## **Chairs Report**

<u>Warm Rooms Project.</u> This has been set up in the Committee room of the Village hall with Gemma acting as manager twice a week Tuesday and Friday 1000 - 1600hrs for 6 hours per day until the end of March 2023 providing a safe and warm venue for people to visit, to help them reduce energy costs at home and help reduce isolation and loneliness during the coldest months of the year. Everyone is welcome to drop in for as long as they wish, tea, coffee and biscuits are available provided by volunteers who assist with the running of this project on behalf of the Parish Council.

The warm rooms project is part of the Ease the Squeeze campaign East Suffolk Council has developed to help residents with the cost of living.

Volunteers to help are still required as are people from the community to come forward and use this facility, for further information or offers of help contact Gemma on 07798 738918

<u>Quiet Lanes.</u> Wave 3, Spring lane/Mill lane, we are waiting for the posts to be put in place by Highways, signage will be collected during this month.

Wave 4. Chapel lane, have not been made aware when signage will be available, longer posts will be required as we will also be putting 'Not Suitable for HGV' signage on them as well.

<u>Bowls Club Green Waste.</u> They will be constructing their own grass cutting composter on site once their new irrigation tank is installed, debris which has built up over the years will be removed by 'Grab Lorry' when access is suitable.

<u>Winter Market.</u> Once more I would like to congratulate all who helped make the Winter Market a successful event for the village, a cold but dry day.

Ivor French Chairperson