

# HULLBRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

## Autumn 2017

### Welcome to our Autumn Newsletter

We hope that you have all had a good summer.

#### Village of the Year 2017

This year we entered into the Rural Communities Council of Essex Village of the Year Competition, this competition looks at not just how a village looks but community cohesion, the facilities and activities it provides to all age groups, the community and how the people living and working there are involved in community life and also the services the Parish Council provides to residents and visitors. We are very pleased to announce that we were awarded a 'Merit' Award. In our Class Coggeshall were the winners and overall winner was Terling.



#### Best Kept Frontage Competition

At the beginning of July Councillors shortlisted properties and these were recently judged and we are pleased to announce that this year's Winners are:

##### **1st Place Spring Song, The Avenue**

2nd Place	83 Ferry Road
3rd Place	2, The Glen, Tower Park
Highly Commended	1 Keswick Avenue
Highly Commended	Tahiti, The Avenue

Congratulations to all our winners and thank you for helping keeping Hullbridge a pretty place to live.

#### Allotment Competition 2017

The independent judge nominated the Winners as:

<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Mrs Oates</b>	<b>Plot 33</b>
2nd Place	Mrs Stone	Plot 32
3rd Place	Mrs Glenister	Plot 35

Congratulations to the Winners and to all those who took part.

#### Kendal Park Nature Reserve

A big thank you to the 1st Hullbridge Beaver Colony who have made the Bug Hotel, they did a fantastic job, very well done. The bugs have a great place to live.



All Sections at 1st Hullbridge Scout Group are helping the Parish Council with future projects of bird / bat boxes, hedgehog houses and improvements to the pond.

**HARP (Helping Southend's Homeless)** The Parish Office has non-perishable items collection box.

**Street Lights** Report defective lights to the Clerk

**Highway Issues** Please call Essex County Council on 0845 603 7631

**Rochford District Council**—01702 546366

**Out of Hours Emergencies** 01268 527317

**Police:** Email: [hullbridgenpt@essex.pnn.police.uk](mailto:hullbridgenpt@essex.pnn.police.uk)

**Mobile:** 07710046161 **Telephone:** 101 ext. 490535

**For a Home Fire Safety Visit call**—0300 303 0088

**Wheelchair FREE Loan—Short Term** Please contact the Parish Council Office for further details.

**SAVE the DATE Saturday 2nd DECEMBER 2017, Christmas Fayre** -3-6pm. Stall booking forms are on our website also please contact us if you would like to be part of the entertainment.

**Christmas Parcels** for Residents who are 80 and over, please let us know if you are 80 this year.

Annual Report 2016/2017 attached.

End of Year Accounts to follow once signed off by the External Auditors

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#### Hullbridge Parish Councillors

#### District Ward Councillors

#### Essex County Councillor

Office open: Monday 12.30pm.—2.30 pm  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 10 am—12 noon

#### Clerk to the Council:

Admin Assistant

Maintenance Staff

Cllrs D Borg (Chairman)

Cllrs Mrs. L Campbell-Daley, D. East, D. Jeffery, Mrs. W Stevenson, J. Chaffin, E. Smith, D. Elwell, I Kenlin, fK Ager, P White, Mrs. Lesley Spencer.

Cllrs Mrs. Diane Hoy, Michael Hoy and Stuart Wilson

Cllr Mrs. Carol Weston

- Anne-Marie Bates

- Juliette Mullett

- Martin Bewers / Jake Lillywhite

Miss. A Marriott ( Vice Chairman)

Member of Parliament Mark Francois MP

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we manage

135 plots  
at the Lower Road  
Site &  
maintain  
the general  
areas/  
Boundaries

**Play areas** - we  
maintain  
the Green  
Gym

**Funding**  
- we apply  
for funding  
also self-  
fund addi-  
tional facili-  
ties / Ser-  
vices for  
the Com-  
munity.

**Rec  
Ground** -  
Toilets, we  
pay for  
them to be  
opened/  
shut and  
cleaned.

**Car  
parks** - we  
maintain,  
pay rates/  
lights and  
keep Pooles  
Lane car  
park "Free"  
to the pub-  
lic.

**Street  
Lights** - we  
maintain  
and pay the  
electricity  
for all the  
Street  
Lights in un-  
-adopted  
Roads.

**Public  
Footpaths**  
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of the foot-  
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