

Tilney All Saints Parish Council

NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2024



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COUCIL NEWSLETTER

Parish Council Meetings

The Parish Council holds meetings on the second Thursday of every month (except August) at 7pm in the village hall, Church Road, Tilney All Saints.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

A public participation session is included at every meeting for residents to give their views on items on the agenda or raise issues for consideration at future meetings.

Parish Councils are independent bodies who represent the interests of the whole community and have wide ranging powers to become involved in activities that contribute towards the improvement of the environment and the quality of life in the parish.

Membership

The Parish Council is made up of 8 members and we currently have 1 vacancy. If you would like to more information about joining the Parish Council, please contact the Clerk or Chairman who will be more than happy to answer any questions you may have.

Future Aims

The Parish Council's aims for the future include increasing community engagement to reflect the wishes of residents in future projects. Maintaining and improving local infrastructure and promoting biodiversity.

If there are any projects or facilities in the Parish you would like the Parish Council to consider in the future, please contact the Parish Clerk

Coffee Cake & Chat at the Village Hall

Tilney All Saints
Village Hall Committee
are hosting a Coffee
Cake & Chat session
weekly on Wednesday
10am - Midday.

Tea or Coffee £1

Amazing Homemade
Cakes £1.

Everyone welcome to
join this event!

Dates for Your Diary

Coffee Cake & Chat:
Wednesday 5th June
Wednesday 12th June
Wednesday 19th June
Wednesday 26th June
All in the Village Hall
11am to 2pm

Parish Council Meeting:

Location: Village Hall

Dates:

13th June 7pm

11th July 8:30pm (later
than usual start time)

12th September 7pm

Tilney All Saints Church Fete

Saturday 29th June
11am to 3pm

Contact Details:

The Parish Clerk can be contacted
via email on

clerk@tilneyallsaintsparishcouncil.gov.uk

or by telephone 07519 411098 during
normal office hours

Chair of the Parish Council

Councilor Andy Laughton

chair@tilneyallsaintsparishcouncil.gov.uk

The Borough Councillor for
Tilney All Saints (Clenchwarton Ward) is
Councillor Steven Bearshaw.

Councillor Bearshaw can be contacted on
Mobile: 07395369748 or
cllr.steven.bearshaw@west-norfolk.gov.uk

The County Councillor for Tilney All Saints
(Marshland North division) is
Councillor Julian Kirk.

Councillor Kirk can be contacted on:
Mobile: 07816909870 or
julian.kirk.cllr@norfolk.gov.uk

NEW ROAD MARKINGS and NEW BUS SHELTER

Installation of our new bus shelter on the A47 Pullover Road was finally completed on 27th February 2024.

You may have noticed the new 30mph road markings at the top of School Road and on Church Road as you enter the 30mph speed limit.

Additional SLOW road markings have also been installed along Church Road and on Shepherdsgate Road. The Parish Council would like to thank our County Councillor Julian Kirk who paid for the cost of these road markings for his County Councillor Members Fund.

PEDESTRIAN ACCESS TO THE MILLENNIUM GREEN

The pedestrian access has been re-located further along Church Road to provide easier and safer access to the green. We are just awaiting the new handrails to be installed by Highways

What does the Parish Council do?

The Parish Council is responsible for:
Upkeep of the Millennium Green including Lily's Play Area

Upkeep of the Glebe Estate Playing Field, including the play equipment

Street lighting on the Glebe Estate

The two bus shelters on Lynn Road and the new bus shelter on A47 Pullover Road

Litter bins and dog waste bins.

Benches on the Millennium Green and Glebe Estate Playing Field

Allotment land

We also comment on all planning applications, although the borough council make the decisions.

COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH

Having completed their training our new Community Speed Watch Team is now up and running.

To date 61 sessions have been held along Church Road and School Road with 179 drivers reported for exceeding the 30mph speed limit.

The Community Speed Watch Team try to hold sessions in line with the peak times for speeders as identified from the data collected by our SAM (Speed Awareness Mobile) sign which you will have seen flashing up your speed as you drive through the village.

The Community Speed watch Team can only operate in 30mph areas and cannot operate at night.

More sessions are planned.

