

Press Release

Mass Bulb Planting Campaign In Hailsham

In preparation for next year's days of spring sunshine, green-fingered volunteers from Hailsham have been busy planting over 10,000 bulbs at different spots across the town.

The recent planting campaign, organised by the Town Council's Hailsham In Bloom Committee follows on from last year's successful planting of over 10,000 bulbs, which brightened up neglected areas within Hailsham and brought a splash of colour to the town in the spring.

Local residents joined forces with town councillors, residents and young people from the Square Youth Cafe to plant tulip, daffodil and narcissi bulbs in South Road, North Street, Battle Road, Ersham Road, London Road, St Mary's churchyard and many other grass verges, parks and open spaces in Hailsham.

Deputy Town Mayor and Chairman of the Hailsham In Bloom Committee Councillor Richard Grocock said, "Hailsham is sure to be a riot of colour next spring as a result of this massive bulb planting campaign."

"Annual spring bulb planting is one of the key challenges of the Hailsham In Bloom campaign and the amount of pride shown in the town from so many volunteers is a credit to our community."

"On behalf of the Committee, I wish to thank everyone who took part in this year's bulb planting campaign, helping to make a real contribution to the town's environmental and aesthetic quality".

Donations for additional flowering plants, shrubs and other materials for forthcoming Hailsham In Bloom community projects are currently being sought, and local businesses in Hailsham are encouraged to help out in any way they can.

For more information, call Hailsham Town Council on (01323) 842702 or visit www.hailshaminbloom.org.

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