

Parish Report June 2019

Palgrave Parish Council

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Highways Self Help Scheme - Suffolk Highways has launched a programme to enable certain types of works to be undertaken by Town and Parish Councils including: Sign cleaning, tree pruning, and grass verge cutting. Parishes can receive council support including training and equipment, and may carry out these tasks through contractors, volunteers or by purchasing services from SCC. Details and joining directions for the Community Self Help are at: www.suffolk.gov.uk/communityselfhelp

Highways – Ongoing Projects – awaiting meeting outcome with Cabinet Member and officers

Work on A14 - Highways England is planning to close the A14 at night during the working week on several occasions starting the end of June until middle of July. Exact dates and will be available shortly. The diversion route between the A14/ A140 junction at Beacon Hill and the A143/ A14 junction near Bury will be via the A140 an A143.

New County Exercise Referral Scheme Quality Standard - has been developed by SCC Public Health and partners to encourage participation by GPs and patients. The Exercise Referral Schemes enables GPs and health professionals to refer patients with long-term health conditions to a fitness programme within the community which adheres to National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) guidelines. Enquire with your GP if interested.

Energy Grants - A range of energy and environmental funding for community projects can be found at; http://www.greensuffolk.org/green-communities/grants-and-funding-opportunities/