If you've been by the Station in the last few days you'll have seen that we did manage to get the Summer planting done before the Jubilee weekend - just! For those who haven't been by below are some photos of what it looks like: the entry beds are resplendent in their red-white-blue colours:







The fence planters and barrels are not quite so well advanced but promise to be very colourful during the summer:



Finally we did get the new 'Jubilee Planter' planted with the correct plants and this makes a splendid display over on Platform 2 - shown here with (most of) the planting team:



Unfortunately the promised ramp repairs didn't start when expected but our Station Manager is chasing this up - in the complicated railway world the ramps are a Network Rail responsibility not Northern Rail's! We hope to have this completed in the next few weeks.

On a more personal note this will be my last 'News from the Station' as I am stepping down from the role of Chairman of FoBS. We've come a long way since we started the Group back in January 2015 and have transformed a rather unkempt and somewhat neglected Station into the award-winning one it is today. I'd like to express my sincere thanks for all the help and

support from both Members and Sponsors during that time. With your on-going support I'm sure the Station will continue to be the great place it now is.

Taking over as Chairman will be Paul Marshall who many of you will know as 'the plant man of FoBS'. Paul can be contacted on paulmfobschair@btinternet.com or 07925 775325

Kind regards

David