AHS PARISH COUNCIL - GREEN AND ENVIRONMENT GROUP

NOVEMBER REPORT

Recycling Day - took place on 27th September. A very successful day with 34 attendees (in future we'll look to advertise such events more widely.)
Highlights:

- **Steve's presentation on the changes to the recycling current system and East Suffolk Council supplied freebies advice and information.**
- **Sally Phillips' junk modelling, a hit with younger recyclers!**
- **Mike Brackenbury led a group to see some Somerleyton Men's Shed 'upcycling' activities.**

Refreshments covered costs with £45 surplus (keeping for future expenses).

Grit bins - are now replenished. Combination locks have been mislaid in the process. *Permission is requested to replace them, assuming they are not returned.*

New Members - Jenny Anderson has now joined our Group in October

Waste dumping in 'the Jam' – raised by a parishioner as a continuing issue. *Requested the PC consider erecting notices prohibiting waste dumping, placed in suitable & prominent locations.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Autumn Nature Walk, Saturday 15th November - in collaboration with Somerleyton Estate. Walk starts & finishes at Manor Barn, Herringfleet. Colourful posters are up on notice boards!
Request: to use Warm Hub refreshment stock again

Star Count, February Half Term tbc - once again we plan a Star Count with the school in February half term – 3rd time lucky!

Open Gardens - Mick & Sue Wright are proposing an Open Garden Day on 14th June 2026. They will drive the initiative, gathering a list of willing hosts to see whether there are enough hosts to enable the day to go ahead.

Doug Owen