

WINSHAM E-LETTER

Hi All,

There is a lot of interest in becoming a member of the Parish Council, when the new council is formed in May. If this converts in to actual candidates then I think an election is likely. Starting next week , in the window of Winsham Shop and Post Office , will be a display (thanks to Kathy Everard) which among other things lists some of the major issues for the parish, at the moment. No doubt, other issues will follow-they always have! That is why we need a representative and effective parish council.

For those who are still weighing up the pros and cons of being a candidate, why not talk to your friends, neighbours and people with whom you share parish based interests, about your thoughts. Get their views- maybe there are others with similar thoughts-who knows what then might be possible.

Let's move on to the Jubilee Hall, a subject always close to my heart.

This coming week, on Thursday, is the Jubilee Cafe-please remember to come along. It is an ideal situation to chat with friends over a nice cup of tea, and a cake.

We are also getting close to the date when the sale of Jubilee Hall Lottery tickets closes-Friday, 29th March. We have sold some 180 tickets so far, and it would be nice if we could make 200! Many thanks to everyone who has purchased a ticket from Winsham Shop, and thanks to Kate and all the staff for making this possible. As we all know the shop and post office play a far bigger part in the life of Winsham, apart from being a much valued place to buy groceries.

Finally, Jan and I were invited to preside over the raffle tickets draw at the **Charity Bridge Afternoon** this past Thursday. It was held to raise funds for work on damp-proofing the rear of the hall , and improving the men's toilet facilities. The event , including the raffle raised £480-an incredible amount, made possible only by the committed efforts of people like Sarah Gleadell, Gill Spence, Chloe, Karen and Liz Tadema-and no doubt others. Winsham is well populated by people with a generous heart and a community spirit.

Tomorrow is the Street Fair's Big Breakfast-help make it a big success!

Pass the ketchup, please!

John




*A winters morning. A delightful picture taken by
Hank Beentje while out on a walk.*



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15th March, 2019



WINSHAM ON THE WEB

<p><u>Street Fair Management Committee TOMORROW!</u></p>	<p><u>Big Breakfast Jubilee Hall, 16th March, 9.30-11.30 am</u></p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p>
<p>THE BELL </p>	<p>THREE NEW EVENTS</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>Winsham Music Group</u></p>	<p><u>Wednesday, 20th March, 10.30am Oakgates</u></p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>WINSHAM SHOP & POST OFFICE</u></p>	<p><u>Latest Bulletin from the Winsham Shop Management Committee 1st March 2019</u></p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL</u></p>	<p><u>Details of how to become a candidate at the election for parish councillors to be held on May 2nd. Closing date for nominations- Wednesday, 3rd April</u></p> <p><u>Practical aspects of being a parish councillor</u> <i><u>A slightly tongue in cheek account</u></i></p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p> <p>Click HERE</p>
	<p>Cake Decorating Classes Viv's Vision Cakes: Teddy bear or Blossom Cakes 23rd March Jubilee Hall</p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p> <p>Click HERE for Viv's web site</p>

<p><u>Winsham Horticultural Society</u></p>	<p>Friday, 12th April 7.30pm, Jubilee Hall, 'Sustainable gardening in a changing world' Josh Sparkes, Head Gardener-Forde Abbey</p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p>
<p><u>Winsham Art Club</u></p>	<p>Spring Programme</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>JUBILEE HALL LOTTERY 2019</u></p>	<p><u>Tickets now on sale at Winsham Shop and Post Office Special Offer!</u></p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p>
<p><u>Winsham Street Fair Committee Updated</u></p>	<p>NEW Portal Page on Parish Web Site -See future events at foot of e-letter</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>Winsham Music and Poetry Groups</u></p>	<p>Poetry Group 2019 Programme --</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>Winsham  Neighbourhood Watch</p>	<p>Visit the new Portal Page Computer Scam 15th Feb-Request for witnesses</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>Hawkchurch Film Nights</p>	<p>Spring 2019 Programme</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>St.Stephen's Church </p>	<p>Details of March and April Services</p> <p>***</p> <p>Fund Raising Coffee Morning 10.30am Wednesday, 27th March in the Church</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>

<p>WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL</p>	<p>Report on Public Meeting- Monday, 4th March ***</p> <p>Road Closure-Perry Street ***</p> <p>Latest Somerset Waste Partnership Bulletin (February) ***</p> <p>Refuse Collections Changes on Bank Holidays ***</p> <p>New Surveys ***</p> <p>Road Closure-Cricket St. Thomas ***</p> <p>--</p> <p>New Traffic and Travel Web site ---</p>	<p><u>Click HERE for all items</u> Don't forget to scroll down the page to find the item you want</p>
<p>The NEW Winsham Market Place</p>	<p>Support your local suppliers</p>	<p><u>Click HERE for details</u></p>
<p>Your essential Guide to Winsham Parish Web Site Content UPDATED</p>	<p>Please read to get the most from the Winsham Parish Web Site</p>	<p><u>Click HERE</u></p>
<p>Information Hub for older residents</p> 	<p>Ongoing service information service for older residents, their family and friends and those who care</p>	<p><u>Click HERE</u></p>

<p><u>For all newcomers to the Parish</u></p>	<p>WINSHAM'S 'WELCOME PACK'</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>Somerset Museums UPDATED-a really useful web site.</p>	<p>Gives you details of most of the Museums in Somerset.</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
	<p>FUTURE EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY</p>	
	<p>- Saturday, 4th May 10.30am-Jubilee Hall Winsham Hort. Soc. PLANT SALE (Get there early!)</p> <p>-</p> <p>Saturday 29th June FAMILY EVENT</p> <p>-</p> <p>Wednesday, 3rd July Winsham Hort. Soc. 9.00am Coach Trip to Rosemoor</p> <p>-</p> <p>Winsham Hort. Soc. 2.00pm , Saturday, August 24th, Sports and Social Club ANNUAL SHOW</p> <p>-</p> <p>Saturday, 4th October. 7.30pm, Jubilee Hall St.Stephen's PCC HARVEST SUPPER</p> <p>-</p> <p>Saturday 12th October</p>	

Street Fair Committee
RACE NIGHT

Ilminster Literary Festival
28th May-6th June
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