

Question:

Good afternoon

Would it be possible to confirm what is happening with the new Community Centre on the Strata Estate in Ackworth?

The building has been 'ready' for a number of months now and Strata have completed all of the roads on the Estate (finally!).

I think it would be useful to have an update available on your website.

It seems a waste to have a nice new building available that could be used for kids parties/evening clubs/activities etc that is not being used.

Thanks for your help with this.

Answer:

Thank you for your email.

The Parish Council are working hard to achieve the handover of the building and later the land surrounding the Community Centre building as a separate phase. We were ready to complete this earlier in the year with all paperwork signed and held by our Solicitors however due to drainage concerns raised this has delayed the handover process.

We are currently awaiting a meeting with Strata representatives to move the handover forward and hope to have this completed and the building within our Village Amenity portfolio in the coming months.

As soon as further progress is made, we will update the community via our website and social media platform. In the meantime, questions asked by our community to myself the Clerk, are published on our website under our 'Ask the Clerk' initiative where our community can find our more about what we are being asked which you can find on

www.ackworthparishcouncil.gov.uk/Information Requests.