**FIVEHEAD AND SWELL COMMUNITY MATTERS**

**TRIAL EDITION - FEBRUARY 2018**

**PLEASE TELL US WHAT YOU THINK BY 21 FEBRUARY**

**In preparing this trial edition, we have tried to give a fresher look and feel plus we have included some new content. This will increase print costs, however, the intention is to offset these by savings already made in the budget and by additional advertising revenue. It is proposed to continue publishing the newsletter every 2 months to contain costs. Up-to-date information can be found at** [**http://fivehead-village.org.uk.**](http://fivehead-village.org.uk.)

**Please complete the short feedback questionnaire below and deposit it in collection boxes in the Crown or the Stable. Alternatively, download and complete the copy at** [**http://fivehead-village.org.uk.**](http://fivehead-village.org.uk.) **and email it to** **fiveheadpc@gmail.com****. Deadline is 21 February 2018. Thank you.**

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**LANGFORD CORNER GARDEN DESIGN**

**Before you go, please take a look at the draft planting plan for Langford Corner overleaf and let us know if you agree with the changes or if you have any other planting suggestions or offers of help or plants. Thank you.**

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 **Design Plan for Langford Corner**

**by Mervyn Wilson**

Approx. 5m

1. Pyracantha
2. Cotoneaster
3. Aucuba
4. Eleagnus
5. Rugosa roses
6. Laurustinis
7. Privet
8. Choisya
9. Berberis
10. Spindleberry
11. Mahonia (Charity?)
12. Pittosporum
13. Euonymous
14. Hypericum
15. Lonicera – fragrantissima
16. Pyracantha
17. Portugal laurel
18. Cotoneaster
19. Viburnum
20. ?

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Aim – To achieve a harmonious shrubbery, pleasing to the eye, low in maintenance

Method – At present the planting seems somewhat higgledy-piggledy, but there are good

 shrubs in it. I propose some thinning and pruning at the eastern end. At the

 western, a clearance and replanting.

 **Remove**: 3, 5, 14, 17, 19, 20

 **Plant**: eastern end, a small crab apple or other small flowering tree, 6 or 7

 smaller and lower growing shrubs throughout.

I envisage that clearing and planting could take place in March 2018 and it will be necessary for someone to look after the young shrubs regularly and see what is needed to keep the ground clear during the rest of the year until established.

Approx. 12m

Not to scale

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