

Ramsden Crays Parish Council



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Parish Projects

- a) A new Notice Board has been ordered and hopefully will soon be located at the junction of Gardiners Lane North and the A129. Most of the cost is being funded by a grant from Essex County Council.
- b) Four low maintenance plant beds have been designed and costed which we hope will in time brighten up the Parish. They will be located on the roadside either side of the War Memorial, around the Parish Sign and at the junction of Gardiners Lane North and the A129. Hopefully if these are successful we can provide similar plant beds elsewhere the Parish.
- c) A defibrillator has been purchased by the Parish Council and is now located on the external wall of the Shepherd and Dog. Our thanks to the owners of the pub for their co-operation. In addition further thanks to the Medvac Clinic for their kind donation of £500 towards the cost of this unit which will provide an emergency facility for the Parish.

If you are interested in training in the use of the defibrillator please contact the Parish Clerk.



War Memorial



Our memorial was funded and built using grants and donations, and as such belongs to our community, to honour our brave service men and women. It has become a focal point of the village, especially for the remembrance day service.

Two new gardens are soon to be constructed either side of the memorial to further enhance the area.

These brave people that this memorial was constructed for served their country not knowing whether they would ever return to their families after the conflicts.

The following phrase is very apt,

ALL GAVE SOME, SOME GAVE ALL.

It is with this sentiment in mind that the parish council are proposing to add more names to this memorial, to honour not only those that died in conflict but also those that bravely served their country and were fortunate enough to return to their families.

The parish council therefore invites any parishioners that had family that served in either the first or second world wars to submit details by email to ramsdencrays@live.co.uk or by post to;

Cllr Michael Kirby
Highlands
London Road
Crays Hill
Billericay
Essex
CM11 2UP

Please submit all details by 30th July 2018

Parish Council Information

Basildon Borough Council-local Plan

Following the recent Basildon Borough Council Elections the proposed final consultation and submission to the government is now being reviewed, we will no doubt be informed of any new proposals in due course.

Basildon Borough Council-Council Tax Bill 2018/19

Within your total Tax Bill you will have noticed that there has been a 5,7% increase in your payment to the Parish Council. This is entirely due to the withdrawal by the Borough of a Government Grant which in previous years has been passed down to us.

Parish Council Meeting Dates

We meet on a Monday at 7.00 p.m at The Shepherd and Dog Public House.

Resedents are welcome to attend. Our future proposed dates in 2018 are;- 16th July, 17th September, 15th October, 19th November, 17th December



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