



Hailsham
TOWN COUNCIL

The Inglenook



ANNUAL REPORT

2021-2022

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Introduction: Town Mayor & Chairman's Report



Approaching the end of my third term as Town Mayor and Chairman, I am delighted to introduce Hailsham Town Council's Annual Report for the 2021/22 financial year.

First and foremost, I'd like to stress that many positives which have come about in recent months, including the lifting of coronavirus restrictions.

This reopening of society brings a new and more optimistic outlook for us - and a recovery from the pandemic that continues to put us back on track both socially and economically. This itself has been a major step forward in the return to 'normality' in our lives!

Despite the stress and strains of the past two years that many of us have experienced, we have not lost sight of community spirit, generosity and care that has been so evident in Hailsham since the start of the pandemic.

It has been another busy and challenging year for the Town Council, and we have worked on a number of existing and new projects, all of which I hope you will be given an insight into from the relevant committees in this document.

The Town Council is again working towards executing ways to carry out our activities and make front-line operations as efficient as possible. Like many town and parish councils across the country, we are committed to providing value for money.

We all know times are tough at present, and in setting the budget and precept for the next financial year, we have faced some difficult decisions on how to balance providing essential quality services with ever-decreasing budgets. The way the Town Council operates will continue to transform.

Throughout the past year, it has been a privilege to serve Hailsham again in a mayoral capacity. I have been invited to several civic engagements with charities, voluntary organisations and local businesses and, from these engagements, I have learned that Hailsham has a wonderful community spirit in addition to a capacity for caring for the community and for enterprise.

The community and voluntary sector play a significant role within Hailsham, fulfilling a broad range of requirements for the local community. The benefits that come from a having such a vibrant community and voluntary sector creates many positives for the town by providing services to those in need, volunteering for those who need to develop their life skills, as well as providing the means for people to become involved in their community or simply leisure opportunities.

I am impressed by the work in the town by volunteers who help run these organisations and, having recognised and supported such organisations in the past wherever I can, I am certain that there are many unsung heroes upon who so much depends on the success of fundraising events and other vital work in the community.



In closing, I'd like to thank everyone for having faith in me to carry out the duty of Town Mayor for another year. A lot has and can be achieved in our town and, as your mayor, I look forward to meeting such groups again during the remainder of my term. Hailsham is a special place, and my fellow Council members, Council staff and I will work hard to ensure that it remains so.

I can't finish without my thanks going to my wife, the Mayoress and fellow town councillor Barbara Holbrook, who has attended some engagements alongside me during the past year. Thanks also to the Deputy Town Mayor and Vice-Chairman Councillor John Puttick for his valuable help and determination, and to all Town Council staff - officers, the works team, youth workers and post office operatives - for everything they do to keep our machine up and running.

Councillor Paul Holbrook
Town Mayor & Chairman, Hailsham Town Council



Chairman's Report: Finance, Budget & Resources Committee



The Town Council adopted the recommendation put forward by the Finance, Budget & Resources Committee for the next financial year (1st April 2022-31st March 2023) and the agreed budget of £1,254,440 with amount of precept of £1,252,856 to be requisitioned from Wealden District Council, with the shortfall in the budget of £1,584 to be drawn from Council reserves.

In making the recommendation for the budget, the Town Council aims to provide continuing security for essential services for residents and visitors alike with value for money improvements where possible.

The Town Council continues to fund the expanding youth services in the town, which is important in supporting the young people across Hailsham, Hailsham Youth Service currently operates the Square Youth Café, Friday Night Project, Monday Youth Hub, Hellingly Youth Hub, Safehub and the new Eastside Youth Hub facility.

Covid-19 is still having an impact on the Town Councils' finances due to some facilities being closed or operating at reduced hours, resulting in a loss of income over the last two years.

Despite this, there is an increase in the number of community events planned for the coming year, such as a Summer French Market, Christmas Lights Switch-on, Christmas Market and the Queens Platinum Jubilee in June, which is what the community needs after the lack of community events over the last two years.

The Town Council continues to deliver value for money, and I think the budget proposal for the next year will enable us to continue to do that and go some way towards making a significant difference for the residents of Hailsham.