If you are interested in joining the team please contact your Chair and Community Speed watch Coordinator Councillor Andy Laughton on

chair@tilneyallsaintsparishcouncil.gov.uk

DOG FOULING

Councillors have received several complaints recently about dog fouling along the pavement on Church Road from the Church to the primary school.

This has been reported to the Borough Council.

Please clear up after your dogs.

Dog owners can be prosecuted and fined up to £2,000.

Dog waste bins are located around the village at both entrances to the Millennium Green, outside the village hall, on the Glebe Estate Playing Field and on Lynn Road.

Please use the designated dog waste bins and not the normal rubbish bins as the dog waste bins are emptied and disposed of separately by the Borough Council Kings Lynn West Norfolk.

POLICE SAFER NEIGHBOURHOODS.

The Police Priority Setting Meetings are an opportunity to raise local issues or concerns and put forward priority suggestions.

Officers will provide updates on previous neighbourhood priorities and the work carried out to address them.

Priority Setting Meetings for the Downham Market, Watlington & Terrington areas (which includes Tilney All Saints) are due to be held as follows:

Monday 29th July 2024
Tuesday 12th November 2024.

All meetings are 7pm to 8pm and at the moment all are showing as to be held in the Town Hall at Downham Market although remote access via Zoom is normally also available.

MOBILE LIBRARY VISITS

The mobile library service currently visits Tilney All Saints as detailed below.

Route Number DOW303

Calls on Wednesday Normally Every 4 weekly

TILNEY ALL SAINTS

09:55 10:10 SCHOOL ROAD POST BOX PE34 4RS

10:15 10:30 WILLOW DRIVE PE34 4SU

10:35 10:55 VILLAGE HALL PE34 4SW

SHEPHERD'S GATE 11:00 11:15 SHEPHERDS GATE COTTAGE PE34 4RP

Date of Visits:

03-Jul-24, 31-Jul-24, 28-Aug-24, 25-Sept-24, 23-Oct-24, 20-Nov-24, 18-Dec-24

For all enquiries about this route please call 01603 222303

TILNEY ALL SAINTS

COMMUNITY AWARD

We would like to congratulate the winner of our Community Award for 2024

The Village Hall Committee

This Award is to recognise the hard work and significant input over the years but especially for the recent Warm Hub which ran throughout the winter and that was of enormous benefit to local people.

In February 2022 Tilney All Saints Parish Council agreed to set up an annual award scheme to recognise the achievements of residents who have contributed and made a difference to the Tilney All Saints community or have improved or brought credit to the Parish.

The contribution to the community could be historic or ongoing.

This is an annual award, either to one individual or to a local community group.

There are no deadlines for receiving nominations.

Nominations will be considered by Councillors throughout the year (April to April) with a final decision made at the Parish Council meeting held in March each year.

Nominations for this award can be made by completing the nomination form and returning it to the Parish Clerk.

Any questions or queries please just contact the Parish Clerk.

FIGHT LOCAL FLOODING

ADVICE FROM THE NORFOLK STRATEGIC FLOODING ALLIANCE

Flooding is a real threat in Norfolk through the winter: keeping even the smallest watercourses clear and flowing freely will help protect homes and businesses safe.

A build-up of flood water with nowhere to drain to can quickly turn a minor incident into a disaster for the home. By checking the drains and ditches on their own property, residents can take action to mitigate the effects of flooding on their home.

To keep your property, and those around you, safe from flooding, property owners must check ditches and watercourses on or adjacent to their land and keep them clear. Even smaller watercourses which may be dry for most of the year, play a key drainage role in wet weather. Find out more about your responsibilities at www.norfolk.gov.uk/flooding

Under UK law, landowners have a responsibility to keep watercourses on their property clear, even if only a few feet of the ditch pass through their property. Hedges or fences that are erected within the boundaries of a property can even prevent owners knowing they have a watercourse to maintain.

Lord Richard Dannatt, Chair of the Norfolk Strategic Flooding Alliance (NSFA), said: "It's easy to put flooding into the 'out of sight, out of mind' box, and not think about it until the waters start rising, but the most effective steps to protect your home and yourself are taken much earlier. A quick check of your drains and watercourses, making sure water flows freely, can take just minutes but can save you hundreds of thousands of pounds in damages by giving water somewhere to drain to other than into the home.

