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## WYMONDHAM AWARD FROM ROYAL BRITISH LEGION



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## New Defibrillators in Wymondham

Last year Wymondham Town Council became aware of a special offer available to local councils to purchase defibrillators (Defibs) at a reduced price.

Deputy Mayor Cllr Annette James researched where existing Defibs were available and which parts of Town were missing having access to these life-saving units. Contact was made with some local businesses to see if they would be happy to host a machine.

The first was installed outside the new Co-Op store on Silfield Road.

The second unit was installed outside the Garden Centre in North Wymondham on their side wall which is accessible 24/7 from Tuttle Lane East. Brenda Groucott from Wymondham Garden Centre said that she too had been involved in an incident where a customer had collapsed. "Our nearest Defib was the one on Lime Tree Avenue and we had to rush over there to get it so we are very happy to have one right here."

## QEII Memorial Garden unveiled

A REVAMPED garden area in Chandler's Hill in Wymondham, renamed the Queen Elizabeth Memorial Garden in tribute to the late monarch, was formally opened by the Town Council on 27th October 2023.

At a small ceremony held at the Garden, Wymondham Mayor Cllr Suzanne Nuri-Nixon unveiled a plaque to mark the occasion and thanked all of those who had contributed their time, effort and expertise to complete the project.

Originally it was planned that this area was refurbished to celebrate Queen Elizabeth's Diamond Jubilee. However due to the passing of the late Monarch, the Town Council decided it would be more appropriate to have this as a memorial garden.

The revamped garden was designed by Lesley Clarke and Spooner Row firm MN Landscapes undertook the work. There was also praise and thanks for local volunteers Janis Raynsford, Janet Stevens, Greening Wymondham, Wymondham in Bloom and Peter Broome who offered his past professional expertise to check plans.



## New Community Seed Library installed in Priory Gardens

A new Community Seed Library was unveiled by the Mayor, Cllr Suzanne Nuri-Nixon and Deputy Mayor, Cllr Annette James, in Priory Gardens in December.

The Library was handmade by East Harling's Craig Jenkins, of One Man and His Wood, who attended the unveiling. He very kindly donated it to the town. The idea is that people can put their surplus seeds in it and take away other seed donations they can use.





## Award from Royal British Legion

The Wymondham branch of the Royal British Legion (RBL) were presented with a certificate from Norfolk RBL for services to the community at the County wide conference in February.

Members from Wymondham including branch chair Ian Jacques, Ann Rogerson, David Neave and Fred Squires attended the Conference. They were delighted to get the award in 'recognition and appreciation of their outstanding contribution to the Royal British Legion Norfolk.

The award was presented by Lt General Jonathan Page to Wymondham Mayor Cllr Suzanne Nuri-Nixon.

Special thanks also to our Town Council staff member Gina Baker (pictured with the Mayor) who helps organise the annual Remembrance Day parade through Wymondham in November.

# Market Cross to be repainted

Our historic Market Cross is due to have its essential repainting in August. The Grade 1 listed building, which currently houses the Tourist Information Centre, requires specialist paint as advised by Historic England. The Cross will be shrouded in scaffolding and closed to the public during the scheduled 4 to 6 weeks work. The Tourist Information Centre will be temporarily available at the Ketts Bookshop which is located on the Market Square.



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## Your Mayor and Deputy for 2024-25

At May's full Council meeting Councillors re elected Suzanne Nuri-Nixon as Wymondham Mayor and Dave Roberts as Deputy for the coming year. If you would like either the Mayor or Deputy to attend your event contact [Office@wymondhamtc.co.uk](mailto:Office@wymondhamtc.co.uk)



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