One of the ways we are achieving this is to provide ongoing support to the town Centre post office, alongside running the James West Community Centre, cemetery, play areas, allotments, parks and public open spaces, public conveniences, a detailed Maintenance Plan for the upkeep of these - and of course, the funding needed for the additional grass cuts around Hailsham.

Councillor Gavin Blake-Coggins
Chairman, Finance, Budget & Resources Committee



Chairman's Report: **Assets Management Committee**



The Assets Management Committee deals with Town Council properties such as play areas, open spaces, recreation grounds, allotments, tree maintenance, and litter bins.

The Committee also deals with buildings such as the Maurice Thornton Pavilion, the James West Community Centre, cemetery buildings and Grovelands Barn, as well as the public toilet facility in North Street, bus shelters and street lighting.

The Committee has focused on a variety of projects recently and I have listed a few of them below - some of which are completed and some of which are in the process of being organised:

- Improved drainage at the Common Pond
- The complete refurbishment of the South Road play area
- Two new youth shelters at Maurice Thornton Skate Park and Western Road Recreation Ground
- The placing of a Changing Places pod at the Western Road Recreation Ground
- Work on the Maurice Thornton Pavilion
- Replacement of the Hawks Road bus shelter
- New entrance created at the Maurice Thornton Playing Field
- New all-weather footpath/track installed at the Western Road Recreation Ground
- New pathway at Hailsham Cemetery

The Assets Management Committee also continues to work with the local sports clubs and Hailsham Active to continue to improve the local sports facilities. The Committee hopes to secure some Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) money to assist with funding for the new netting for Hailsham Cricket Club at the Western Road Recreation Ground and for the proposed new facilities at Hailsham United Football Club. This will be decided later in the year.

Funding has been secured from Fields in Trust for work to the South Road play area steps, and we would like to thank Hailsham Active for organising this funding and work.

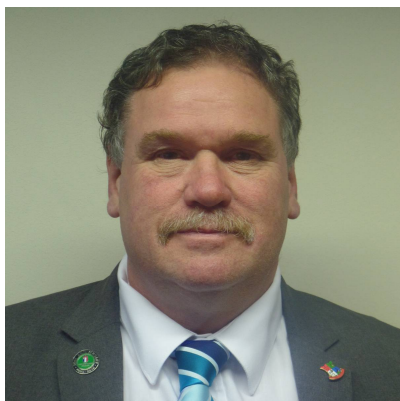
The Town Council also continues to make improvements at Hailsham Cemetery.

I would like to thank everyone on the Assets Management Committee for all their hard work, as well as everyone who is involved in all the projects linked to the Committee.

Councillor Trevor Powis
Chairman, Assets Management Committee



Chairman's Report: **Planning & Development Committee**



The Planning & Development Committee continued to meet remotely throughout the pandemic to consider the planning applications.

In the last year, the Committee has considered 137 applications, 10 of these being major applications and 6 of these East Sussex County Council planning applications.

The Committee meets every three weeks to consider the planning applications that have been submitted and then puts forward its views to Wealden District Council. We are only consultees so we cannot make the decision on whether to approve or object to an application - we can only offer our opinion.

The Town Council's Neighbourhood Development Plan was approved and is now up and running and the Planning & Development Committee now refer to this plan when considering applications, alongside the saved policies from the Wealden Local Plan 1998 and the Wealden Design Guide 2008.

One of the major applications considered was the redevelopment of the Cattle Market for the McCarthy & Stone development. The Committee strongly opposed this application and the Town Council applied to Historic England to have listed status placed on the front boundary wall and former Collectors' Room on the grounds of the Cattle Market.

Unfortunately, Historic England refused to place listed status here, stating that the criteria for listed status was not fulfilled.

Wealden District Council are expected to be submitting their new Local Plan shortly, and the Planning & Development Committee look forward to viewing this.

I would like to thank everyone on the Committee for their hard work throughout the year.

Councillor John Puttick
Chairman, Planning & Development Committee



Chairman's Report: **Communities Committee**



The Town Council's Communities Committee organises several events throughout the year. I would like to thank our fantastic partners who work so hard every year to organise various community events in the town - Hailsham Lions, Hailsham Rotary Club, Hailsham News, Hailsham Forward, Hailsham Community College, Hailsham Parish Church, Hailsham Bonfire Society, Hailsham Farmers' Market, Hailsham FM, Hailsham Festival and the Hailsham Community Groups Forum.

