

## **Williton Pavilion Project**

### **Project Update.**

Throughout July and August, we have been busy working with the contractor on the infrastructure to support the equipment requirements. The media equipment has been a challenge and working with the supplier, we have now agreed the layout. For Cinema and Projection in the main hall, there will be a 4.5m wide retractable screen with a ceiling mounted projector. There will be also be stage lighting and sound equipment. All this will be fed back to a consul located within the upstairs meeting room, where there is an opening window from where we can operate the cinema and stage productions. We are also looking to purchase a 7m x 3m modular stage. Dependant on available budget at the end of the project, we also plan to purchase stage curtains along with their operating system.

The charity has provisionally agreed to commence work on the remodelling of the old changing rooms, this was shelved pending available funds, as we are now 3 months from completion, we feel confident enough to commence this activity, work will start as soon as the pavilion is completed.

Bookings, as we move forward, most evenings and a number of day time slots for using the main hall are now provisionally booked, for various activities, soon we will have the web site calendar fixed and you will be able to see what's on and view the user contact details should you wish to participate.

The website has raised a couple of issues with regards to data protection and how we use the enquiry and contact pages, hopefully this will be sorted out soon and we can take enquires via the website, until then it is best to contact the clerk on Tel No 01984 633979.

Another task has been sourcing chairs and tables, here we have looked at other halls to see what they are using and we believe our solution will meet our user needs. In all there will be 120 chairs for use in the meeting rooms and main hall, plus 20 chairs with arms, 100 folding chairs for use inside and out, Children's chairs for 3-4yrs and 4-6yrs, plus an array of tables.

The photograph of the inside of the building was taken during a recent visit by the charity to view progress.

The completion date still remains 16<sup>th</sup> November.

Councillor Bill Vaughan