"There are of course other actions that can be taken to prepare for flooding: on a countywide level, we in the NSFA have put in place new practices, new channels and new ways of working to make sure we can respond to flooding and mitigate its impacts more effectively across Norfolk. But to make the country truly resilient, we need everyone to play their part and think about how they can protect themselves and their homes this winter."

Making sure that water can flow smoothly and easily through existing ditches and watercourses will protect properties from flooding and keep the local community safe.

Property owners must keep these ditches clear of fallen trees, branches, bushes, garden refuse or rubble and litter will help water flow: a simple test is to ask whether a fish could swim through the ditch or watercourse. If the answer is no, water flow could also be obstructed and lead to flooding of the property

For drains in public places and along Norfolk's highways, the County Council's Highways Team work to clear them and keep roads open. You can report any blocked or broken drains on Norfolk's highways via www.norfolk.gov.uk/flooding

WEST NORFOLK COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

Go To Town

Fully accessible door to door transport for people living in villages, giving the opportunity to visit local towns, to shop for a few hours or see friends. You need to be a member of this service, which is a simple form and a voluntary lifetime £5 donation

For more information please ring 01553 776971

Services offered include:

TUESDAY TO KING'S LYNN Marshland St James, Terrington St John, Tilney All Saints, Terrington St Clements, Clenchwarton, West Lynn.

In 8:45 return 12:00

VOLUNTEER CAR SERVICE

Door to door car transport for all of your medical appointments 45p per mile

KING'S LYNN SHOPMOBILITY

We provide mobility scooters for day hire or longer term holiday hire within King's Lynn.

Ever Thought About becoming a School Governor?

The joint Local Governing Body for Tilney All Saints Primary School and Anthony Curton Primary School has vacancies for school governors.

Being a governor is a great way to have a positive impact on your community by making a difference to the lives of young people.

You will be part of a team committed to improving the lives and future prospects of young people.

A governor never has to make a decision in isolation and expert help is always available.

The school provide induction training, advice as well as team support throughout every governor's term of office.

Like to find out more?

Please contact the Clerk to Governors on
skaye@anthonycurton.norfolk.sch.uk

DATES AND TIMES FOR TILNEY ALL SAINTS CHURCH SERVICES

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 16 TH
JUNE @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 23 RD
JUNE @ 10.30 AM.

TILNEY ALL SAINTS FETE
SATURDAY 29 TH JUNE 11AM - 3PM

BENEFICE SERVICE @ MAGDALENE
SUNDAY 30 TH JUNE @ 11.00 AM.
NOT AT TILNEY ALL SAINTS NO
SERVICE AT TILNEY ALL SAINTS

HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 7 TH
JULY 3:30PM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 14 TH
JULY @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 21 ST
JULY @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 28 TH
JULY @ 10.30 AM.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
SUNDAY 4 TH AUGUST @ 3.30 PM

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 11 TH
AUGUST @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 18 TH
AUGUST @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 25 TH
AUGUST @ 10.30 AM.

HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 1 ST
SEPTEMBER @ 3.30 PM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 8 TH
SEPTEMBER @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 15 TH
SEPTEMBER @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 22 ND
SEPTEMBER @ 10.30 AM.

FAMILY SERVICE SUNDAY 29TH
SEPTEMBER @ 10.30 AM.

NO COLD CALLER ZONE

Tilney All Saints currently operate a no cold caller zone which has been a successful deterrent in preventing unwanted cold callers. Due to this success Tilney All Saints Parish Council would like to open this up to a wider area within the village. If you would like to know more about this, please contact Cllr. Peter Hodgson cllr.peter.hodgson@tilneyallsaintsparishcouncil.gov.uk

Tilney All Saints & Anthony Curton Primary School

Important Dates & Upcoming Events

Tuesday 2nd July from 3.30pm – Summer Fayre (raising money for the Friends of the School Association)

Friday 19th July at 10am - Y6 Leavers Service being held at Tilney All Saints Church

Residents Survey

The Parish Council are conducting a short survey to get residents views on future projects in the village. We are encouraging residents to share their views so that we can better understand what improvements you would like to see in the village. You can find the survey by visiting the first page of the website <https://tilneyallsaintspc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk/>

NEWSLETTER FROM YOUR COUNTY COUNCILLOR

Cllr Julian Kirk
 Borough Council of King's Lynn and West Norfolk, Borough Councillor for the
 Walsoken, West Walton & Walpole Ward.
 Norfolk County Councillor for the Marshland North Division.
 Deputy Chair Political South West Norfolk Conservative Association.
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July 2024 newsletter / report.