This is obviously a special year as it is the Queen's Platinum Jubilee, and the Town Council and Paul Gibson from Hailsham News are working together to organise events in the town for the celebrations.

For the Jubilee, Hailsham Parish Church will be lit up in red, white and blue. A Beacon will be situated next to the War Memorial, a 'Hailsham Jubilee Day' will be held on Saturday 4th June, inviting local businesses to take part by offering special promotions and discounts to customers on the day, along with some live music. Furthermore, an event will be held on the Western Road Recreation Ground on the Sunday, with 25 charity stalls. This event is free but will be ticketed.

Hailsham Parish Church is also running a number of events for the Jubilee, including a special thanksgiving service at the church at 6pm on Thursday 2nd June.

Due to the pandemic, the Town Council has not been able to invite the French Market, Le Marche, back to the Town for the last two years. However, we have now organised for them to return to Hailsham on Saturday 23rd July. Hailsham High Street will be closed on this day and other local market stalls will also be in attendance in Vicarage Field. We will also have the Hailsham Lions with their candy floss stall, Hailsham FM, and live music.

The Town Council continues to run a weekly Street Market every Saturday.

Although we have been unable to organise any major events for the last two summers, we held our Christmas Lights Switch On event last year in late November. This was a great success and the Switch On event this year will be held on Friday 25th November. As usual, we will have some carol signing from the local schools and Santa will be in attendance courtesy of the Hailsham Rotary Club. The Hailsham Lions will also be selling candy floss. Hailsham FM will be providing the Christmas music!

The Committee will also be organising a Christmas Market on Saturday 10th December, alongside the Farmers' Market. This is being planned at the moment and will involve local market stalls, some live music and a visit from Santa.

The Farmers' Market are at the Cattle Market site every 2nd Saturday of the month.

Sadly, the Hailsham '10K, 5K, 1-mile Run' had to be postponed this year, but it is expected to go ahead in May 2023.



Hailsham Festival week will run between 3rd September to 17th September and the Bonfire Night celebrations will go ahead again this year, on Saturday 15th October at the Western Road Recreation Ground.

The Town Council now organises the Remembrance Sunday event and the Remembrance Day Sub-Committee reports to the Communities Committee. The planning of this event will start again in the next couple of months.

I would like to thank everyone on our Committee and everyone who gets involved in all our events, as we could not do this without all of you.

Councillor Alexa Clarke
Chairman, Communities Committee



Chairman's Report: **Neighbourhood Planning Committee**



Since the adoption of our Neighbourhood Development Plan by Wealden District Council, the committee continues to meet to measure our plan, vision and policies against all planning applications that are submitted to the Planning Authority.

We have a template proforma in place which our Planning & Development Committee comments on and is returned to Planning South as part of the Wealden planning process.

Our Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) has now increased to 25% from 15%, and we have criteria in place regarding expenditure and the identification of projects that will benefit the community as a whole.

We will in our strategy planning for 2022-2027, use our CIL contributions on identified Council-agreed projects.

To date, we have used CIL funds for the provision of a Changing Places facility that will be sited on the Western Road Recreation Ground, the installation of a new, accessible footpath around the recreational ground and the replacement of some of the pathways at Hailsham Cemetery.

Other identified projects of enhancement is the Common Pond, with new drainage and clearance of the central island, as well as a new pathway around Hailsham Country Park and new car park surface on site.

We receive CIL contributions twice a year from Wealden District Council.

There will be a formal review of our Neighbourhood Development Plan as and when the Wealden draft plan is passed by an independent planning Inspector at some point in time in 2023.

Councillor Mary Laxton
Vice-Chairman, Neighbourhood Planning Committee



Town Clerk's Report



The Annual Report from the Town Council enables residents to see how we perform, and what we have achieved throughout any given year.

Unfortunately, we had to cancel the Annual Town Electors' Meetings for 2019/20 and 2021/21 resulting from the coronavirus pandemic (a decision which was not made lightly) and therefore were unable to produce Annual Reports for these years. But the Town Council is delighted to be able to resume these important meetings for residents and be in the position to hold it again this year.

