

TIBSHELF NEWS



Edition 18- Spring/Summer 2013

SHETLAND ROAD RECREATION AREA



The Parish Council have made a commitment to upgrade the pavilion at Shetland Road. The need for maintenance has steadily increased over the past couple of years and we decided that it would be far more cost effective to undertake a comprehensive

improvement programme rather than continuing to patch it up. Although the Parish Council have set aside a budget to ensure that the work goes ahead we are currently awaiting the outcome of a grant application to Viridor.

The decision is imminent and we are hoping to start work on the project by the end of July at the latest.

Work will also soon be underway to smarten up both the area of land at the rear of the recreation ground as well as the access to it.

A GREAT FACILITY RIGHT ON YOUR DOORSTEP....

Your village hall gets better ...

The Parish Council have been working hard to improve the facilities in the village hall to make them even more useful and attractive.

Following on from the new floor which was

installed last year we now have a fully functioning bar area which frees up the kitchen for catering and creates a lovely facility for your celebrations. A new boiler was installed in May and we will also be providing a selection of smaller tables which will enhance the party atmosphere.

The hire charges are very competitive compared with other venues in the locality and Ruth or Jayne will be happy to show you around if you are planning a future event.

We also have a very pleasant meeting room which is located to the rear of the village hall and will easily accommodate up to 20 people.



Our thanks go to Ian Clipson who installed the bar area and hand built all the fitments. We are currently planning a launch event to show off our facilities - keep your eyes out for the publicity - you will be very welcome.

TIBSHELF IN BLOOM



The Parish Council have received a lot of feedback in the past about how pleased residents are to see the baskets going up around the village in the summer giving welcome colour to the streets.

With this in mind the Chairman has toured the streets and the Council have now identified an additional 20 lampposts where baskets will be appearing imminently.

Money has been put aside in the budget for this year and, resources permitting, the Council will look at the whole scheme again for next year to try and ensure the most impact with a wonderful display that all can see and enjoy.

If you would be interested in sponsoring a hanging basket in 2014/15 please contact the Clerk who will be happy to talk through the options with you.

COUNCIL TAX 2013-2014



In recognition of the continuing squeeze on everyone's pocket, the parish council have resolved, for the third year running, not to increase the parish council precept. In

real terms this means an actual reduction in the council tax that you will pay towards your parish council. A Band D property will be paying just over £2.00 less per year.

STREET SPORTS



The Parish Council have for several years now financially supported the delivery of a sports programme by Bolsover District Council for young people in the parish. We have recently been successful in accessing a

grant of £795 from Youth Action Grant from Derbyshire County Council which will support the programme.

We are very happy to report that this funding, together with other funding secured by Bolsover District Council will see delivery of this programme in Tibshelf through to July 2016!!

BOUNDARY PLANTERS

The Parish Council would like to express their sincere thanks to Mr & Mrs Derek Kennedy, of Maun Motors, for their very generous offer to sponsor all five of the boundary planters.

This will support the parish Council and help us in continuing to maintain these lovely planters and provide a colourful display at the entrances to our village.



19th May 2013

Dear Sir,

I am writing in the hope that you may be able to assist me or perhaps let me know if someone else can. I have acquired a pocket watch which was presented to a Corporal T. Hardstaff in 1918 from the inhabitants of Tibshelf and Newton in recognition of his services in the Great War. Please see the enclosed photograph which shows the engraving on the watch. I have managed to find the record for a Corporal Thomas Hardstaff of the Machine Gun Corps, regiment number 122526 from the National Archives at Kew but there are no references to any kind of military distinction. I am keen to learn as much as I can about Corporal Hardstaff and his war record and perhaps find out if he has descendants still living in the Tibshelf area. I would be most grateful if you are able to help me in any way.

Yours sincerely,



Philip Parmenter



This letter was received by the Parish Council from Mr Parmenter of East Sussex. It may be possible that

Corp T Hardstaff, whose name appears on the inscription, could still have descendants living locally and we're sure Mr Parmenter would be happy to receive any information anyone may have relating to this presentation watch. If you can help please get in touch with the Parish Clerk.

KEEPING TIBSHELF SAFE

The Parish Council 's plans to install CCTV around the parish had stalled due to the liquidation of the company with whom they were negotiating.

However they are now working closely with Bolsover District Council, who have recently negotiated a state of the art scheme for several areas within the District.

We are looking at the options which would generate the greatest benefits for the parish and provide the best value for money within the budget that has been set aside for this purpose.



