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Pewsey Area Board Project Christmas Ice Rink – Cllr Jerry Kunkler

1. What is the project?

To provide an artificial ice rink during the Christmas people for a positive activity for young people

2. Where is the project taking place?

Pewsey - Car park outside of Bouverie Hall

3. When will the project take place?

It will take place on December 14th as part of the Bouverie Hall Fair

4. Who is the project aimed at?

The project is aimed at young people primarily of secondary school age. However those of other ages can also take part.

5. What are the Community benefits/evidence of need/desired outcomes?

- Pewsey has no youth group and is limited in the activities it can offer to young people
- Following the need to withdraw the application for the wheeled vehicle park, this is an opportunity to offer a similar facility during the Christmas period
- When an ice rink was previously provided in Pewsey, it proved to be very popular
- Combining the ice rink with the Christmas fair offers an event that will help strengthen the community

6. Who will manage/be responsible for this project?

Pewsey Parish Council working with the Bouverie Hall

7. Costs/quotes/ match funding?

- The quotes for an ice rink for 1 day including full set up, professional staffing, insurance, provision of ice skates and all other costs will be up to £1,800.
- The cost of the wider event is hard to calculate accurately but is estimated that at least £4k will be also provided
- Previously tickets at a reduced price have been sold on the day which would also bring in several hundred pounds of income.
- It is therefore proposed that a sum of up to £1,800 is awarded to provide the ice rink facility but it is recognised that this may not all be required