

Town Council Meeting Dates

**Adlington Community Centre,
Railway Road,
7.15pm**

2012

Monday 18 June

Monday 16 July
Monday 20 August
Monday 17 September
Monday 15 October
Monday 19 November
Monday 10 December

2013

Monday 21 January
Monday 18 February
Monday 18 March
Monday 15 April

ANNUAL MEETING & AGM

Monday 13 May
Monday 20 May
Monday 17 June
Members of the public are welcome to attend

Agendas are displayed on the Town Council website and notice boards on the Tuesday before each meeting

20mph speed limits

20 mph speed limit signs have been erected by Lancashire County Council on residential roads in Adlington. This is part of a County-wide campaign to reduce the number of road accidents and increase safety for all Lancashire residents, and to improve the quality of life for all communities providing safer streets for residents to walk and cycle. Residents are encouraged to report any concerns to the local Police.

Adlington Police



101 is the number to call when you want to contact your local police - when it's less urgent than a 999 call. 101 is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Matt Lee PC 3024

Adlington / Coppull Community Beat Manager

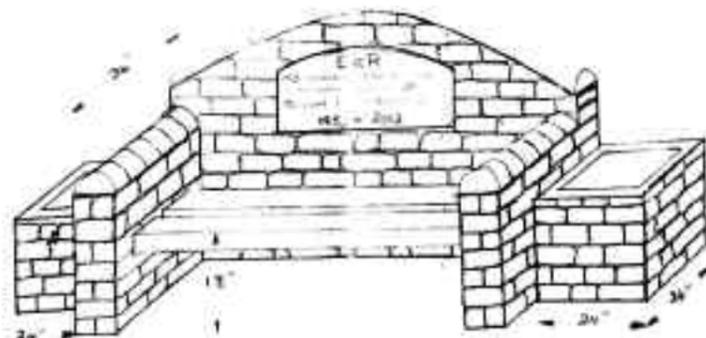
matthew.lee@lancashire.pnn.police.uk • Mobile:- 07950 463617 Tel:- 0845 1 25 35 45

Notice Board Repairs

The Town Council would like to thank local company Barlow Construction and Renovation Ltd for their assistance in refurbishing the Town Council notice board on Park Road when the cork backing became detached. A representative of the company replaced all of the backing with a modern alternative at no charge to the Council.

Diamond Jubilee Commemorative Bench

Plans are progressing for the installation of a stone bench in front of Adlington Library to commemorate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. The bench will be jointly funded by Adlington Town Council, Heath Charnock Parish Council and Anderton Parish Council. An artist's impression of the bench is shown below



Sketch supplied by Adlington Dry Stone Walling

Luncheon Club Jubilee Party

Over 40 members of Adlington Luncheon Club celebrated the Queen's Diamond Jubilee by holding a party on 6 June. Most of the members & the 20 helpers entered into the Jubilee spirit by dressing in red, white & blue, complete with hats & flags. A buffet lunch was followed by entertainment by the "Land Girls", a group of singers from Leyland, dressed in uniform, who sang war time songs, much to everyone's delight. Their performances raise funds, by a collection, for Sue Ryder Care. All those present received a commemorative mug to take home. There was also a surprise guest appearance by "Maggie Thatcher", a tortoise belonging to Lindsay & Cath Hoyle, who arrived decorated with a bow.



Linda Collier & Margaret Ladner celebrate in style

Adlington Mayor 2012-13

The new Mayor of Adlington is Cllr Jeanette Lowe, who says "I am very pleased to have been elected to the office of Town Mayor for 2012/13 & I hope that I can serve the village well. My Mayoress, Marjorie Greenwood, and I look forward to attending the various functions and meeting as many people as possible. We have already attended the St. Paul's Mother's Union Centenary Celebration Eucharist and Adlington Carnival both of which were very enjoyable. I also attended the Luncheon Club Jubilee Party which was excellent.

Our main charity is Chorley Multiple Sclerosis Society & we hope to hold various fundraising events throughout the year to raise much-needed money for this organisation."



Your Town Councillors

Mayor	Tel No
Jeanette Lowe	01257 481415
Councillors	
Graham Dunn	01257 480048
Clive Hart	01257 483194
Stephen Higgins	01257 482322
Douglas Hoyle	01257 481999
Barry Lee	01257 481540
Florence Molyneaux	01257 481184
June Molyneaux	01257 481184
Jon Smethurst	01257 481586
Betty Sumner	01257 480043
Tony Wilson	01257 481776

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June.molyneaux@chorley.gov.uk

Peter Wilson
Tel 01257 474678
Peter.wilson@chorley.gov.uk

Graham Dunn
Tel 01257 480048
Graham.dunn@chorley.gov.uk

Ridgway Arms

Work on the conversion of the Ridgway Arms into a Tesco Express supermarket is progressing. Planning applications relating to the site under consideration by Chorley Council in July included the provision of signage, air conditioning and chiller units, and ATM installation.