CALLING ALL ENTERTAINERS



Sing-a-long, a bit of magic, dancing - whatever your skill - Holmlea Residential Home are asking if there are any local entertainers out there who would be interested in doing a spot at the Home. They would love to provide some variety for the

residents so if you are interested in 'making their day' please contact Pam Trevelyan (01629 537111) who would be happy to make the arrangements.

BLUE PLAQUE NOMINATIONS

In the last edition of the Newsletter we reported that Derbyshire County Council were in the process of awarding 6 new blue plaques and that Tom Hulatt had been nominated

Unfortunately Tom Hulatt missed out this time and the plaques were awarded to Florence Nightingale, Frances Bush, George Herbert Lawrence, George Herbert Strutt, Nigel Gresley and Cromford Canal.

ANNUAL REPORT – MAY 2013

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Dear Residents,

In May 2012 I was very pleased to be elected Chairman of the Council for the financial year 2012/2013. I would like to give a brief overview of some of the things that have been happening over the past year.

The Parish Council have experienced several changes in council membership during the year. Following three resignations over the past 14 months, as no elections were requested, the parish council co-opted two new members, Councillor Diane Rutland and Councillor Amanda Dunn, and are currently in the process of co-opting a third new member.

We have staged or supported a number of Community Events during the past year including the Remembrance Parade, the Parish Carol Service in December and the annual Christmas event which this year we staged in partnership with the Tibshelf Community Association. We were also thrilled to be able to support the revived Fireworks Event which was managed by the Tibshelf Community Association and financially supported by the parish council.

The Parish Council continued to hold the level of its precept in recognition of the difficult times that people are currently facing which in money terms resulted in a slight reduction in the council tax element of your bill attributed to the parish council.

We've been working hard to try and improve some of the parish council's assets. The village hall is now the proud owner of a new floor and a brand new bar area making it an excellent and fit for purpose venue for events and celebrations. We are also in the process of managing a major refurbishment programme to the pavilion at Shetland Road. We're trying to get hold of some funding to help us with this – look out for further details in our Newsletter.

We hope you have also noticed the new look boundary planters and the refurbished planter in the centre of the village which houses the Christmas Tree.

We've also managed to maintain the annual display of hanging baskets and are planning to expand the numbers over the next year.

In recognition of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee we distributed jubilee coins to all the children of Tibshelf and made many grants to local groups and organisations including St John the Baptist, Tibshelf Tots, Tibshelf Methodist Church, Tibshelf Tigers Football Club and Tibshelf Scouts.

Please remember that residents are very welcome to attend parish council meetings and raise any issues during the Public Forum which is held at the start of each meeting. Parish Council meetings are held on the third Tuesday in every month, with the exception of August, with meetings commencing at 7pm.

I would like to thank my fellow members and all the staff for their valued help and support over the past year.

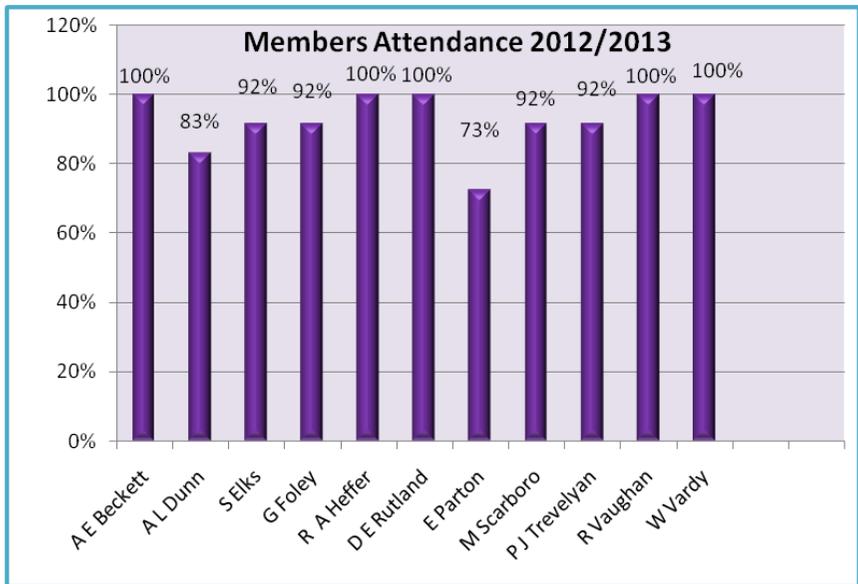
Best Regards, Councillor Ray Heffer

FINANCIAL REPORT

Below is a summary of the Annual Return of the Council to be submitted to the Audit Commission. Under the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2003 as amended by the Accounts and Audit (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2006. In accordance with the notices posted around the village the Annual Return, Accounts and other documents were available for inspection by any person interested at The Village Hall, High Street, Tibshelf.

