Application for a Locality Award – Stoke Ash Village Sign

In December 2019, a number of villagers asked for a village sign to be sourced for Stoke Ash village in an action request programme. This programme was designed to involve and encourage the people of the village in improving facilities, and village cohesion.

A competition was held within the village for the design of a suitable sign at the beginning of January 2020. There were 8 designs submitted, which were considered by the Parish councillors at a Parish Council meeting.

The winning design was manufactured in a Suffolk company and is shown below. A metal plate to be incorporated in the build of the base structure was also included. The sign was powder coat painted. A suitable oak post has been sourced. The build of a brick support structure on the village green remains to be executed.



The cost so far from village resources has been about £650.

The build of the support structure including groundwork, concrete level incorporating bolts for the base plate, brickwork, post alignment and security have been estimated at two work days plus materials at £650 total.