

Following a very successful and well attended meeting, plans are now moving ahead to establish the village allotments. Many thanks to all who attended. Plots are still available if others are interested. Please contact the Clerk, Richard Green, on Clerk@westletonparishcouncil.gov.uk.

Thank you to everyone who attended the meeting to discuss the Future of the White Horse. In case you were unable to attend, the slides presented during the meeting are available on the PC website, and a form is available in the shop to commit to actions to prevent the possible closure of the pub.

Following 2 demonstrations and press coverage, Sizewell C has decided not to fell 5 oak trees on the B1125 south of Middleton and is reviewing its plans for the extension of the B1125 to the planned Sizewell Link Road along with the need to fell two more oak trees.

The Planning Inspectorate Examination of the Sealink project will begin on 5 November. Westleton PC will present its concerns about the additional traffic and the destruction of the local environment resulting from the cable trenching and the construction of large industrial buildings completely disproportionate to the environment. We will further stress concerns about the impacts of the project on our residents and their quality of life and about the damage to the tourism industry.

As a reminder: home owners need to apply to ESDC for permission to do any tree work in the conservation area. Even removal of a dead or potentially unsafe tree must be notified to the Council. For further information please see <https://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/planning/design-heritage-ecology-trees-landscape-and-rights-of-way/trees/trees-in-conservation-areas/>

The next Parish Council Surgery will be on Monday November 24, 10-30-11.30 in the Village Hall Foyer. The surgery is an opportunity for residents to raise concerns/ask questions to the Parish Council.

Parish Council meeting minutes are available on the Westleton Website and the notice board by the village shop.

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Chair, Westleton Parish Council