

Parish Report September 2019

Palgrave Parish Council

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Highways - No new information but minutes from August village meeting noted.

Bus Services - Uneconomic contracted routes will have public funding withdrawn autumn effective the 2nd of November. Temporary and permanent solutions have been found for some services; the 387, 456, 112, 120 and 461 services will continue to run until at least the end of March 2020 while funding options are assessed. SCC is looking at other solutions for the 375, 483 and 62 services. A full list of the affected routes and solutions is published on the [Suffolk on Board](#) website.

Update on A140 Eye Airfield junction improvements and link road

Construction works proposed to improve journey time, road safety and access to the Eye Airfield development area on the A140 is due to start week commencing 9 September.

A140 Roundabout preparation works to start September 2019:

- Erection of acoustic fencing around Four Oaks
- Diversions of electric and BT apparatus
- Archaeology investigation

Main improvements works will take place between March 2020 and September 2020:

- Construction of roundabout and link road from the B1077
- Construction of roundabout at Yaxley crossroads
- Removal of right turns from existing B1077 /A140 junction
- Closure of A140/Rectory Road junction

Social Prescribing Initiative at Michael Burke Centre, Eye – this is an initiative to connect people needing health and wellbeing support (as opposed to medical needs) with ‘link workers’ and community projects in Suffolk. There will be open house events running on 26th September including at the Michael Burke Centre in Hartismere Hospital from 9.30 – 12.30 a.m.

Please get back to me with any queries or concerns.