

NYNEHEAD NEWS

DEFIBRILLATOR

The Parish Council has been awarded £2,300 from the Big Lottery Fund Awards for All. This is to purchase and set up the Community Public Access Defibrillator which will be sited outside the Memorial Hall. The Council is now in the process of procuring the defibrillator and later on there will be details of training for residents of Nynehead in its use and how to perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

The Easter Sunday service will be in the Church at 10.30 am on the 1st April.

GARDEN CLUB

Nynehead Garden Club starts its new season with a talk on sweet peas by Mr. P. Kerton on Monday 12th March in the Memorial Hall at 7.30 pm.

A full list of our 2018 meetings is to be found on the village notice boards and details will also be in the Nynehead News. Membership is £10 per year and we welcome visitors at the meetings at £2 a meeting which includes tea and biscuits!

Two visits to other gardens are planned for the summer and, of course, there will be the Annual Flower Show on Saturday 11th August. Show schedules will be out soon and all the old favourite classes will be there so get planting!

We hope to see you at our meetings.

MEMORIAL HALL

The Memorial Hall AGM will be held in the Hall on Monday 23rd April at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

If you are interested in joining the committee or would like more information please contact Gary Sparks or Frank Meadows.

NYNEHEAD CLUB

Opening hours for the Club are Thursday, Friday and Saturday each week, from 8.30 pm onwards. Membership has been held at £2 for a year.

The children's Christmas party was a big success with new villagers bringing their children along to enjoy musical chairs and statues and the special visitor bringing a gift was a lovely surprise

The skittle team meets once a week for a game and to enjoy a social evening.

A late Easter bingo evening will be held at Nynehead village hall on Saturday 7th April; doors open at 6.45 pm and eyes down at 7.30 pm.

We are pleased to inform you that the carol singing raised £140 for the Children's Hospice South West. The village children enjoy this event and we look forward to next Christmas.

JUBILEE PLAYING FIELD



We are excited to announce that the Playing Field will re-open at the end of April with its brand new bespoke play structure.

We have matched the Playing Field's funds with funding from the National Lottery, Tesco Bags of Help, Taunton Deane Borough Council and Waitrose. Huge thanks to these organisations and everyone involved for making it possible! Thanks also to Wadham's for providing the wood to refurbish our slide

On Sunday 22nd April, from 10.00 am to 2.30 pm, Touchwood, who designed and installed the new equipment at the field, will hold a community build workshop. Everyone, young and old, is invited to come along and to get hands on with tools to help create a set of monkey bars, the finishing touches to the new equipment. We will also be working together to maintain and open up other areas of the field. Please come to the playing field suitably dressed to spend time outdoors working with woodworking tools.

We will have an official opening ceremony and a hot dog lunch and refreshments to celebrate. Come along and get involved!

ST. MARGARET'S HOSPICE

Nynehead Court is holding a Big Breakfast on Saturday 3rd March from 8.30 to 10.30 am in aid of the Hospice.

The Big Breakfast will include a choice of juice or cereal and full English Breakfast. There will be a raffle in aid of the Hospice with prizes including a hamper as well as the opportunity to explore the gardens.

Admission is £6.00.

COUNCIL BILLS

I wanted to let all your parishioners know about the forthcoming changes to the way Taunton Deane Borough Council handles cash for payment of Council bills.

From the 29th March, the cash machines in Deane House and Wellington Community Centre are to be removed and we are providing, as an alternative, a more modern system which is more convenient for customers, therefore if you still wish to pay cash for a Council service then you will be able to use one of the many shops and convenience stores who are signed up to the Paypoint network or at any Post Office.

All you will need to do is take your bill which will have a bar code on it to one of the outlets and pay cash in the normal way. Alternatively it may be easier for you to pay your bill over the phone so we have a 24/7 payments line - 01823 356598 - or you can pay at any time online using our website, www.tauntondeane.gov.uk

Dianne Blackmore
Member Case Manager
Taunton Deane Borough Council and West Somerset

THE TALKING CAFE

The Talking Cafe is a multi-agency information cafe providing free advice and support to the public.

The Talking Café will take place at The Bear Inn on North Street in Wiveliscombe every Thursday from 10.00am to 12.00 noon.

At the Talking Café people can find information and advice on care and support options. No appointments are needed, just drop in to pick up information and advice and have a chat with me, a member of the Adult Social team or a representative from a visiting agency.