Current planning applications are available for inspection and comments on the Chorley Planning Portal planning.chorley.gov.uk/online-applications



The Town Council is pleased each year to present awards to members of the local community who have made a special contribution to village life. This year's recipients were Alan Birtwistle for his many years of involvement with Adlington Carnival, and PCSO Debbie Jones, whose bravery saved the life of a local resident during an incident at Adlington Railway Station. The awards were presented at this year's Annual Town Meeting by retiring Mayor Cllr Clive Hart.

Congratulations to the organisers of the Adlington Carnival for arranging a popular and successful weekend!

Adlington Town Council supports the Fair trade movement

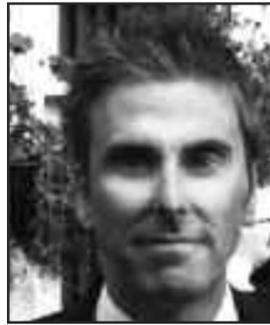
Check the website www.adlingtontowncouncil.co.uk for up-to-date Town Council news and information, and to look at archived issues of the "Update"

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What's on at
Fairview Youth & Community Centre
 Highfield Road North, Adlington
 General enquiries: Jeanette Lowe
 01257 481 415

MONDAY	CONTACT
Zumba 9.30am-10.15am Zumba Gold 10.45am - 11.30am	Hannah Dixon 07779 723 634
Friends Together 1.30pm - 3.30pm	Wendy Salvage 01257 481 910
Little Thespians (Drama, street & dance 5-16 years) 4.00pm - 5.30pm	Sarah Monks 07706 876 157
Youth Activities (LCC) 6.30pm - 8.30pm	Sandra Vaughan 07748 071 236
TUESDAY	
Art in Adlington 9am - 11am, 11.15pm - 1.15pm & 1.30pm - 3.30pm	Gwen Howells 01257 482 825
Computers for beginners (Lancs College) 1.30pm-3.30pm	Jeanette Lowe 01257 481 415
Zumba Toning 6.15pm - 7.00pm Intro to Yoga 7pm - 8pm Improvers Yoga 8pm - 9.30pm	Janine Noblett 07968 757 016
WEDNESDAY	
Yoga for parents & babies 10am - 11am Yoga for parents & toddlers 11am - 12 noon	Lin Dean 01254 775 463
Yoga 1.30pm - 3pm	Ann Smith 01257 474639
Folk Dancing (re-starts 5th Sept) 7.45pm - 9.45pm	Margaret Sudlow 01204 417598
THURSDAY	
Practical Gardening 10.00am - 12noon	Marguerite Hughes 01772 601 376
Tea Dances 2nd & 4th Thursday 2pm-4pm	Peter Gribbin 01257 474 245
FRIDAY	
Tunies 9.15am - 10.15am	Sue Ridyard 01257 274349
Gentle Aerobics 10.30am - 11.30am Yoga (restarts Sept, book by end Aug) 11.30am -12.30pm	Janine Noblett 07968 757 016
Computers for Beginners 10.30am-12.30pm & 1pm-3pm	Jeanette Lowe 01257 481415
Art Class for 11-16yrs 5pm-6pm	Nicola Shaw 07875 120945

New Town Councillors



The Town Council co-opted two new Councillors at its meetings in March and May. **Stephen Higgins (left)** has been resident in Adlington for 25 years. He recently retired after a career as an Electrical Controls Engineer working on paper finishing equipment worldwide. Steve is particularly interested in the Adlington street scene. **Jon Smethurst (right)** was born and brought up in the local area and moved to Adlington in 2008. He runs a business involved in design and broadcast media. Jon is qualified in Christian ministry and helps to run and pastor a local church. He is married to Sam and they have four children.

Town Council Annual Report 2011-12

This year's precept did not increase from the previous year's figure of £17,500. The Town Council continued to provide hanging baskets and planters around the village, monitored local planning applications and responded to residents' queries. This year's annual report details problems discussed and visitors who have attended the monthly meetings to address residents' concerns, for example representatives of Fox Land & Property, Chorley Council Housing and Planning Departments. It also lists the main planning applications for which the Town Council has submitted comments including Grove Farm, the Ridgway Arms, Huyton Fields and Sandons Farm. The Town Council also submitted further suggestions in response to the Chorley Council "Sites for Chorley" consultation

For the full report please see our website

www.adlingtontowncouncil.co.uk or contact the Clerk for a printed copy on 07896 729 646

Huyton Fields

The outline planning application submitted by Fox Land & Property (FLP) for the building of 300 houses on land off Bolton Road has now been withdrawn, although the company have indicated that they intend to submit a revised application on a reduced site area in the near future.



