

Buckden Parish Council

Chair/Vice Chair Report

November 2023

Election

Despite the request for an election no nominations were received. However, we have been advised by HDC that we must go through the process again until a nomination is received. We will therefore seek to find a candidate ourselves to fill this vacancy by election.

Integrated Care System and the Brampton Hub.

Caroline Underwood and I met with Aimee Philips from the Northwest Anglia NHS Foundation Trust and Peter Menzcer from the Brampton Hub to understand how this works. Simplistically it involves effectively communicating in a single place all the support available locally for older people, carers, vulnerable individuals etc. and where appropriate, enabling the referral of individuals to, and between services. A diagram outlining the concept is attached. We believe that this is a concept worth pursuing. In some cases, we can benefit from sharing support services with Brampton e.g. The Brampton Men's Shed and Carer Respite support. In return they could benefit from initiatives in Buckden.

