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1. Our walking trail addresses attached. The Christmas windows are ready to view. They will be judged this Wednesday late afternoon.

2. The South Street land for 55 new homes (commonly referred to as the Bradford's land) but also known as Planning Application number: WD/2019/1674/MAO was given permission under Appeal. The Developer, Prime Crest Homes Ltd, is giving a Public Consultation to the Village on **Friday, February 18th, between 3-7pm, in the Village Hall.**

3. Village Concerns latest with our Judicial Review. In a nutshell. The first Judge at the High Court agreed with the grounds our Barrister argued. The next legal representative was one from the Secretary of State, who also agreed with our Barrister. The third, who was a Judge at the High Court, disagreed with the first two and our Barrister and denied our chance to go further forward with our challenge to the Planning Permission for the 205 new homes on the Hesmond site. As our Barrister still believes we have a good chance of success, we are challenging this last decision and on January 12th, we have an Oral Renewal Hearing at the High Court (possibly a virtual one because of Covid), where a QC will argue our case before a different Judge (more than likely a different one to the last) to see if this will provide us with the opportunity to go further forward in our challenge. It is only an one hour hearing.

4. We attach a link to a meeting with Michael Gove, Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities that he had with Wealden District Councillors Ann Newton and Bob Standley.

<https://www.wealden.gov.uk/news/michael-gove-meets-wealden-council-leaders/>

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