ALL CANNINGS PARISH COUNCIL

REPORT FROM THE CHAIR 2024-25

FROM FLOODS TO DUST

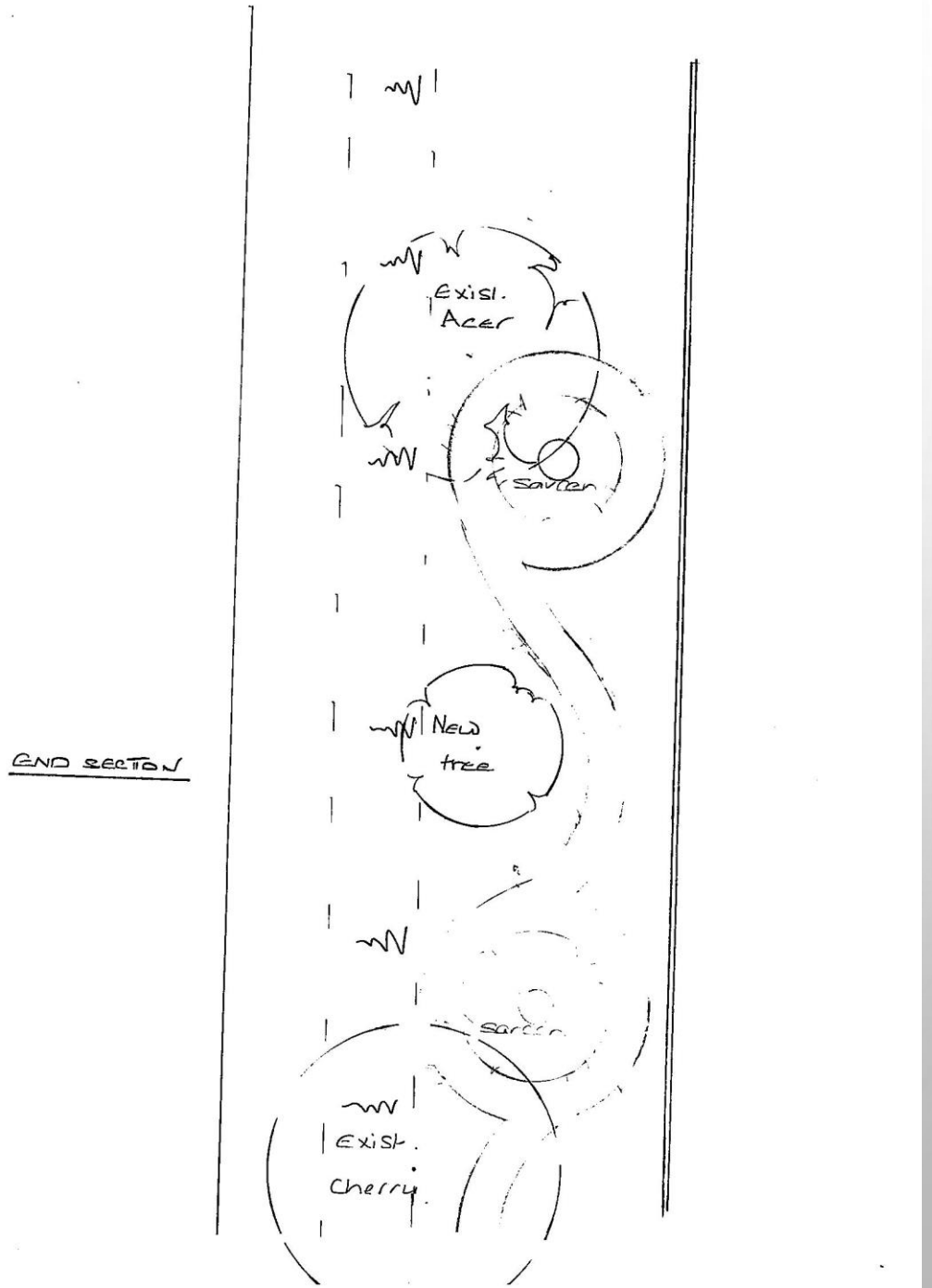
CLLR AMY GRAY

CHAIR OF THE COUNCIL

THE CORONATION BANK (FKA GLEBE BANK)

WE ARE CONTINUING OUR EXPERIMENT ON THE GLEBE BANK AS A COMMUNITY SPACE WITH TREES AND WILD FLOWERS. THE CORONATION BANK IS LOOKING MUCH BETTER CURRENTLY AFTER SOME UPS AND DOWNS, BUT THAT'S THE NATURE OF IT. THANKS TO CLLR CHARLIE PAYNE AND MANY VOLUNTEERS. I WON'T MENTION COW PARSLEY, THOUGH.





FORTHCOMING VE DAY 80 CELEBRATIONS



- THE VILLAGE HALL WILL BE HOSTING A TEA FOR VE DAY BANK HOLIDAY. ANOTHER BEACON IS PLANNED FOR THE 8TH ON CLIFFORD'S HILL. NEITHER RUN BY THE PARISH COUNCIL, BUT WE ARE PROUD OF OUR COMMUNITY EVENTS.



GRASS CUTTING



THE MOWING HAS BEEN SPLIT BETWEEN TWO NEW CONTRACTORS. MOSTLY IT HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL, BUT WE ARE MONITORING.

BEST KEPT VILLAGE NEAR MISS (AGAIN)



- WE CAME 2ND IN THE BEST KEPT VILLAGE COMPETITION IN 2024 AGAIN.
- WE ARE IN THE COMPETITION AGAIN STRIVING FOR SUCCESS IN 2025!

OUR CLERK AND RFO



OUR PARISH CLERK AND RFO “SJ” EXCELLED ONCE MORE.

SHE IS CILCA CERTIFIED AS A TRAINED CLERK AND HAS DONE A GREAT JOB OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS, CURRENTLY SUBMITTING OUR AGAR ACCOUNTS FOR AUDITING.

ALL CANNINGS IN BLOOM





OUR RELATIVELY NEW CLLR JULIA DEAKIN PUT IN A LOT OF WORK TO CREATE A NEW COMPETITION FOR 2024 – ALL CANNINGS IN BLOOM. IT HAS PROVED A GREAT SUCCESS AND IS RUNNING AGAIN IN 2025. IT PROMISES TO BE EVEN BIGGER AND BETTER THAN LAST YEAR. THANKS GO TO CLLR DEAKIN AND HER JUDGING TEAM!

SUMMARY



We have survived the floods over the last two years and now we have experienced some dry weather for a change. The many things above sum up the continuing strengths that we have within our community and within the Parish Council. All members of the Parish Council, whether born and bred in the village or relative newcomers like myself work quietly for the good of the village and parish as a whole.
Thanks also to anyone else who has supported us over the last year.
Thanks again to our Clerk and RFO, and we would like to note the contributions of Cllr Sylvia Butcher who is stepping down after another few years now totalling over 25 years. And many thanks to my other fellow councillors and all volunteers who work tirelessly behind the scenes to keep the Parish what it is today.
Amy Gray, Chair