# RECENTNEWS

### Penlow Field - Summer 2021 - Welcome to our seventh newsletter

### We welcome to rest...

We've seen 8 new residents move into Penlow since our last newsletter - Ian, Terry, James, Joan, Philip, Jim, Dave & Sue.

# **OPEN WEEKEND...**

Please join us for a socially distanced open weekend between 11am & 3pm on Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th June.

The wildflowers are looking lovely now - so come and see and then join us for homemade refreshments.

Please let me know if you can attend.

Thank you.

# Woodland Trust Donation...

As we explained in our last newsletter - with the change to the way we source trees, we are now making a donation of £5 per tree planted at Penlow.

This year we planted 13 trees so that's £65 donated for this year. We look forward to making another donation next spring!





# Rockery...

Our winter project became a spring project for the rockery. It all came together quite quickly once we had all the materials that we needed. It was a real family effort for the four of us - it was soon done in a few hours. I think the children really enjoyed being part of the project and the ride in the tractor with Tom of course!

# Herb garden....

The herbs are yet to be planted within the rockery space this is something that I hope to show you in our next newsletter. The bees will be in for a real treat.

#### A little reminder...

Please resist the temptation to tidy the graves. You may weed docks, nettles and thistles. We will look after your loved ones for you, gradually establishing a wildflower and wildlife friendly meadow and woodland.

Thank you.





# Wheeled trolley bier...

With thanks to Richard for the powder coating - Tom has successfully restored and reconfigured our trolley bier. This will now be used for all our new residents - unless families would specifically like to carry their loved one.

# Friends of Penlow Facebook Group...

For those of you who use Facebook - we now have a private group called 'Friends of Penlow'. It is a relatively quiet & small group at the moment, but it is slowly growing. It is a safe place to share anything you might like to, such as memories or photos of your loved ones, along with making new friends who have something in common.

There is a joining question - please let me know which of our residents you are connected to when asking to join.

# **Photoshoot:**

We've had some professional context photography done this year, by the very talented Paul at Locian Photography. The photo opposite and the drone photo below are his work.

Later in the year, we hope to create a video tour of Penlow through the seasons. You will find it on our website when it is ready.

# Maintenance matters...

We've been busy this year with lots of maintenance jobs. One being reclaiming the original width of the path! We have about 40 metres left to go.

Office re-paint: This has been a much slower job than anticipated. We are almost ready on just one side to oil the wood. Slow and steady wins the race.

*Toilet*: I am pleased to say that this is now open again at all times.

very best
wishes to you
all, with
love,
Sheridon &
Tom







