

SUMMER VILLAGE FETE

A reminder that the Village Fete will take place on Saturday 18th June at the Community Centre and on the King George V Playing Field.

If you can help out on a stall, would like a stall, or have any questions please contact Jo Richards at jinks1107@aol.com or on 01829 741474 and 07945255680.

CO-OPTION OF COUNCILLOR

There is one vacancy. If you are interested in how your Parish is looked after and how it develops then why not consider becoming a Councillor?

The positions are voluntary and take up as much time as you are prepared to give. The commitment is at least to attend the monthly Parish Council meeting held on a Monday evening. Councillors represent the views and concerns of the residents of the Parish to the Parish Council and, through it, to the Borough Council.

To be eligible you need to have

- a. been an elector in the Parish for at least 12 months and either occupied or owned/rented premises in the Parish
- b. resided within three miles of the boundary of the Parish
- or c. had your principal or only place of work in the Parish.

If you think that you would enjoy being a Councillor please contact the Clerk or any Councillor for further details. The intention is to appoint someone at the June Council meeting so applications should be with the Clerk by 20th June 2016.

NOTICEBOARD

It has been suggested that a noticeboard might be provided for the Saxon Heath Estate. The Parish Council would like some feedback on whether you think this is something that would be helpful to have.

Please pass your views on to any Councillor, or the Clerk, or add them to the article on Tarvinonline facebook page.

OSCROFT SPEEDING ISSUES UPDATE

The new signage has been ordered and Highways are awaiting delivery.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

This year the meeting is being held in the Community Centre at 7pm on Wednesday 18th May. This meeting is an opportunity for all residents to hear reports on the work of the Council during the last year as well as receive reports from other organisations including the Community Centre and the Woodland Trust

LEAVE A BOOK, TAKE A BOOK



A Tarvin resident visiting the United States was impressed by a Community Book Exchange that was operating in an American town. "Could the idea we replicated in Tarvin?" was the question posed to the Parish Council at the March meeting.

Book swapping has gained quite a following in recent years in many countries. As no money changes hands there are no problems with copyright or other legal issues. They are not uncommon in places like railway stations, youth hostels, and airports. It can even be done on-line. Many people have books to spare and many hate throwing them away, so schemes such as these allow unwanted volumes to be sent on their way with a clear conscience.

The Parish Council would like your views. Should they investigate this further?

Please pass on any views to any Councillor or the Clerk or add them to the article on Tarvinonline facebook page.

CAMPAIGN TO CHANGE SPEED LIMIT A54 UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who completed the questionnaire in March and also to those who responded in other ways. Also thank you to Mr

Gavin Nicholson who helped Council put the case together for a reduction in speed limit. The report has been completed and forwarded to Cheshire West and Chester Council. We await their response.

TARVIN COMMUNITY CENTRE

At the time of writing this the Community Centre is on the cusp of getting the final go-ahead before signing the contract with the preferred builder to start the redevelopment work on the rear room. WREN, the major grant provider is extremely precise in its handling of the grants and many thanks must go to our indefatigable secretary, Jane Lush, for her patient and meticulous form-filling. If all goes well then work should commence within a couple of months and take a couple of months to complete. The Committee is confident that, as most of the work is to the rear, the inconvenience to Hall users will be minimal. So, here is a flavour of what you can enjoy in the next few weeks.

May 20th – A **Disco** for and by the Tarvin Pre-School

May 27th **Film Night**. Please be aware that, because of school holidays there will only be an adult film

June 24th – **Family Film Night**, Titles to be announced but there will be 2 films

June 27th – **Boxy and Sticky** at 4.00pm. A delightful play for 2-6 year olds, the best in children's theatre sponsored by Cheshire Rural Touring Arts

July 24th – along with cinemas throughout the world, Tarvin Community Centre will be showing the filmed version of **Andre Rieu's Maastricht Concert**, a real coup for such a small place.

So much to enjoy for all the family, so do come along and have a great time. To find out details of tickets sales and prices go to any of the following:

The Community Centre's own website, www.tarvincommunitycentre.org or from the village website www.tarvinonline.org

Facebook page www.facebook.com/tarvincc
Join the Friends of Tarvin Community Centre email group by contacting bandshardacre@btinternet.com

The A - Frame on the High Street and notices in the Community Centre

Ring Alan on 01829 740868, Sue on 01829 741962 or Jane on 01829 741468

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT ON LAND OFF CHURCH STREET TARVIN

Every household should have received a copy of the leaflet distributed by Gladman and also had the opportunity to comment on the proposals either online or via the public exhibition held on 11th May. It is likely that a Planning Application will be made by the Developer in the very near future. At that point there will be an opportunity to comment on what may be amended proposals. There will then be further opportunities for comment, including during the Open Forum at the Council meeting when the Parish Council examine the application.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Our next full Council Meetings will be held on Mondays 23rd May, 27th June, and 25th July. All will commence at 7.15pm and will be held in the Edna Rose room at the Community Centre. All Council meetings are public meetings and are usually held in the Community Centre.

Everyone is welcome to attend – there is an open forum at the beginning of every meeting, for you to have your say on any subject relevant to the Parish.

You don't have to stay for the whole meeting. Feel free to come/go as is convenient to you.

ABOUT YOUR COUNCIL

Tarvin Parish Council is comprised of the following 10 Councillors – their contact telephone numbers, all dial code 01829 are in brackets: Cllr David Cotgreave (740231), Cllr Rob Ford, Cllr Sue Hardacre (741962), Cllr Larry Holmes (740564), Cllr Clare Jones (740186), Cllr Mike Lloyd (741748), Cllr Edward Lush (741468), Cllr Matthew Pochin (741136), Cllr Peter Ryan (740576), Cllr Pet Twigg (740509)

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