



*The Village Trust is a registered charity, which aims to improve the environment in the village and promote high standards of development, whether new buildings or the renovation and alteration of existing ones.*

*We also aim to secure the protection and improvement of features of public and historic interest and encourage an interest in the history of the village and surrounding areas.*

*Issues that we have addressed over recent years include the desirability and standard of new development proposals and changes to the use and appearance of existing buildings, a wide variety of traffic and highway issues, litter and dog fouling. We have arranged for the erection of plaques to provide information about people and buildings of historic interest, presented Design Awards for the best new development, organised village litter picks and had a variety of speakers at our open meetings. We have entered the Northumbria in Bloom Awards and achieved Silver Gilt. The Trust has worked with the Council to improve the appearance of the village, published information about its history and development, local facilities, community groups and heritage trails.*

Three times a year, the Trust holds an Open Meeting, for both members and residents, to give updates on the work of the Trust. Often there is a speaker and always the opportunity to raise and discuss issues affecting Shotley Bridge. We circulate a newsletter to members with the agenda, before each meeting. For more info visit our website [shotleybridgevillagetrust.com](http://shotleybridgevillagetrust.com)

### **SUBSCRIPTIONS**

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP - £5 individuals, £7.50 couples and businesses/community groups £10**

**3-YEAR MEMBERSHIP - £12 individuals, £18 couples and businesses/community groups £25**

**Tear off form and send with fee to the Trust's secretary:**

**Jeff Singleton, 14 Briary Gardens, Shotley Bridge, Consett, County Durham, DH8 0RE.**

[Cash or cheques payable to Shotley Bridge Village Trust]

**Or you can pay by Internet Banking using Sort Code: 30-99-08 & Account Number: 21877668.**

[Please reference your payment with your Surname, Initial and the word 'subs']

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### **SBVT Membership Application Form 2020**

Membership type: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash/cheque/internet banking: £ \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (home/mobile): \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to 'opt in' to receiving information by:      Post ☐      Email ☐      Phone ☐

By completing this form, you agree that your contact details can be retained by SBVT, enabling the charity to contact you in the ways you have outlined on this form. SBVT will keep your details safe and never pass them on to third parties. You can opt out or change your preferences at any time by contacting the secretary.