Area Committee Work Programme 2012/2013

Area: Baldock

Codes: Theme Code: W – Working Within Our Communities; PE – Protecting our Environment; LM – Living within our Means and Delivering Cost Effective Services; CI – Continuous Improvement

C/R

C – Capital; R - Revenue

Ward	Theme	Project/	Budget	C/R	Start	Finish	Review of Progress
	Code	Scheme			Date	Date	Comment
Baldock Town	W / LM	Charter Fair 2 nd – 4 th October 2012			02.10.12	04.10.12	The Baldock Fair will be returning to Baldock High Street / White Horse Street on Tuesday 2 nd to Thursday 4 th October 2012. The Fair will pull onto Baldock High Street at midnight on Monday 1 st October and will be away by 6.30am on Friday 5 th October. The Baldock CDO has started the planning for this event and has requested a notification letter from the Abbott Brothers so that Herts Highways can commence with the TTRO for the Fair.
Baldock	W/LM	Baldock Festival	£1,090	R	4.05.12	20.05.12	The Baldock Festival came to end on Sat 19 th May 2012. At the time of writing this report the event had not yet finished so an update will be available in a future Champs News. The Baldock CDO has been heavily involved in this years event and has supported the Festival committee through the distribution of programmes around Baldock and the villages, helping with the set up of the Beer Festival and the Book Fair and assisting with the set up of the Street Fair itself. The Baldock Festival Book Fair was held on Saturday 12 May 2012 and was extremely well supported and raised

						over £500 for Garden House Hospice.
Baldock	W / LM	Baldock Youth Council - BFestival	R	TBC	TBC	Due to cost constraints it is still unclear whether there will be a B'Festival event in Baldock this year.
Baldock	W / LM	The Jubilee Big Lunch		03.06.12	03.06.12	The Jubilee Big Lunch will be held on Sunday 3 rd June 2012 in Baldock High Street and White Horse Street. An update on the progress of this event is included in the May 2012 Champs News.
Baldock / Arbury / Weston & Sandon	W/LM	Baldock Bike Challenge		24.06.12	24.06.12	The Baldock Bike Challenge will be held across Baldock & its villages on Sunday 24 th June 2012. An update on the progress of this event is included in the May 2012 Champs News.
Baldock	W / LM	Baldock Day		14.07.12	14.07.12	Baldock Day will take place in Baldock High Street and White Horse Street on Saturday 14 th July 2012. This event will include a farmer market and craft stalls event, numerous inflatables and fun fair rides, live music and a stunt display from a local bmx / mountain bike club. The Baldock CDO will assist with the publicity of this event and will also be in attendance on the day to assist with event set up and to ensure that everything runs smoothly.
Baldock	W/LM	Balstock Weekend		08.09.12	08.09.11	The Baldock CDO will be heavily involved in the promotion of this event around Baldock and District and will ensure that the event has the

					appropriate licenses and health and safety safe guards in place. The organisers of Balstock are likely to apply for funding from the Baldock & District Committee in the 2012/13 financial year. This year, Balstock's nominated charity is the Baldock Town Hall Group.
Arbury	W/LM	Welcome to Historic Ashwell signage			The Baldock CDO met with Highways and the Ashwell Retail Group to discuss signage. The Baldock CDO will liaise with the Ashwell retail Group on this matter during June 2012.
Baldock Town	PE	Tree issue on Pond Lane, Baldock	28.2.12	28.2.12	The Baldock CDO has liaised with NHDC's Planning and Legal Departments and Hertfordshire Highways on this matter. This matter was resolved on 28 February 2012 with Herts Highways tackling the tree problem.
Baldock Town	W/LM	Avenue Park Sports and Social Club			The Baldock CDO is liaising with Graham Woods from the Baldock Bowls Club on a project to install a disabled lift /chair at Avenue Park Sports and Social Club. There has been no progress to date on this matter but the Baldock CDO will investigate further in June 2012.
Baldock Town	W/LM	St Mary's Church Hall – Disabled Access Project			The Baldock CDO is continuing to provide funding advise to the group who are trying to raise funds to install a disabled toilet, stair lift and disabled access meeting room at the Hall. The Baldock CDO will liaise with the group during June 2012 to ascertain progress on the

Baldock Town	W / LM	Baldock Half Marathon			project. An evaluation of this event is included in the May 2012 Champs News.
Arbury	W / LM	Baldock Beast Big Brother Challenge	TBC	TBC	The Baldock CDO is in early negotiations with the Baldock Town Partnership and Endurorunning.com to set up second half marathon for Baldock & District. The race is planned for October 2012 with the date being either Sunday 14 th or 21 st . An update on this project will be reported in a future Champs News.
Baldock Town	W / LM	Baldock Christmas Weekend	01.12.12	02.12.12	The Baldock CDO will again be supporting the Baldock Town Partnership with the planning for the Christmas event. Updates will be available on this in a future Champs News.