	Year ended 31 st March 2012	Year ended 31 st March 2013
Balances brought forward	£112,074	£137,058
Annual precept	£134,312	£134,312
Total other receipts	£4343	£6999
Staff Costs	£63,354	£63,049
Loan interest/capital repayments	Nil	Nil
Total other payments	£50,317	£60,322
Balances carried forward	£137,058	£154,998
Total cash and investments	£138,233	£157,327
Total fixed assets and long term assets	£273,993	£238,606
Total borrowings	Nil	Nil

MEMBERS OF TIBSHELF PARISH COUNCIL 2012/2013



There were 11 regular meetings; the average attendance at Council Meetings was 92%.

MEMBERS ALLOWANCES

In 2012/2013 Tibshelf Parish Council paid members ' allowances in accordance with guidelines from the District Council. The allowance is to cover costs of stationery, postage, telephone, travel and other sundry expenses. The Allowances paid were £158.20 per Member and £316.38 Chairman's Allowance.

Members can be contacted via the clerk.

CLERK TO THE COUNCIL AND RESPONSIBLE FINANCIAL OFFICER

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20th July 2013
Tibshelf Carnival
Let's Celebrate Together



Saturday 20th July
Tibshelf Parish Sportsground
12 noon to 6pm



Please come along and have a Great 'Tibby' Family Day Out!!!
Opened by Tibshelf Carnival Queen for 2013



Abbie Lebeau

- Fun Fair • Hot Food • Bar • Craft Stalls • Tombola • Vintage Cars • Steam Engines • Oz Box • Clown • Circus Workshop • Tea/Cakes • Charity Stalls • Balloon Race • Military Band • Fancy Dress Characters.
- Tug of War • plus lots lots more.....

SCARECROW COMPETITION!!!!

For those of you with an artistic flair.... Why not have a go at making a life-sized scarecrow for our Scarecrow Competition. Bring them down to the Carnival where they will be judged and winners will receive a prize!! Look out for the posters for further details....



PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Starts with the *Carnival Parade* departing from SAPA at 11 am
DON'T FORGET TO WATCH THIS FAB PARADE!!!!

Followed by

TIBSHELF CARNIVAL FESTIVAL OF MUSIC FEATURING LIVE BANDS & SINGERS

The Flying Souls - Blues Rock Band

On the Brink - Indie Rock Band

Chez Devaney - Solo Blues Guitarist

Siggy - Local Singer

Adams & Co - 4 piece Band

Two Second Pause - Pop/Rock Band

The Live Music will be compered by Tibshelf's One & Only

Chick Henstock!!!

IN THE ARENA WILL BE:

THE IRELAND COLLIERY CHESTERFIELD BAND

JOWETT'S SCHOOL OF DANCE

BABYBALLET

LITTLE KICKS KICKBOXERS

DEMOLITIA TRIBAL

TUG OF WAR COMPETITION

Enter a team into our Tug of War Competition - 7 men plus 1 lady
Trophy for winning team - Please sign up on the day or look out for
the forms in local pubs!!

DATES FOR THE DIARY - PRE-CARNIVAL EVENTS

Sunday 14th July 2013 - Tibshelf's Longest Bra String - 11am

(to raise money for the National Hereditary Breast Cancer Charity)

**PLEASE DONATE/DROP OFF YOUR BRA'S LADIES TO MAKE THIS THE LONGEST
STRING OF BRA'S - BOXES THROUGHOUT THE VILLAGE!!**

Sunday 14th July 2013 - Wheelbarrow Race - 4.30pm

Starting at the White Hart and finishes at The Crown Hotel

**PLEASE COME ALONG AND SUPPORT TIBSHELF CARNIVAL 2013 FOR FURTHER
DETAILS PLEASE LOOK ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE TIBSHELF COMMUNITY
ASSOCIATION OR CONTACT ALLISON BECKETT - 0773 9113148**



Tibshelf Tigers Football Club are looking for 7, 8, 9 year old boys and girls to join our teams in the Kickstart League next season.

We are looking for talented players with a passion for football who want to have fun and improve their skills as part of a team.

If you are interested in joining Tibshelf Tigers please come along to our training sessions on :

Tuesday Evenings - 7pm to 8pm Tibshelf Parish Sports Ground, Shetland Road

All Coaches with Tibshelf Tigers are qualified to Level 1, CRB checked and are qualified First Aiders. Tibshelf Tigers FC is a Charter Standard Club affiliated to Derbyshire County FA.

