



WAR MEMORIAL UPDATE

The design of the new War Memorial Railings has been agreed.

Quotations were sought and a contractor has been appointed.

The Parish Council is pleased to confirm that the Marsh Green War Memorial has now been professionally cleaned, restoring the stonework and ensuring that the monument continues to stand as a dignified focal point for remembrance within the village.

Further enhancement works are now underway. New railings, constructed from black powder-coated iron, will be installed to encompass the entire memorial area. A small double gate will be positioned at the kerb side, bearing a plate inscribed “Marsh Green War Memorial” to provide clear identification of the site.

To improve access for residents and visitors, a set of steps will be added leading directly to the memorial, accompanied by a matching iron handrail on one side. The existing stone slabs will be replaced with new materials chosen to complement and elevate the appearance of the memorial, with the steps finished in the same style.

The remainder of the site will be sensitively landscaped to create a setting that reflects the respect and gratitude owed to those commemorated.

It is hoped that residents of Marsh Green, together with the descendants of those named on the memorial, will feel that the Parish Council has sought to provide the dignity, care, and honour that the fallen deserve.

All improvement works are scheduled for completion by Armistice.

The refurbishment of the village bus shelter will follow as the next planned amenity project.