

PENKRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

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CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN ELECTED

At your Council's meeting held on Thursday 14th May elections of office for the coming year were held. Councillor Calvert Stonehouse was elected as Chairman and Councillor Mrs Anne Geoghegan was elected as Vice-Chairman.

PARISH COUNCIL VACANCIES

Vacancies exist for four Parish Councillors (Gailey, North East, South East and West) and applications are sought from community-minded parishioners who would like to be considered for co-option.

Letters should be sent to the Parish Administrator at the Haling Dene Centre, and include details of background and experience.

WHAT DOES THE PARISH **COUNCIL DO?**

Curious? Why not come along to a future meeting -Thursday 11th June, 9th July and 10th September at 7.30pm.

Members of the public have the opportunity to speak in our Public Participation session.

Penkridge Library

Monday: Closed Tuesday: 2.00pm - 7.00pm

Wednesday: 9.30am - 1.00pm / 2.00pm - 5.00pm Thursday: 9.30am - 1.00pm / 2.00pm - 5.00pm Friday: 9.30am - 1.00pm / 2.00pm - 5.00pm Saturday: 9.30am - 1.00pm

Sunday: Closed

We are awaiting a consultation on the Opening/Closing Times for the Library please see our Noticeboards and Friends of Penkridge Facebook Page.

The Library also hosts many events, for more information see the Friends of Penkridge Facebook Page.

CONCERTS AT HALING DENE

2PM - 4PM

Sunday 19th July
Rugeley Power Station Band

Sunday 23rd August
St John Ambulance Band

Free Admission
Refreshments provided by the W I
Everyone Welcome!



FLOWERS GALORE!

The Parish Council have organised the planting of even more hanging baskets and troughs this year and our maintenance team has been working hard to ensure the extended planting scheme is in place.

The Civic Society have kindly agreed to oversee Penkridge's BKV entry again this year.

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Pothole Reporting

To report potholes, either email: highways@staffordshire.gov.uk or telephone 0300 111 8000 state the exact location, size and depth of the pothole.

LOOKING FOR A BASE FOR YOUR VILLAGE GROUP?

Why not look at rooms for exclusive use available at the Haling Dene Centre? Reasonable rates.

For details telephone 01785 714157

Penkridge Leisure Centre Summer SUSSED 2015



This Children's activity programme is for youngsters aged 5 to 12 years and runs during the school holidays. The Parish Council are to once again sponsor the Summer programme which enables Penkridge children to get a 50% reduction when booking activities. The 50% can only be applied when they give their 'Get Set Card' at the time of booking. If your Child does not currently hold a 'Get Set Card' this can be applied for on the South Staffordshire Council website - www.sstaffs.gov.uk and follow the link to the Leisure Services.

The contact number for Penkridge Leisure Centre is [01785] 714152.

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<u>PARISH ADMINISTRATOR</u> - Lesley Griffiths, Haling Dene Centre, Cannock Road, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5DT - Tel: 01785 714157 email: clerk@penkpc.co.uk

RECEPTION - Opening times 9am - 1pm, 2pm - 5pm (Monday - Friday) - Tel: 01785 714157 email: reception@penkpc.co.uk

Parish Council Meetings are held at 7.30 pm in Room 1, Haling Dene Centre every second Thursday of the month except August

PARISH COUNCILLORS

Gailey Ward

Vacancy

Levedale Ward

Isabel G A Ford Belford Lodge, 30 Haling Road, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5BZ - Tel: 01785 712339 email: i.ford@penkpc.co.uk

North East Ward

Bevan Craddock 44 Haling Road, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5DA - Tel: 01785 712733 email: b.craddock@penkpc.co.uk John L Eastwood Horner, St. Michael's Close Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5AD - Tel: 01785 712966 email: j.eastwood@penkpc.co.uk

Anthony Minshall The Foxholes Cottage, Stafford Road, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5AS - Tel: 07976 816407 email: a.minshall@penkpc.co.uk

Vacancy

South East Ward

Anne J Geoghegan (Vice Chairman) Sunny Bank, Mill Street, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5AY - Tel: 01785 713419 email: a.geoghegan@penkpc.co.uk

Gordon Hawkins 57 Templars Way, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5HR - Tel: 01785 714057 email: g.hawkins@penkpc.co.uk Petula Hughes 10 Wolverhampton Road, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5DP - Tel: 01785 714843 email: p.hughes@penkpc.co.uk

Victor J Kelly 12 Wulfric Close, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5EW Tel: 01785 716779 email: v.kelly@penkpc.co.uk Vivienne Smith 29 Marsh Lane, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5BY Tel: 01785 714129 email: v.smith@penkpc.co.uk Vacancy

West Ward

David Oldfield 1 Grange Cottages, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5NH - Tel: 01785 714373 email: d.oldfield@penkpc.co.uk Calvert Stonehouse (Chairman) 6 Grange Avenue, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5NW - Tel: 01785 713009 email: c.stonehouse@penkpc.co.uk Vacancy

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

North East & Acton Trussell Ward

Len Bates, 11 Hempits Grove, Acton Trussell, ST17 0SL - Tel: 01785 714091 email: l.bates@sstaffs.gov.uk Isabel G A Ford, Belford Lodge, 30 Haling Road, Penkridge, ST19 5BZ - Tel: 01785 712339 email: i.ford@sstaffs.gov.uk

South East Ward

Christine J Raven, 7 Francis Close, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5HP - Tel: 01785 715936 email: c.raven@sstaffs.gov.uk John Raven, 7 Francis Close, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5HP - Tel: 01785 715936 email: j.raven@sstaffs.gov.uk

West Ward

Donald E Cartwright, Gailey Lea Farm, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5PT - Tel: 01785 712487 email: d.cartwright@sstaffs.gov.uk

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

David Williams, 85 Wood Lane, Wedges Mills, Cannock, WS11 1SZ - Tel: 01922 511319 email: david.williams2@staffordshire.gov.uk Mark Sutton **Gailey & Levedale only** - Tel: 01902 851682 or 07814 144072 email: mark.sutton@staffordshire.gov.uk

MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT

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