

Official Opening of the Outdoor Gym, Trim Trail & Pétanque Court at Honeybourne Sports Field



The new facilities were formerly opened by the Vice-Chair of Wychavon District Council (WDC), Cllr George Duffy on Saturday 7th October 2023. The event was also attended by councillors, and officers from WDC. The Parish Council were very grateful that our MP, Mr Nigel Huddleston, was able to not only attend the opening but also took full advantage of the Pétanque Court to demonstrate his skills.

The Chair of Honeybourne Parish Council, Cllr Heath Jobes, said that this is a wonderful new facility to add to the extensive work that the Parish Council have carried out during the summer to enhance the condition of the playing field. We were fortunate to receive s106 monies to pay for the enhancement work. We are also grateful for the funding from WDC Legacy Grant, the Community Infrastructure Levy and additional s106 monies which paid for the trim trail, outdoor exercise equipment and Pétanque court. The Council now look forward to our residents making good use of this facility.

Following the opening members from the Parish Games boules team demonstrated how Pétanque is played which led to many of those present to take part in a game themselves.

Since the installation of the equipment the Parish Council has received great feedback from all those who have been using the new facilities.

We also intend to install the new goalpost this month on the sports field, ready for the winter sports season.

Finally, please remember to save the date for the Christmas Lights Switch On this year, **Friday 1st Dec from 6pm** at the Village Hall.



