Chair's Report 16th November 2026

Sorry for delay in publishing my report but it has been a busy period carrying out part-time job interviews for two new employees. Welcome Louise Turner and Rose Martin. (further information in the Clerks report).

The dangling electric cables in the Plane trees on the Hill were reported to

ESC on Wednesday 11th November after work was carried out trimming the trees, leaving them in a dangerous state.

I attended church and laid a wreath on behalf of Wickham Market Parish Council on Remembrance Sunday. Bruce Kerr the Deputy Lieutenant also attended.

Crime Report from PC Claire Cox

The Wickham Market school lock down is nothing to worry about. It came as a third-party report.

I have researched crime figures from 13/09/26 14:59 to today 15/11/26 09:00 as I cannot find the report I sent in October for some reason.

Crime data 13/09/2026 14:59 to 15/11/26 09:00

Total calls into control room 152

- Abnormal loads - 128
- Road related – 6
- Police generated - 5
- Administration - 4
- Concern for safety – 3
- Environmental ASB – 1
- Highway disruption – 3
- Abandoned calls – 1
- Sus Circumstances – 1

Investigations recorded from 13/09/26 to 15/11/26 – 43 in total

- Miscellaneous - 33
- Criminal Damages – 5
- PAL – recorded from police to monitor ASB in area – 1
- Theft – pedal cycle – 1
- Theft from shop – 2
- ASB nuisance - 1