Our Outdoor works team continue to provide a vital service to the town, working hard to improve the environment and look after our large portfolio of land and property in all weathers. Our Youth Service team provides a fantastic service for the young people of the town, working hard to ensure the services are successful in providing young people with structure and a safe space.

The last two years have been difficult for most of us as we tackled managing the pandemic and the various restrictions that came about as a result. Both years presented numerous challenges for the Town Council and we have had to adapt to the ever-changing situation. Nevertheless, it remains no surprise that Hailsham responded to those challenges in the same way it always does, by coming together to support its community.

It is our duty as a Town Council to look after the health, safety and well-being of members, staff and service-users, which is why we continually monitored developments concerning Covid-19 very closely in line with guidance from Public Health England, and many of the Council's services and facilities remain closed - or open with restrictions - until the lockdowns and restrictions were lifted.

Balancing the public's access to required services and properties of the Town Council with the need to promote public safety was our top priority, and I'd like to thank Hailsham residents for their understanding of the necessary precautions we had to take on 2020 and 2021.

Despite the difficulties faced and the pressure placed on the Town Council over the past two years, we continued to provide many of our services and complete several objectives, as well as commencing new projects. The Town Council, like other organisations, had to adapt and find new and innovative ways of working. This included increasing its virtual outreach via online engagement and activities, such as holding our Full Council and Committee meetings on video conferencing platforms.

Add to this, other significant changes such as home-based working by many of our staff, grappling with new technology, coping with ever-changing coronavirus legislation, and communicating the myriad of regulations and guidelines to residents, as well as applying new policies, risk assessments and procedures, and finding ways to meet increased needs and maintaining our vast range of services.

Our administrative officers, outdoor works team, youth services department and post office team, in fact all of our staff, worked incredibly hard in the face of significant difficulties to adopt new ways of working, take on new tasks related to the pandemic and adapt to the ongoing problems.



Quite early into the pandemic the council was able to offer a series of special grants to various organisations helping the community through the difficulties and it was amazing to see so many organisations applying and the work they were doing.

I am happy that the Town Council has been able to resume face-to-face meetings and reopen our reception to the public in recent months, and that the vast majority of services and activities are operating at the level and capacity they were pre-pandemic.

This Annual Report document will outline many of these actions, services and activities by way of individual reports from our Committee Chairs - and other information which residents may find useful.

2021/22 in particular has been another busy and exciting year for us and we have worked on a number of major projects, all of which I hope you will be given an insight into from throughout this document.

Over the past year, there have been a handful of changes in membership of the Town Council as councillors have left and others have been elected or co-opted. This is all part of the process of democracy and the Town Council has consistently maintained its focus on delivering a quality service for the town.

The efforts and achievements of the small and hard-working staff team are not obvious to those outside the Town Council, but a huge amount of work and expertise goes into delivering and administering our services, communicating with the residents, businesses and community groups of Hailsham, working with our colleagues from other organisations, effectively monitoring and maintaining our finances, servicing and producing the documents for our regular meetings and offering a professional and friendly service to all of our Town Council members.

Our office staff and administration team continue to work hard to action the decisions of the Town Council and maintain our extensive range of services, assets and facilities for residents. Our outdoor works team continue to provide an invaluable service to the town, working hard to improve the environment and look after our large portfolio of land and property. Our youth worker team - Hailsham Youth Service - whose positive attitude in working with young people and providing them with structure, safe spaces and a wide range of support services, has ensured that our youth projects have gone from strength to strength in recent years. Add to that, our post office team which continues to offer excellent customer service for the people of Hailsham since opening just three years ago.

One of the Town Council's greatest strengths is its ability to facilitate: to develop and enhance strong partnerships and relationships in order to take the town forwards together.

It continues to be the case that by working together with the other local authorities, organisations and businesses who have influence in Hailsham that we can really get things improving and moving.

May I take the opportunity to thank you all for attending this Annual Town Meeting. Please feel free to come along to any of our future Council and Committee meetings or contact any town councillor or myself if you have any issues you wish to raise.

