Update – January 2016

Architect Selected

The Open Day gave us the chance to share the architects' designs with the Village and the large amount of feedback received, both on the day and afterwards, has been really useful to the Steering Group as we moved towards selecting an architect. Difficult as it was to choose, the design prepared by Make

Architects – with some modifications – was judged to be best suited to our needs for reasons of cost, flexibility and orientation, amongst others, and so they have been appointed as architects for the Project.

In the feedback from the Open Day the roof design was often mentioned, with a contoured, natural surface being regularly cited as the preferred option. Similarly, a wish was frequently expressed for the building to be identified as part of the village of Cherhill and its surrounding countryside. These points have been accepted and they will form part of the specification as Make are asked to adjust and develop their design which will, of course, be shared here once it is available.

Our progress to the next stage of the Project has been made possible in part by the award of a grant of £8760 from the Community Rights Programme and this money will enable us to task our chosen architect to develop their plans. We have also been able to complete some preparatory survey work with no obvious problems being found.