were Team BT.

The **Colouring Competition Winners** were:

Ned Williams, age 4/5, St Marys School.

Gabriella Scarlett, age 7, Hugo Meynell School.

Grace Bateman, age 9, Hugo Meynell School.

Nancy Hogan, age 10, St Marys School.



### Roadworks on A53 in Loggerheads

Motorists can expect disruption from the 13<sup>th</sup> to the 26<sup>th</sup> of September, 2016 in the centre of Loggerheads on the A53 around the double roundabouts.