

Rogate Parish Council Chairman's letter

We heard last month that the application for a Community Highway Scheme in the centre of Rogate has been accepted by the county council to go to the next stage. This means that the county council are looking at introducing a 20mph speed limit zone in the centre of Rogate village which will include Parsonage Estate. The full details of the scheme will take some time to put together, time frame likely to be 2025/6. The charge is being led by James Stock and he has included a more detailed article in the magazine. The County Councillor and the Parish Council can only do so much, and it will need community support if this project is going to work. Please get behind James and his effort. We will be holding a community meeting when more details are available.

A date for the diary, our Annual Parish meeting is being held on Thursday 18th April 2024 at 7.00pm in Rogate Village Hal in conjunction with the Rogate Village Hall AGM. We have invited along our Police liaison officer and we plan to discuss the highways scheme.

A second date for the diary is the annual litter pick, please pencil in Saturday 16th March. More details in next month's magazine.

We have seen the unwelcome return of the potholes. We have logged complaints where we can but from past experience the more of you who complain the better. At our meeting on the 15th of January, Kate O'Kelly noted our concerns regarding the state of the road to Terwick Church.

We have also seen the return of some petty vandalism in Rogate village. The police have been informed and please keep your eyes open.

Look out for the daffodils that were planted around the village - they should soon be starting to come through!

Max
Chairman, Rogate Parish Council