



Holt Area Partnership News Autumn 2010

The Holt Area Partnership (HAP) has had a busy few months since the Spring Newsletter. We've distributed the Community Chest grant from the North Norfolk Community Partnership to nine different projects in the area, from Bulbs in Bodham to Mayday fun in Melton Constable – including building and refurb work in Briston, Holt Scouts and Sharrington on the way, all the projects involved volunteer work too: “many hands make light work”- as this picture from the Holt Scouts shows!



Below: front of Sharrington Village Hall before and after clear up with help from Sharrington volunteers, the Probation Service and a grant from HAP

We continue to support the Holt Area Community Bank - your local **Credit Union** facility, to find out more pop in to Holt CAB or call 01263 713849 Tuesdays + Fridays



We held our AGM in Hunworth Village Hall on Tuesday 25th May that was attended by representatives from 10 parish councils as well as other stakeholders - various local voluntary and community groups. We are always looking for new members, so do please contact us if you are interested, there is an annual fee of £5 per group, this entitles the group to regular updates on HAP activities, support with grant searching and applications and voting rights at our AGM. The membership money goes into the Community Chest fund to get given back to the community in grants.

NEW WEBSITE FOR HOLT AREA PARTNERSHIP!

On 28th July we launched our new HAP website thanks to Josh.biz. Please visit it at www.holtareapartnership.org.uk to find out what other projects we are supporting and how you might feedback information for the Parishes and other web pages, there are opportunities for everyone to get more involved!



North Norfolk Older People's Forum and the Holt Area Partnership

Are you over 50 or interested in issues for the over 50s?

If you would like to know more about services available to you, or people that you care for - or if you want an opportunity to share your concerns with these organisations, then come along to this event and meet representatives from:

Age UK (formerly Age Concern)	Holt Citizen's Advice Bureau (CAB)	Housing Support and Benefit Advisors
Alzheimer's Association	Holt Community Centre 10am - noon Tuesday 14th Sept Free Refreshments	Voluntary Norfolk - Health Connectors, Transport info and volunteering opportunities at Kelling Hospital
Fit 4 Life exercise and walking groups		
Holt Police representative	NORCAS alcohol counsellor	Holt Area Community Bank (Credit Union)

There will also be members of North Norfolk's Older People's Forum (NNOF) and the Holt Area Partnership available to chat to. With your support, this partnership event is **your chance to get information and have a say**, your feedback will help inform decision makers on service design in the future.

For more information please contact: Mary at NNOF on 01263 761419 or Lara at Holt Area Partnership on 01263 713456



The HAP Team
Lara Williamson, co-ordinator and
Debbie Shearly, administrator.
Contact us on 01236 713456 or
office@holtareapartnership.org.uk
3 Pound House, Market Place, Holt