John Harrison
Town Clerk



Appendix 1: Hailsham Town Council Mission & Objectives

Mission Statement

Hailsham Town Council will work to provide a safe, high quality social and physical environment to meet the needs of residents and visitors; will be at the forefront of promoting Hailsham as a place and will work with other agencies to defend the best interests of the Town for the benefit of everyone.

Aims & Objectives

- To enable residents of Hailsham and its surroundings to enjoy high-quality social, recreational and cultural facilities within the Town and seek the continuing improvement and development of these facilities in accordance with the wishes of residents.
- To encourage and promote the economic and commercial vitality of Hailsham.
 - To preserve the unique identity of Hailsham and promote its heritage.
- To ensure that harmony exists between commercial, ecological and residential requirements.
 - To consult with and take due regard of all comments received from other statutory bodies, voluntary organisations and individuals, to ensure an improving standard of service to meet local needs.
 - To represent the views and wishes of the people of Hailsham.
- To help create a socially inclusive and caring community that embraces all residents, irrespective of their circumstances.
- To promote and maintain the “Charter of Twinning” between the people of Hailsham and the citizens of Gournay-en-Bray.



Appendix 2: Hailsham Town Council Facts, Figures & Structure

Facts About Hailsham Town Council

- currently has 18 elected Members.
- holds over 60 Council or Committee meetings a year, plus the Annual Town (Electors') Meeting.
 - employs/retains 29 paid members of staff, including office/administrative, outdoor/works, youth service and post office staff.
- publishes a newsletter three times a year, distributed for collection by residents to various public outlets in Hailsham
- commented on 137 planning applications in 2021/22, including 10 major applications and 6 County Council applications.
- The 2021-22 parish rate (which represents the proportional part of the Council Tax which is paid to and funds the Town Council's services and responsibilities amounts to £151.14 for Band D, representing a total of £1,146,274 (requested of Wealden District Council) for the financial year

Committee Structure

Seven Standing Committees were appointed for the 2021/22 municipal year, these being the:

- **ASSETS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**
 - **COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE**
- **FINANCE, BUDGET & RESOURCES COMMITTEE**
 - **PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**
- **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING COMMITTEE**
 - **STRATEGY COMMITTEE**
 - **STAFFING COMMITTEE**

A full schedule of Committee meetings, in addition to bi-monthly meetings of Full Council, is available to view on the Town Council website:

hailsham-tc.gov.uk



Appendix 3: Hailsham Town Council Assets & Land

LAND & PROPERTY

MANAGED/MAINTAINED BY HAILSHAM TOWN COUNCIL



PUBLIC OPEN SPACES & PARKS

Land at Butts Field; Land at rear of Retail Park (Diplocks Way); Land at Arlington Road East; Land at Blacksmith's Copse; Common Pond; Land at Ersham Road Triangle; Land on west side of Solway; Land to the south side of Quinnell Drive; Dennis King Memorial Sensory Garden; Cameron Close public open space; Orchard Park and land adjacent to Grovelands Barn

RECREATION LAND & PLAY AREAS

Hailsham Country Park (including lake and ponds); Western Road Recreation Ground (including Beaconsfield and tennis courts); Maurice Thornton Playing Fields; Carpenters Way play area; Stroma Gardens play area; Battle Road play area; Maurice Thornton play area; Quinnell Drive play area; Maurice Thornton skate park

ALLOTMENT SITES

Station Road; Battle Road; Harold Avenue

CEMETERY LAND

Cemetery site at Ersham Road

PREMISES MANAGED

1 Market Square (Square Youth Cafe/SafeHub/The Foyer); Cemetery Lodge (Ersham Road); Cemetery buildings inc. chapel; 3 Market Street; Inglenook & Fleur de Lys (Market Street); 4 Market Street; James West Community Centre; Union Corner Hall and car park; Maurice Thornton Pavilion, Grovelands Barn; 2 North Street building (inc. public toilets)

OTHER

War Memorial (Vicarage Field); Victoria Gate (High Street)

POST OFFICE

10 High Street

FOR A MORE DETAILED LIST OF LAND & PROPERTIES MANAGED BY HAILSHAM TOWN COUNCIL, PLEASE CALL 01323 841702.



