

## **FAQ's**

**Q. How will the community benefit?**

**The opportunity to attend summertime open air events without need to travel long distances. We also believe that this will help local businesses such as the Lenches Club.**

**Q. How much will the Community have to find to pay for this?**

**Nothing. The application is for a grant of £90,000 towards a project cost of £100,000. The remainder will be funded by the LSRC.**

**Q. How much support is there for this project?**

**We already have letters from The Cricket Club, GLADS and the Lenches Club welcoming the project.**

**Q Will this be a white elephant?**

**A. We do not think so. There is no doubt the Storage extension will be used from the moment it is built. We believe that in the summer there is potential for at least five to six outdoor events (weather permitting) between May and September.**

**Q. What consultation will take place? How can I make my support or objections known?**

**A. South Lenches Parish Council has undertaken to conduct a comprehensive consultation exercise with the whole community.**

**Residents will be fully consulted about the project and able to make comments in a number of ways:**

- an article in the October ARCH Messenger will ask residents for their views on the need for a project such as this.**
- a Parish meeting will be held at The Lenches Club in mid-October. For full details please keep an eye out on the village notice boards and the Lenches website [www.thelenches.org](http://www.thelenches.org) and The Lenches Facebook page.**
- Information will be posted onto the Lenches.org website, the South Lenches Parish Council website ([www.southlenchesparishcouncil.org](http://www.southlenchesparishcouncil.org))**
- Residents can email the Parish Council directly to express their views by post or email. The email address is [southlenchespc@gmail.com](mailto:southlenchespc@gmail.com) and the postal address is The Clerk, South Lenches Parish Council, Morton Wood Farmhouse, Morton Wood Lane, Abbots Morton, WR7 4LU.**

**Q. Is there a deadline by which support and objections need to be in?**

**A. Yes. All comments must be submitted in one of the ways shown above by 31 st October.**

**South lenches Parish Council  
and the Lenches Sports and Recreation Club**

# **BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE**

**A Legacy Project**



***The South Lench Parish Council and the LSRC are working hand in hand towards improving our community facilities and creating a lasting legacy for the future. A Community Legacy Fund Grant is being sought to fund an exciting new project.***

***The project is in two parts; first to improve the storage of equipment and machinery at the sports club a purpose- built machinery shed will be added as part of an extension to the pavilion. This will replace the two old shipping containers that are currently used to store the community mower and other equipment. These containers are unsightly, not large enough, not secure (we have had three break-ins over the past five years) and gradually deteriorating.***



***The second part of the project is a visionary, yet low key means of providing a legacy for the future which will not only benefit our community, but communities that adjoin us.***

***To the right of the sports pavilion as you look at the Malverns is a gentle slope. Some years ago it was used as a viewing platform for an outdoor performance of a play. It is still used for watching cricket. We believe that this can be improved by terracing this area to provide seating for about 250 people. This would be unique to Wychavon, and probably to the West Midlands. The picture here is an artist's impression of how it could look. The final design will depend on finance available. At the same time, the remainder of the proposed pavilion extension would house toilets and changing facilities for performers. So, our community could have outdoor entertainment on the doorstep, with little need to travel.***



***Travelling shows, youth orchestras, local school performances, and so forth would all have an amazing platform with the most spectacular views to the Malverns as a backdrop. We already have some interest from the RSC for example. A truly far sighted and exciting legacy project for future generations!***

***On the back of this leaflet are some FAQ we have received with our answers. Thank you for reading this and we hope you will feel as excited about this project as we do.***