

SLAUGHAM PARISH COUNCIL
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NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING

Comms Meeting

30th March 2017

Pavilion, High Street, Handcross
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Communications undertaken for the Exhibitions of Sites for the Slaugham Neighbourhood Plan.

The comms team has met twice recently to discuss the upcoming exhibitions.

At the first meeting we went through previous slides that we may wish to use and updated text.

Subsequently, we have discussed advertising for this event. Sally created the poster which was e-mailed out to the group. Sally laminated some for putting up around the villages in prominent places. Lesley delivered to Patricia for Pease Pottage, John for Slaugham and Ed for Warninglid. It is well known, particularly in Handcross, that people look at posters on lampposts to see what is going on in the village!

For Handcross copies have also been placed in the hardware shop, butcher, newsagent, Spar, And So to Bed as well as on the Parish notice board. For Pease Pottage, Warninglid and Slaugham, posters have been put up at prominent sites.

We also put up our NHP banners in all four villages and photographs have already been taken of at least two of them.

To add to this, an article inviting people to attend the exhibitions was written and published in the Middy, in addition to Gail's column in the village news section where mention has been made of the exhibitions at least three times, possibly more over the previous weeks.

The Parish magazine, hand delivered monthly to all residents, had a feature article last month and the dates have appeared twice in the Diary of Events listed.

The poster has been added to the SPC web site, the NHP web site and has been posted and shared on Facebook.

It must be noted that when I have been out and about, the subject most often raised by Handcross residents has been Warren Cottage fields. We must be prepared for this to be our most contentious issue, even though currently this particular site is not shown favourably during the site assessment process.

Lesley Read for the comms team
Thursday 30 March 2017