

## **CHAIRMAN'S ENGAGEMENTS**

**18 July 2016 – 16 October 2016**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
19 July	The Chairman was invited to meet the Bicester In Bloom judges at Bicester Village. She welcomed them to Bicester and gave a short speech about the In-Bloom Initiative before they started their tour of the town.
29 July	The Chairman attended the grand opening of the new showroom and coffee bar at Second Time Around in Beaumont Close, Banbury. Second Time Around (which is the Chairman's chosen charity for this year) is a furniture restoration project which recycles unwanted or donated wooden furniture and promotes social inclusion and independence for adults with learning difficulties.
13 August	The Chairman was invited to a ribbon cutting ceremony at the Davidson Homes development on Dukes Meadow Drive in Banbury. She was joined by Davidson Homes' Operations Director and Sales Director.
20 August	The Chairman joined hundreds of local residents and other Civic dignitaries at the Hands Around the Horton event in Banbury.
18 September	The Chairman and Vice Chairman attended Banbury Town Council's Battle of Britain Parade and Service at the invitation of the Town Mayor. They joined the Civic Party which paraded from the Town Hall to Horsefair where they gathered for a Spitfire flypast before entering St. Mary's Church for the service.
30 September	The Chairman and Vice Chairman attended a charity dinner hosted by the Chairman of the Vale of White Horse District Council. The dinner was held in the Officers' Mess at Dalton Barracks in Abingdon-on-Thames and was raising money for research into childhood leukaemia and the Abingdon branch of Riding for the Disabled.