Dear Constituents,

I hope you are all well. Compiling this report on the 26th of May to meet Magazine print deadlines.
 To recap on what I have been up too during May. I have attended Parish Council Meetings within my Borough
 Ward and County Division. At this time of the year Parish Councils also hold their annual assembly and AGM, in
 some instances they are a separate meeting to the Parish Councils, in others they combine, I have attended
 both. I have been Co-opted onto the West Walton Parish Council following the sad passing of Cllr David Ward, I
 want to thank the other two candidates for standing in the election.

The Grimsby to Walpole Power infrastructure scheme is affecting many of my constituents in the Walpole's /
 West Walton / Walton Highway. Liz Truss MP engaged in supporting the constituents, but now the General
 Election has been called support from MPs will cease. After the election West Walton / Walton Highway will
 return to the North West Norfolk Parliamentary Constituency, once we know who the MP is I will engage with
 them to focus on the concerns of residents.

The https://www.west-norfolk.gov.uk/news/article/1595/gypsy_traveller_and_travelling_showpeople_site_consultation_opens

is causing extreme concerns to constituents in the West Walton / Walton Highway / Walpole area, I have
 arranged a public meeting in West Walton on the 10th of June, I will report back in my August report.
 Many constituents lost their Doorstep Milk delivery when Milk and More closed one of their distribution centres.
 McQueens Dairies <https://www.mcqueensdairies.co.uk/> have opened up a new distribution centre in our area
 and are covering the area Milk and More vacated. I use have signed up with McQueens and am happy with the
 service.

Anyone in Norfolk struggling with living costs can request support or advice via norfolk.gov.uk/costofliving or by
 calling 0344 800 8020.

My Norfolk County Council Local Members Fund (LMF) for infrastructure projects is being allocated throughout
 my seven Parishes, I hope to be able to confirm the projects I will be helping to fund in my August report.

Attendance at Borough and County Council Meetings and outside bodies during May

I have attended a board meeting of the King's Lynn Conservancy Board <https://www.kingslynnport.co.uk/>

I attended the West Walton Litter Pick. <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100066462081997>

County Council Meeting, Norwich

Norfolk Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee, Norwich

2 x Council Meetings, King's Lynn

I have shared on my social media all notification of road closures I have received from Norfolk County Council
 Highways.

My offer of help collecting shopping or prescriptions for constituents who are house bound continues, please
 get in touch if I can help.

I continue to report Highway faults, including potholes, hedges, mud on roads and fly tipping. Highway issues
 can be reported via <https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/roads-and-transport/roads/report-a-problem>

I have received phone calls and emails from constituents with concerns on many subjects, which I have dealt
 with in a timely manner and the outcome shared with the constituent concerned.

Please contact me if I can help you in any issue.

Kind regards,

Julian.

Meetings I am due to attend during July.

04/07 Walpole Parish Council Meeting <https://www.walpolepc.info>

09/07 West Walton Parish Council Meeting <https://westwaltonparishcouncil.gov.uk>

09/07 Walsoken Parish Council Meeting <https://www.walsokenpc.info/>

11/07 Tilney All Saints Parish Council Meeting <https://tilneyallsaintspsc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk>

12/07 Peoples and Communities Committee, County Hall, Norwich

16/07 Walpole Cross Keys Parish Council Meeting <https://walpolecrosskeyspc.info/>

16/07 Environment and Community Panel. King's Lynn Town Hall

17/06 Terrington St Clement Parish Council Meeting <https://terrington-st-clementpc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk/>

18/07 King's Lynn Conservancy Board Meeting <https://www.kingslynnport.co.uk/>

23/07 Walpole Highway Parish Council Meeting <https://walpolehighway-pc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk/>

23/07 Full Council Meeting, County Hall Norwich

27/07 Full Council King's Lynn Town Hall

28/07 West Walton Litter Pick <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100066462081997>

30/07 Norfolk Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee, County Hall, Norwich

I can be contacted 24/7 365.

TILNEY ALL SAINTS PARISH COUNCIL

OUR NEXT PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER WILL BE ISSUED SEPTEMBER 2024