EMBERTON PARISH COUNCIL – NEWS FROM THE NOVEMBER 2026 MEETING

A509 CLOSURE – The A509 will be closed between the Chicheley roundabout and the junction with High Street, Sherington (Alban Hill Nursery) between 8pm on the 7th December to 6am on the 9th December to allow for inspection works to take place on Sherington bridge. A detour will be in place.

MILESTONE – The parish council requested that the milestone south of Emberton on the A509 be removed from the ditch (after being knocked over) and repaired. Milton Keynes City Council has advised that the milestone does not meet the criteria for repair and it remains in the ditch.

20MPH SPEED LIMIT FOR EMBERTON – The 20mph speed limit for Emberton (to the west of the A509) is being progressed; the SID data will be downloaded and a petition will be circulating for residents to sign should they wish to do so. Other parishes namely Lavendon and North Crawley are also looking at introducing a 20mph speed limit in their villages. The 20mph speed limit that was introduced in Filgrave has seen a reduction in the average speed from 36mph to 26mph.

CRIME FIGURES 5/10/226 TO 29/10/26 – Crime figures for Emberton provided by PCSO Lesley Rogers for the period 5/10/26 to 29/10/26 showed that there were no crimes. One other incident not crime related was 1x Road Related incident of dangerous driving.

ALLOTMENT PLOT VACANCY – An allotment plot has become vacant. If you are interested and would like more details, please contact the clerk.

FLOWERING CHERRY TREE – The flowering cherry tree in the High Street has been replanted with thanks to Colin Jamieson and Harry White.

NEWPORT PAGNELL TIP CLOSURE – The waste recycling plant at Newport Pagnell will be closing in January and the new site at Wolverton would be opening, using the same booking system. This will increase journey times by 15 minutes each way.

DOG FOULING – Now that the evenings are getting darker, the parish council would like to request that dog owners consider taking a torch when walking their dogs. There are a small minority of dog owners who do not pick up after their dogs on both the playing field and in the churchyard. The parish council are aware that dog walkers do come from other areas and that our residents often pick up after other dog owners.