










BRAMPTON ABBOTTS

Village Hall

News Update – September 2022

Hall Opening Progress Event 'HOPE'

Thanks to the Cake Club ladies every household of the Parish should have now received the below flyer.

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The Brampton Abbots Village Hall Trustees hope you can join them at the VH on Monday 12th September from 5pm to 8pm to see what has been achieved so far and to hear about the next stage plans.

By participating in the short Survey prior to the event we aim to address any questions that may arise from the feedback <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/9H26XJB>

Following a point raised at the last AGM about communicating to anyone without Internet access, we hope the flyer will identify these parishioners so we can keep them informed by post.

We are looking forward to updating you on where we are with the refurbishment project and 'HOPE' to see you on the 12th.

Continued

General Information

Donations

Mike met up with the MD Andrew Stride of EDMO a local engineering company. EDMO produce DOC M sanitary fixtures and fittings for disabled toilets and have agreed to donate fixtures similar to those featured in the below photograph.



The Grounds

Jon and Ali met with our immediate neighbour Oliver Marshall and David Reeves (a landscape contractor with a tractor and hedge trimmer) to discuss trimming back and reducing the height of the border hedge. We are hoping this will be done early September.

Trustee Mug Shots

Trustee's mug shots have been added to the [About Us / Management](#) section of the website.



Elected Trustees

Chair: Jon Evans, Secretary: Hayley Bird, Treasurer: Mike O'Brien

Trustee 1: John Berry, Trustee 2: Brian Miller-Hall, Trustee 3: Ali O'Brien (Event Planning), Trustee 4: Diana Tabernacle (Grants), Oak House Nursery Representative Trustee: Alice Marshall (Booking Secretary).