The Bear Inn is in the heart of Wiveliscombe and is visited by local people for lunches and refreshments regularly. Holding a local Talking Cafe in the comforting and relaxed atmosphere of the pub will allow people to get quick advice on social care and information on support groups and services – such as social and leisure groups, care services and volunteering opportunities in their local area. There is more going on in local communities than you might realise and some of it may be just what you need. Please pop in – even if it is just to say hello and have a cup of tea.

- Providing a place for the community to access several agencies under one banner in an informal relaxed environment.
- Supporting the community to access advice and support in a relaxed environment from professionals and volunteers they can trust.
- Open to any adult of 18+ in this part of Somerset.

If you would like to find out more, or even want to set up a Talking Cafe in your area, please get in touch: info@somersetccc.org.uk or call 01823 331222. Also stay up to date with the latest Talking Cafe news on www.facebook.com/talkingcafesomerset .

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NEWSLETTER

If you would like to receive the newsletter electronically, please send me your email address and include your postal address so that we make sure you don't get a paper copy as well!

You can also find the newsletter on the village website - <http://nynehead.org/index.php/community/newsletter> .

Rosemary Lea

DIARY

| Event | Date | Venue | Time |
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| Nynehead Court Big Breakfast | Saturday 3rd March | Nynehead Court | 8.30/ 10.30 am |
| History Society - "Potty Parsons" | Friday 9th March | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Garden Club – Sweet Peas | Monday 12th March | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Police Beat Surgery | Monday 19th March | Memorial Hall | 6.00/7.00 pm |
| Parish Council meeting | Monday 19th March | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Easter Sunday Church Service | Sunday 1st April | All Saints Church | 10.30 am |
| Nynehead Club bingo | Saturday 7th April | Memorial Hall | 6.45 pm |
| Police Beat Surgery | Monday 9th April | Memorial Hall | 6.00/7.00 pm |
| Garden Club – Wandering Through West Somerset | Monday 9th April | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| History Society - AGM and a talk on the "Old Town Hall, Wellington" | Friday 13th April | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v Wombats | Sunday 15th April | Away game | 2.00 pm |
| Parish Council meeting | Monday 16th April | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Jubilee Playing Field re-opening and community build day | Sunday 22nd April | Playing field | 10.00 am /2.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v Blagdon | Sunday 22nd April | Away game | 2.00 pm |
| Memorial Hall AGM | Monday 23rd April | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v Sampford Peverell | Sunday 29th April | Cricket ground | 2.00 pm |
| Cricket Club v Bagborough | Sunday 6th May | Cricket ground | 2.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v Wombats (Twenty20 format) | Tuesday 8th May | Away game | 6.00 pm |
| History Society - Members' evening followed by a bring and share supper | Friday 11th May | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v NCC Old Gits | Sunday 13th May | Cricket ground | 2.30 pm |
| Police Beat Surgery | Monday 14th May | Memorial Hall | 6.00/7.00 pm |
| Garden Club – Hedgerow Medicine | Monday 14th May | Memorial Hall | 7.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v Cullompton Codgers (Twenty20 format) | Tuesday 15th May | Cricket ground | 6.00 pm |
| Cricket Club v Butterworths Cricket Club (Twenty20 format) | Wednesday 16th May | Cricket ground | 6.00 pm |
| Cricket Club v Wiveliscombe | Sunday 20th May | Cricket ground | 2.30 pm |
| Cricket Club v Tale Millers Cricket Club (Twenty20 format) | Tuesday 22nd May | Cricket ground | 6.00 pm |
| Cricket Club v Blagdon | Sunday 27th May | Cricket ground | 2.30 pm |
| Annual Parish Meeting | Tuesday 29th May | Memorial Hall | 7.00 pm |
| Cricket Club v Blagdon (Twenty20 format) | Thursday 31st May | Away match | 6.00 pm |

| All Saints Church | | | |
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| Morning worship | First Sunday each month | Nynehead Court | 10.30 am |
| Holy Communion | Second Sunday each month | All Saints Church | 10.45 am |
| Holy Communion | Fourth Sunday each month | All Saints Church | 10.45 am |

There is no service in Nynehead on the third Sunday each month and parishioners are encouraged to join the Family Service at Langford Budville at 10.00 am or Holy Communion at Bradford-on-Tone at 10.30 am.

If there is a fifth Sunday in the month, please contact the Churchwardens for details of services elsewhere in the Group.

Nynehead Club is open on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday each week from 8.30 pm.

For membership details please call at the Club during opening hours.

USEFUL CONTACTS

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