

EXAMPLES of successful COMMUNITY actions

PLAY GROUP



In 1998 the Pre-school committee began fund raising for a new building and by 2011 had raised about £25,000. A team was formed to "get a new building". Jo Mowatt, Clare Chapman and Lynn Macaulay set about finding an additional £65,000.

By July 2012, this had been raised from grants from CCC, SCDC, O&W PC, Thomas Cook, Westerner and Garner and the 'Oakington 7' by running the Cambridge half marathon, and further local fund raising. In addition, several local professionals and service providers helped in important ways to keep costs down.

PAVILION

In 2007 Elaine Bailey, Neil Cook, and several others formed themselves into a committee to establish a village pavilion.

The £819,000 was put together over the next two years from various sources including government, SCDC, Parish Council, and local efforts.



PLAY GROUND

Anne Christie led a team of residents to raise funds of more than £100,000 during 2010-2012 from grants and local fundraising for this significant addition to our village.