At the Fairview Youth & Community Centre,
 Highfield Road North, Adlington. Registered Charity No. 1141938

**AUTUMN TERM COMMENCES ON TUESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2012
 WITH THREE 2-HOUR SESSIONS (9.00AM, 11.15AM AND 1.30PM)
 AT FAIRVIEW YOUTH & COMMUNITY CENTRE**

The theme for Autumn is "Aqua in watercolour/mixed media"

For further information see the website www.artinadlington.co.uk
 or email secretary@artinadlington.co.uk

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Lindsay Hoyle MP for Chorley

I am delighted to contribute to the Adlington Update newsletter.

I would like to begin by wishing the new Mayor of Adlington, Jeanette Lowe, all the very best for her year in office. I joined Jeanette at the Civic Sunday service held at St Paul's Church and it was nice see the Mayor joined by family and friends to celebrate the beginning of her term of office.

In my last article for this newsletter I wrote about the application submitted by Fox Ltd for 300 properties on land off Bolton Road. I am pleased this application has been withdrawn and believe that development on this scale would be totally unsuitable. Not only would this result in a loss of open countryside but also it would place an increased burden on our roads and local services. However, it is only reasonable to expect Fox to submit a new application in the future and we must remain vigilant in our opposition to any housing development on this site. I will continue to work with your local borough councillors, town council and residents in protecting our local environment.

In Parliament we have seen a number of high profile issues debated, whether it be the banking scandal surrounding interest rates or House of Lords reform. I believe we should have had an independent inquiry into the issue of interest rate setting by the banks and we need genuine reform of the banking system if we are to restore faith in our financial institutions.

I am always keen to hear from local residents and if anyone requires my help please get in touch.

Contact Tel: 01257 271555 email: hoylel@parliament.uk



The Council welcomes advertising from local businesses, charges are made towards printing and distribution costs as follows:

LARGE AD

(approx 12cm x 8cm) for £40

SMALL AD

(approx 6cm x 8cm) for £20

Please contact the Clerk on 01257 474152
 or clerk@adlingtontowncouncil.co.uk

Adlington Library

Railway Road, Adlington

Opening times:

Monday	10.00am to 12.30pm, 1.30pm to 7.00pm
Tuesday	1.30pm to 5.00pm
Wednesday	Closed all day
Thursday	10.00am to 12.30pm, 1.30pm to 5.00pm
Friday	1.30pm to 7.00pm
Saturday	10.00am to 12.30pm

If you're not a member of the library, don't worry, it's easy to join. Just call in and give us some details, you can borrow items immediately.

There's always something happening at the library. The children's Summer Reading Challenge starts on 17 July so come along and enrol, and look out for junior craft events planned over the summer.

Colin Perry, Lancaster Castle Museum manager will be giving a talk on Tuesday 21st August at 10.30am "The last hangman of Britain", entry is by free ticket available from the library.

If you would like to learn how to use the Internet, please ask about our "Go On" introductory computer sessions. You are always welcome to pop in to the library, give us a call on 01257 480525 or email adlington.library@lancashire.gov.uk

The Lancashire County Council website is www.lancashire.gov.uk/libraries

What's on at Adlington & District Community Centre,

Railway Road, Adlington
 Contact Anne Fairclough
 01257 480 447

WEDNESDAY 15TH AUGUST
 Neighbourhood Watch

WEDNESDAY 5TH TO SATURDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER
 St Paul's Players present
 "Brassed Off" nightly at 7.30pm

SATURDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER
 Rock'n'Roll Night
 Tel 01257 480217

SUNDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER
 Adlington Community Nursery
 Treasure Hunt & Social
 Tel 01257 483479

FRIDAY 5TH OCTOBER
 Anderton County Primary PTFA
 Family Night 6pm
 Tel 01257 475512

SATURDAY 6TH OCTOBER
 Red Shoe Dance - Ballroom
 Dancing at 7.30pm
 Tel 07976 880803

MONDAY 22ND TO SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER
 Adlington Music & Arts presents
 "Me & My Girl" nightly at 7.15pm

Police And Communities Together
 First THURSDAY of the month 6.30pm
 Archery every Monday from 17th Sep