

## **Churchwardens Report for APCM - 21 April 2015**

### **Bell Acre**

As mentioned in the Trustees Report the parish owns a piece of land known as the “Bell Acre” adjacent to Ryecroft Lane. This was formerly used as allotments and has since been considered for use as part of a larger area for retirement residential development. However with the closure of the adjacent Millstream Surgery – now owned by Horsham District Council – and the pressure to either extend or relocate the Glebe Surgery these interests have been withdrawn. There is at the moment no active interest in developing this site nor any of the adjacent land (owned by HDC and Storrington Parish Council).

This situation may change once the future arrangements for the Glebe Surgery are decided upon. Marcel Hoad of Fowlers Estate Agents acts as our agent for this property and the Rector and churchwardens will inform the PCC of any updates on this matter.