

Kesgrave, Rushmere St Andrew, Martlesham, Carlford and Fynn Valley Community Partnership

Meeting Ground Rules

- 1. Bring your experience, ideas, knowledge, skills and enthusiasm and be prepared to share this with the rest of the group.
- 2. Respect other people's views and opinions and remember not to dominate the meeting with issues relating to just your area or your political views.
- 3. Everyone is encouraged to participate throughout the entire meeting and treat everything you hear as an opportunity to learn and grow.
- 4. Allow every voice to be heard, avoid side conversations and value other people's contributions.
- 5. Come prepared to each meeting having completed any agreed actions from previous meetings or Task and Finish Groups Staying on schedule is everyone's responsibility.
- 6. Be honest and respect confidentiality
- 7. Expect to be surprised and remain open to new ways of doing things and ensure you understand the pros and cons of every option, not just those you prefer.
- 8. Ask questions to seek clarification when you don't understand the meaning of someone's comments
- 9. Bring your humour and have fun!