

District councillor's Report to 14 February 2021

- Government has pledged an additional rate discounts for certain businesses which includes Pubs. We await firm details
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- A substantial fund of £2.2M has been made available to refurbish MSDC Stowmarket Leisure Centre and Stradbroke Pool and Fitness.
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- Debenham Leisure Centre has put in bids to MSDC and are hopeful of receiving substantial funding to refurbish the fitness centre and pay towards the Car Park
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- Stowmarket Town Football Club has received the go ahead for a 50 year Lease which will enable them to plan for the future
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- Powers relating to car Parking enforcement will be passed to Districts from April this year. Further details will follow shortly but the aim is to improve parking for all our residents bringing benefits of road safety while also engaging better with residents about parking to provide community led solutions. Debenham Parish Council has been trying to come up with appropriate solutions so this has to be a good opportunity to work together.
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- I do not have any update on when the Taylor Wimpey site will come before committee but will let you know as soon as possible.
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- I have been working extremely hard on planning matters and there are many, many applications coming forward. For those of you who are interested the application at Kenton for Anchor Storage site will be heard this Wednesday and is recommended for refusal.

Cllr Mrs Kathie Guthrie