

BIRCHANGER PARISH COUNCIL ACTION PLAN

Birchanger Parish Council constantly strives to work on behalf of parishioners on the issues that matter to the village. We are always keen to receive ideas and suggestions from parishioners on particular areas of interest or concern and where it is felt the Council may assist.

Listed below is our current schedule of activity; this is regularly reviewed and updated as projects finish and priorities change.

Aims, Objectives and Actions for 2015/16

Achieved

- Update local emergency plan
- Purchase and provision of village information boards
- Install dog waste bins
- Replace one parish noticeboard
- Provide adult exercise equipment on recreation ground
- Purchase and install defibrillator on Club premises
- Strive for Quality status in Local Council Award Scheme

Yes

On-Going Actions

- Regular litter picking.
- Ensuring footpaths across farmed fields are maintained
- Representation at County & District meetings where appropriate
- Highways management – in collaboration with ECC Highways
- Representation at County & District Transport meetings
- Grant Funding Working Party regularly reviews schemes and funds appropriate for the parish
- Consideration and response to consultations on issues specifically affecting the parish now and in the future
- Respond to all planning consultations
- Invite all village organisations and groups to the annual Parish Assembly
- Provide administration for annual Parish Assembly
- Keep main village message board up to date
- Regular content provided to Parish News detailing council activity
- Control and management of parish public finances
- Produce and ensure appropriate training programme for Clerk and Councillors