

2104 Commemorations – WW1 Centenary & D Day 70th Anniversary

PROJECT TITLE: Wild Flower Meadow and Commemorative Rose Beds

LOCATION: Trinity Church Open Space

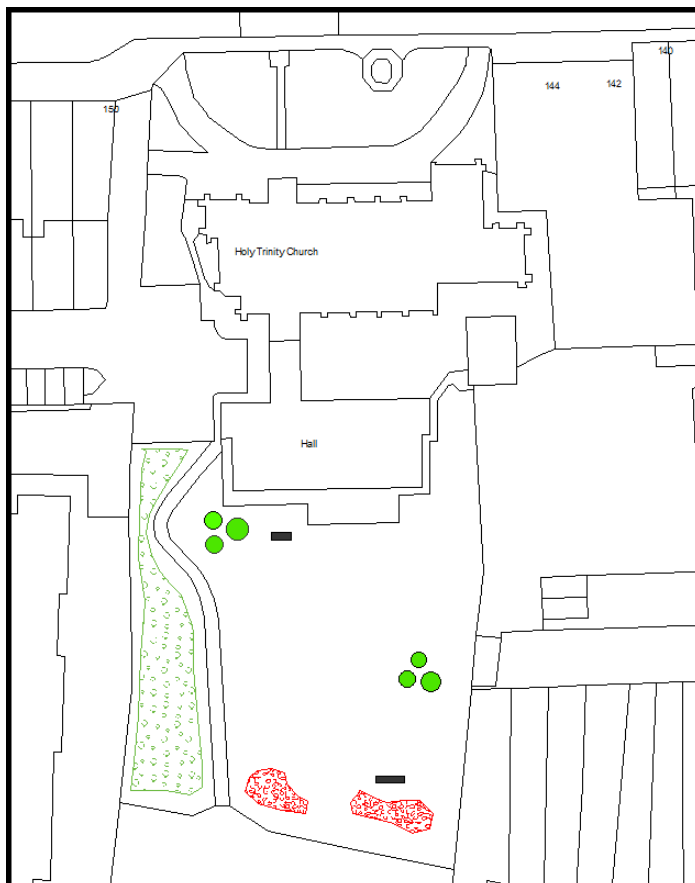
DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

1. Wild Flower Meadow

- Wildflower meadow sown to encourage wildlife
- Approx. 300 square metres
- Mix to include red poppies

2. Commemorative Rose Beds

- Permanent 'Remembrance' Rose beds
- Planting of 2 x100 red roses (variety Red Velvet)
- Plaque if required



TIMESCALES:

Cultivation and sowing of wild flower seed by private contractor/volunteers during October 2013

Rose beds prepared and planted by Grounds Maintenance operatives during November 2013.

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PERIOD OF INTEREST:

Wild flower meadow - Annually from late May – August

Rose beds - Annually from late May until September

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CELEBRATION THAT COULD BE TIED IN:

- War Memorial of WW1 is at the front of Holy Trinity Church.
- It is likely that a Church service/wreath lying will be held.
- Church members/others could be involved with the sowing
- Unveiling of a plaque, June to August 2014 when Roses are likely to be in flower.

BUDGET REQUIRED:

Wild Flower Meadow - £1000 to include preparation, seed and sowing

Rose beds - £1100 - to include preparation, plants, materials and planting.

Total - £2100

(Additional wild flower meadows could be prepared and sown at the four QE11 sites i.e. Wicor Recreation Ground, Seafield Park, Bath lane Recreation Ground, Allotment Road Recreation Ground. **This would be an additional cost of £3000**)

Possible additional site improvement at Trinity Church Open Space

3. Tree planting

- The planting of 6 trees with interesting bark
- Tree planting undertaken in November 2013 or 2014 (with or without plaques)

4. Seating

- Installation of two seats, each could have a different plaque on them to commemorate the two anniversaries. Seats to be installed before June 2014 (with or without plaques)

BUDGET REQUIRED:

Trees - £900 – to include preparation, trees, materials and planting

Seating x 2 - £1500

Provision of two memorial plaques (on seating or in planting) - £600

Total: £3000

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PROJECT TITLE: Remember

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

- Distribution of post cards with seeds packet for people to sow in their own local communities.
- Personal touch for people to do their own thing providing a good community engagement opportunity
- Unique idea

SUGGESTED DISTRIBUTION:

- Schools
- Community groups
- Council connect station
- Gardeners fairs
- In Bloom events
- Fareham in Bloom Competition entrants
- Garden centres

TIMESCALES:

- Artwork and packaging by end of summer 2013
- Available for distribution from February 2014

PERIOD OF INTEREST:

Dependent on when sown but from June - September

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROMOTION:

- Fareham Today articles
- Website
- Photo shoots, media release
- Schools - children planting the seeds

BUDGET REQUIRED:

£500 for 1000 run. **Suggested 5000 run - £2500**

Total for all projects £10,600