

Haughley in Bloom



By the time you reads this you will have seen that the Haughley in Bloom re-launch is well under way. 4 of the 5 reclaimed railway sleeper beds have been erected and planting begun. To remind you, there is:

1. a large triangular bed under the road direction sign outside the post office/pub
2. a square bed at either end of Haughley New Street
3. a square bed on the green opposite Fir Tree lane in Haughley Green
4. a small triangular bed to be erected in Fishponds Way.

We wanted to greet people arriving in the village with a small display in front of the "Welcome to Haughley Floral Village sign. However, I don't think any of us anticipated what a challenge it would be to clear the site of its deep-rooted nettles and hogweed. But the area has been cleared and the final sleeper bed will soon be in place ready for planting.

The 10 new tubs are in the process of being sited along Old Street and planted up. The salvaged tubs will soon be subjected to the same process. All the tubs will be planted with herbs and in-fill planting will follow later. Don't forget we WANT you to help yourself to the herbs planted in the containers, so be bold and enter out with a pair of scissors! As long as we are not left with tubs, which are just full of bare stalks we will be happy!

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