We are always looking for new Coach to join our teams and the club will fully fund Coach's to gain the necessary accreditations for the role. Please contact Brian White - Chairman, for further details or if you have any queries on 07784 253539.

TAKE SHELTER ...

The Parish Council are currently working with Bolsover District Council and Derbyshire County Council to replace the old concrete bus shelter on Newton Road at the corner of St Thomas Close.

We're just waiting for BDC to finalise the legal agreement and you should then be seeing work start over the summer months.



HIGH STREET METHODIST CHURCH, TIBSHELF

Revd Mick Dilley 01623 752349

Sunday Service - 10.45

Tuesdays - Fellowship - 1.45

The Methodist Church will again be providing strawberry and cream teas at the annual carnival



[WHAT'S ON](#)

[Tuesday 16th July 2013](#)

Tibshelf Town End Junior School - Sports Day

[Friday 19th July 2013](#)

Tibshelf Infants School Summer fayre and sports day

[Saturday 20th July 2013](#)

Tibshelf Carnival 2013

[Saturday 27th July 2013](#)

Tibshelf Open Gardens Day



SATURDAY 27 JULY 2013

10.30 - DUSK

WHAT LIES BEHIND THE HEDGE?

COME FOR A WALK ROUND THE VILLAGE
AND VISIT THE GARDENS INVOLVED

PROGRAMME PRICE:

£3 PER ADULT CHILDREN *FREE*

BUY A PROGRAMME ON THE DAY FROM THE
GARDENS OR AT CHURCH. LOOK FOR THE SIGNS

LUNCHESES SERVED AT CHURCH FROM 11.30
PLUS DISPLAYS AND RAFFLE/TOMBOLA

**TIBSHELF OPEN
GARDENS DAY**

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO GET INVOLVED!

IF YOU'D LIKE TO TAKE PART AND OPEN YOUR GARDEN
PHONE 07788 520938 FOR FURTHER DETAILS

TIBSHELF VILLAGE HALL ACTIVITIES

Playgroup	Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 9.15 - 11.15am Term time.
Toddlers	Wednesdays 9.15 - 11.15 am Term time.
OAP Social	Mondays 6pm - 9pm except Bank Holidays.
Keep Fit	Tuesdays 6pm - 7pm.
Staffa Baby Clinic -	Mondays 1.30 - 3.30pm except Bank Holidays.
Blackwell Children's Centre	Fridays 1pm - 3pm Term time.
Under 10's Martial Arts	Fridays 6.45 - 7.45
Yoga	Thursdays 6.30pm - 8pm.
OAP Dance	Wednesdays 7pm - 10pm.
Wheel Chair Dance	Third Thursday Monthly - 1.30 - 3.30pm.
Zumba Class	Tuesdays 7.30 p.m. and now also Fridays at 5.30 p.m.

For further details contact: Jayne or Ruth



Police Surgeries

Come and meet your local Police and Police Community Support Officers. Surgeries will be held in The Meeting Room, Tibshelf Village Hall at 6.00 p.m. till 7.00 p.m prior to the Parish Council Meetings on 23rd July, 17th September, 15th October, 19th November, and 17th December



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GIVE AND TAKE

A toolkit has been put together by Derbyshire County Council to help local organisations and groups run their own Give and Take day where people can give away good quality things they don't want or need anymore and pick up something they do – all for free. The toolkit is ideal if you run a community or voluntary group, or even if you just wanted to gather together a few friends for an afternoon. It includes tips on running a successful event, help with publicity and advice about donations and recruiting volunteers. Holding a Give and Take day is a great way to meet new people, save money and prevent perfectly good items getting thrown away. You can find the toolkit at www.derbyshire.gov.uk/giveandtake or call 01629 539788 for a printed copy.

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Can you play a part in a child's future?

Derbyshire County Council has launched a new recruitment drive calling for potential foster carers and adoptive parents to come forward.

There are already around 420 foster carers providing homes for children throughout Derbyshire but more are always needed.

Councillor Barry Lewis, Cabinet Member for Young People, said: "Caring for children is one of our most important responsibilities and we're always looking for foster carers and adoptive parents so we can match youngsters to the right homes.

"Being a parent is one of the hardest jobs you can do but it is also one of the most rewarding, which is why many of our foster carers work with us for decades."

On-going training and mentoring is provided for all approved foster carers as well as membership of the council's Workforce Extra discount scheme, a home computer, broadband access and free leisure card for the whole family.

Allowances and bonus payments are available on top of basic fees dependant on the type of care offered and length of service.

To find out more Call Derbyshire on the new free fostering and adoption hotline 0800 083 7744 or visit www.derbyshire.gov.uk/adoptionandfostering



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