

Broughton in Amounderness Parish Council e-news 2022 No 25

If have any comments or suggestions or wish to have it delivered, please contact the Parish Clerk: at the Parish Office at Toll Bar Cottage, 476 Garstang Road, Broughton PR3 5JB or by email clerk@broughtonparishcouncil.org.uk

City & Parish council elections Thursday 4th May 2023: voters in England will need to show photo ID to vote at polling stations

Broughton Neighbourhood Development Plan review

The 1st stages of the review are underway. Peter Black a planning consultant is advising the Parish council and working on the technical aspects of the review. An application for technical support has been made to "locality". PCC planning department are advising on areas within the plan that need updating in relation to the NPPF & CLCS. A series of meetings with Stake Holders are planned over the next few weeks with a progress report at the next VIS in May.

What can you do as Residents?

- 1) Come along to the stakeholder group meetings or request one for your group
- 2) Respond to the questionnaire available in May

Traffic & Parking issues

After years of planning and consultation a start has been made on the work to sort the parking and traffic issues in the Village. The 1st two **SPID's** are in place on the Garstang Road aimed at reducing the traffic speeds and generating data to show a true picture of the speeds through the village. The long process of getting some more on Woodplumpton Lane and Whittingham Lane is now underway. To reduce the issues with pavement parking and enhance the area **Planters** have been placed outside the co-op. **Bollards** are to be placed in the grass verge alongside.

Over the next school term the High School pupils are to work alongside the Lancashire Road Safety Partnership in the use of speed monitor equipment at various locations around the village.

Park Plans

Preston City Council in conjunction with the Parish Council are working on plans to extend and landscape the **car park on the KGV field**. The **play area** will then be moved and the equipment updated. This work will take place in this financial year.

Dates for your diary

Village Information Session

20th May 10am

Broughton & District Club

Includes

Neighbourhood Plan review

Scarecrow Festival



Monday 1st May to Monday 8th May

2023 Theme "Charlie"

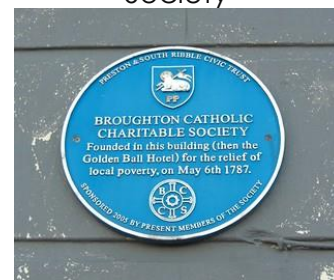
Free Entry

3 classes business, dwelling & people choice....Prizes!
Register by leaving your name and address at the Cottage or by email to

chair@broughtonparishcouncil.org.uk

Blue Plaque replacement rededication

Friday 5th May at 11am at the Watermill the Gateway development on Woodplumpton Lane by the Broughton Catholic Charitable Society



The plans for the initial extension to the park to encompass the pond and a wild life area will be on view at the VIS and it is hoped to acquire the land this year.

Toll Bar Cottage Community Meeting Rooms & cafe

The café has closed until the 11th April due to staffing issues. Michelle the manager is moving on to a new opportunity in the village so we are looking for a new manager and a site supervisor.

During April or until we have the new manager the café will open Tuesday to Saturday 10-2 with a new menu.

The users groups have and will continue to use the building outside of the café hours.

Café Manager

We are looking for a café manager who will be responsible for the day to day management of the community cafe working towards making it a profitable operation.

The café is currently open 9.30 to 2.30 Monday to Saturday, the manager will be expected to cover 5 days flexibly with some weekend and bank holiday working. The manager will work alongside three other part time employed staff and volunteers.

The café is situated in a 17th century building with a modern extension. It was opened 18 months ago after being renovated and extended has 40 covers and serves, tea, coffee and other beverages, cakes, sandwiches, breakfasts and pies.

It is situated in the centre of Broughton Village on the main bus 40/41 route and the Guild Wheel.

For an informal discussion and to visit the building please contact:

chair@broughtonparishcouncil.org.uk or ring 07803044238

Broughton Parish Community Charity

The Broughton Parish Community Charity is now registered with the Charity Commission & the charity will take on a license for the Toll Barr Cottage once the new staff have settled in.

Volunteering at Toll bar Cottage

Volunteer are need for the cottage especially those willing to d o a Sunday so we can open for the Guild Wheelers and themed days. All training provided. Please contact the Cottage.

Parish Council Meetings

All are welcome with a time to raise issues at the beginning of the meeting.

2nd May, 6th June, 18th July & 29th August @ 7pm at the cottage

Welcome new businesses

"Grande Locks", hairdresser on Northway: 01772 933153

The "Go to Girls", cleaning & laundry firm on Northway: 07514 307336 or hello@thegotogirls.co.uk

The Parish council welcomes back the "Bella Maria" pizzeria contact: 01772 865314 or contact@bellamariapreston.co.uk

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Starts in May

Toll bar Cottage

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