



COMMITTEE: Youth & Spire Satellite Group AGM Report 2020-21

CHAIR: Tony Frankland

DATE: 10th May 2021

Youth

- Hampered by Pandemic and restrictive movements in schools between pupils and external visitors. With two lock downs opportunities were not available to pursue.

Spire Satellite Group

- Formed with challenge to introduce mobile, flexible and mixed gender supporters with potential membership of the Rotary family in various formats

Spire Satellite Group involvements

- British Legion Poppy Appeal fundraising day - with support from the community
- Santa Sleigh - 7 nights in the community spreading Xmas cheer and receiving donations
- Involvement with Cransley Hospice with Christmas Tree collection and recycling
- Clearing part of River Nene waters near Woodford of rubbish, plastic, bottles etc.
- Visit to Isebrook Hospital to confirm start of Sensory garden project

Projects

- 'Meet Rotary' evening aimed at charities Spire are involved with, their supporters and followers from Facebook looking for opportunities to be involved in helping the community
- Quiz night - raise funds for fund raising towards NC500 car rally to raise funds
- Supporting Cransley Hospice with car rally
- Isebrook Hospital long term project, return garden to manageable retreat for patients, staff and visitors for the summer, replace some garden furniture, work with NHS property department and Groundworks for new paths and patio to be added to the area. Starting the project with tool shed, mower, tools and induction for six. Going forward planting, shaping, a sensory area, aromatic, colourful and relaxing with quiet areas for all to enjoy, reflect or just relax. Low maintenance grass cutting, pruning and general tidying will be long term. Extra panels, trellis, furniture will be added.