

Creaton Village Shop Newsletter

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£75,000 and counting!!!

The share launch for the new village shop has so far realised over £75,000!! This is brilliant news and shows how much the community are behind this project, and how much they want to be involved.

It has been one long and busy year for Creaton Community Benefit Society but it has been worth it. The year ends with the positive news that the new shop gets ever nearer.

Share Window Extended

As the figure is on the way to the maximum of £80,000, the Management Committee have taken the decision to keep the Share Window open until the end of January. Chairman Charles Matts says that by doing this it is hoped that as many people as possible can become part of Creaton Community Shop.

For £20, anyone over the age of 16 can become a member of the Society and therefore have a say on how the new shop should be run and help launch it into a successful future.



Charles Matts



Proposed new Creaton Village Shop on the Welford Road.

(Artist's impression version 2)

A new picture of the new shop

Since the original artist's impression was drawn by Chris Reading, the planning application was successfully approved. Now the details of the proposed building can be seen in more detail and Chris has created a new version.

The new shop will be a modular building, constructed of material as secure as bricks and mortar but quicker to erect. At the front of the building is a canopy to offer bus passengers shelter from the weather.

Keeping In Touch

To keep up to date with what is happening in Creaton Community Benefit Society and the new village shop, log in to social media. You will find us on Facebook at [CreatonVillageShop](https://www.facebook.com/CreatonVillageShop), on Twitter [@CreatonShop](https://twitter.com/CreatonShop) and now we are on Instagram as [creatonvillageshop](https://www.instagram.com/creatonvillageshop).

You can also visit the website: www.creatonvillageshop.co.uk and send an email to enquiries@creatonvillageshop.co.uk

Who is who? Getting to know us

The Chair of Creaton Community Benefit Society is Charles Matts. Charles is a farmer and a Director of Brixworth Farming. Charles was brought up in Creaton and has lived in the village all his life. From the very start Charles has been passionate about keeping a shop in the village and has led the team to the point where this can soon become a reality.

In his farming life, Charles is very keen to promote farm safety and is a founding trustee of the Farm Safety Foundation and can often be found on Twitter tweeting in support of the @yellowwellies campaign. Charles is also a keen runner and an eager gardener - when he gets the time!