## **Sampford Courtenay Parish Council Project Summary**

Note: Project Summary to be completed by lead Councillor(s) and circulated to SCPC 7 days before each Council meeting (with additional papers if required)

Project/ Intended Outcome: Village Green – Revitalise the area to encourage wider use for informal and organised activities; In the short term, use the space to raise funds towards the Village Hall Roof fund. The Green is owned by the Parish Council but should be regarded as a shared space for use by all Parishioners – activities and initiatives will promote joint working between the Parish Council, the Village Hall Committee and the Church. These proposals have been deliberately kept 'simple and fluid' to allow them to evolve over time without committing too many resources in the first instance. 22 Parishioners have expressed an interest in getting involved within their responses to the Village Green Poll and it is important to take advantage of the impetus that exists whilst it is there.

To be completed by (proposed end date): Ongoing project. Initially 3 years with a view to evolving it further as use increases and responding to feedback from Parishioners

Councillor(s) with responsibility for oversight: 1)? 2)?

Volunteer Parishioners supporting SCPC on this project: Veronica Matthews. (VM), Jill Bevin(JB), John Palmer (advising on Performance space)

Estimate of total cost: Individual project elements to be costed as they evolve. Initial costs have been deliberately kept to a minimum.

Source(s) of funding: (Listed in priority order using Village Green Parishioner Poll results)

- 1. Seasonal Wildflower seed Possibly use funding already allocated to SCEnSus group? (Include foxgloves, poppies, oxeye daisies?)
- 2. Indigenous bulb and Spring flower planting funded by donation in memory of Tim Edwards(TE) Include fritillary, primroses, 'wild' daffodils etc. (Snowdrops Villagers have already offered 'green' plants)
- 3. Bug Hotel donated materials (Parishioners, SW Fixings, Mole Avon, RGB etc)
- 4. Performance space initially an identified area of grass so at no cost with the possibility of purchasing/ making a staged area at a later date depending on level of use/ interest and further aspirations
- 5. Central Play area SCPC to review state of existing play equipment and replace/ extend
- 6. Fruit trees Invitation to Parishioners to donate in memory of loved ones or to celebrate significant events
- 7. Storage Shed A lockable shed with code known to key people for storage of collapsible seats, games equipment, possibly staging at a later date, garden equipment etc. Cost of shed and equipment to be considered by SCPC in due course
- 8. Additional costs for events Portaloos? Electricity supply from Church or house/ property backing onto the Green/ Extension leads (PAT testing etc)

## **Detailed project plan and tracking sheet:**

Key task(s) – in Poll priority order	Target date for completion	Councillor responsible for oversight of task	Others involved	Estimated cost	Completion date	Actual cost	Progress/ tracking notes – including reasons for any delays
1. Review grass cutting	ASAP, by end	?		No			
contract/ instructions – cut	May 2021			change			
previous wildflower strip				from			

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by Church Wall and leave				current			
uncut the new wildflower				contract			
area in front of beech							
hedge and along bottom							
edge of the Green							
2. Check ownership of	ASAP, by end	?		£0?			
Water Path/ Rights of way	May 2021						
across the Green etc -							
Check that increased							
access is permissible							
3. Once draft plan	By end June	?	VM & JB,	£0			
approved by SCPC,	2021		Website – M. Pratt				
publicise and recruit			Email – J. Carpenter				
volunteers to support and,							
where possible, to lead on							
specific tasks							
4. Remove existing	ASAP/ right	M. Carpenter?		?			
pollarded Horse Chestnut	time of year	60 60					
tree at end of beech hedge							
5. Wildflower area — cut	End October		VM & JB oversight,	£50?			
and rake off grass etc in	2021		volunteers needed	130.			
September ready for	2021		Volunteers needed				
seasonal planting							
6. Indigenous bulb planting	End October		VM & JB oversight	£100?			
and seed sowing	2021		with volunteers in	1100:			
and seed sowing	2021		memory of TE				
7. Bug Hotel	End February		Volunteer needed to	£0?			
7. Bug Hotel	2022		take the lead. VM & JB	LO:			
	2022		to provide				
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			specification and to				
Q Dorformones area	lung/ lulu		track progress	2			
8. Performance area –	June/ July		JP to arrange initial	?			
green space/ grass area	2022, as		trial event				
initially	lockdown						
	rules permit						
9. Central Play equipment	Depends on	M. Carpenter	Volunteers needed to	£1000?			
<ul> <li>extend to include</li> </ul>	state of	(MC)	advise and to work				
	current						

additional play equipment	equipment		with MC to develop		
for all ages	and decisions		proposals		
	made to				
	repair/ replace				
10. Fruit trees, including	End January		Volunteers needed.	Max £15	
ornamental trees	2022		VM & JB to oversee	per tree?	
11. Storage Shed - Base &	Review Spring	?	Volunteers needed	£500?	
Shed. Coded locking	2022. If				
system	needed, install				
	by Summer				
	2022				
12. Flexible seating –	As above	?	As above – same	£200?	
individual collapsible seats			people?		
for those who need it					
13. Storage system for	As above	?	As above – same	£100?	
shed to store games etc			people?		
14. Investigate provision of	End of June	?	?	?	
Toilets, Electricity and	2021 ready for				
other services for	possible				
organised events	Summer				
	events				

Final cost of project:
Source of any additional funding required:
Project completed and signed off by:
Councillor 1 (Lead on project):
Councillor 2 (Support on project):
Chair:
Date: