BHPC councillors were invited to view the progress at the Oaklands site. At the time of the visit no homes were yet built but demolition of the school had taken place and the land cleared in preparation. The developer expects the first homes to be ready move in to this winter.

BHPC was pleased to see the Glebelands planning application withdrawn and the clerk has written to the agent with a view to BHPC leasing the Glebelands again so that the parish council can maintain the land and the residents of Bayston Hill can return to enjoying the green open space both for recreation and congregating to celebrate annual events.

Councillor Underwood has kindly volunteered to lead the Autumn event which will see the return of the popular apple pressing day in conjunction with The Big Green Week Committee, who will meet soon, so watch this space for more details. Any councillors available on the day your help will be much appreciated.

The clerk and I will be meeting with Claire Crackett, who was once a resident in Bayston Hill and still lives in Shropshire. Claire is now the Deputy Lieutenant for Shropshire and has been assigned to support the parish of Bayston Hill with any community projects. If any councillors would like to make any comments that we could discuss with Claire please let Julie or I know.