Appendix 4: Mayoral Engagements: 2021/22

Date	Function
24 May 2021	Opening of Gloves Up for Good Boxing Club (George Street)
26 Jun 2021	Armed Forces Day Service (War Memorial)
10 Jul 2021	Opening of Hailsham Live! Event (Town Centre)
22 Jul 2021	Opening of New Playground (Knockhatch Adventure Park))
22 Jul 2021	Visit to Art Gallery North (High Street)
23 Jul 2021	Opening of Hailsham Heritage Centre & Museum (Blackman's Yard)
29 Jul 2021	Opening of New Bar at Bowes House Care Home (Battle Road)
31 Jul 2021	Barbecue at Sunflowers CIC (Hailsham Community Hub)
5 Aug 2021	Hailsham & District Chamber of Commerce Breakfast (Callender's Restaurant)
7 Aug 2021	Hailsham Allotment Society Allotment Show (Battle Road Allotments)
22 Aug 2021	Visit to Art Gallery North (High Street)
25 Aug 2021	Armed Forces Day Service (War Memorial)
3 Sep 2021	Opening of Abbots Wood Manor Care Home (London Road)
4 Sep 2021	Mayor's Concert (Hailsham Festival) (Parish Church)
4 Sep 2021	Hailsham Allotment Society BBQ (Battle Road Allotments)
11 Sep 2021	Wealden Writers' Event (Hailsham Festival) (Parish Church)
11 Sep 2021	Party in the Garden (Western Road Recreation Ground)
16 Sep 2021	Launch of 'String – The Musical' (Hailsham Festival) (Marlow Ropes)
18 Sep 2021	Nostalgia Day Fair (Hailsham Festival) (Western Road Recreation Ground)
18 Sep 2021	'String – The Musical' (Hailsham Festival) (Hailsham Pavilion)
24 Sep 2021	MacMillan Coffee Morning Appeal (Stevens & Carter Estate Agents)
1 Oct 2021	Age Concern Event (Charles Hunt Centre)
16 Oct 2021	Judging of Best Costume at Bonfire Night Celebrations (Town Centre)
22 Oct 2021	Opening of The Ropemakers Academy (Beckmeads Trust) (Reef Way)
30 Oct 2021	MacMillan Coffee Morning Appeal (Stevens & Carter Estate Agents)
6 Nov 2021	Visit to Art Gallery North (High Street)
11 Nov 2021	Armistice Day Service (War Memorial)
12 Nov 2021	Hailsham & District Twinning Association Festive Event (Charles Hunt Centre)
14 Nov 2021	Remembrance Day Service (War Memorial)
16 Nov 2021	Age Concern Volunteer Awards (Charles Hunt Centre)



Appendix 4: Mayoral Engagements: 2021/22

Date	Function
25 Nov 2021	Circus Training Graduation Day Event (Knockhatch Adventure Park)
11 Dec 2021	Glove Up For Good Charity Event (George Street)
15 Dec 2021	Sunflowers CIC Christmas Market Event (Hellingly Community Hub)
16 Dec 2021	Hailsham Choral Society Christmas Carol Concert (Parish Church)
5 Feb 2022	Charity Jumble Sale (Charles Hunt Centre)
19 Feb 2022	Royal British Legion Event (Parish Church)
9 Mar 2022	Laying of Wreath for the People of Ukraine (War Memorial)
10 Mar 2022	Opening of New Unit at Bowes House Care Home (Battle Road)
10 Mar 2022	Interview on Hailsham FM (North Street Studio)
14 Mar 2022	Opening of New Furniture Now! Store (High Street)
17 Mar 2022	Opening of 'Search Pole' Facility (Hailsham Youth Service) (Square Youth Cafe)
24 Mar 2022	Host at Hailsham Bonfire Society Meeting (The Grenadier, High Street)
24 Mar 2022	Candlelight Vigil and Memorial Service for Ukraine (War Memorial)
26 Mar 2022	Hailsham Choral Society Spring Concert (All Saints Church, Eastbourne)
16 Apr 2022	Opening of Sunflowers CIC Easter Eggstravaganza (Hellingly Community Hub)



Appendix 5: Member & Officer Contact Information

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