

Parish Councillors by Ward

Loggerheads Ward

Cllr Bob Dickson
Cllr Ian Douglas
Cllr Ed Martin
Cllr Tony McCullagh
Cllr Paul Northcott

Mucklestone Ward

Cllr Graham Sedgley
Cllr Jim Vallings

Newcastle under Lyme Borough Council will be advertising vacancies and notices will be placed on Parish Council's notice boards.

*All Councillors can be contacted on 01630 673426 or by email
loggerheadspc@btconnect.com*

Ashley Ward

Cllr Sue Fox
Cllr Bunty Hodgkins
Cllr Chris Taylor

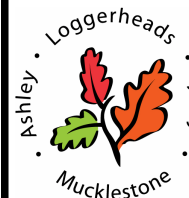
Tyrley Ward

Cllr Bert Bennion
Cllr Roy Claydon

Grants awarded 2010/11 by your Parish Council.

Ashley Memorial Hall £1400
Friday Fun Club £274
First Responders £300
Voice £500
Knighton Village Hall £ 1036
Bloomin' Ashley £272

Parish Festival £1000
LCIS £150
L, Pickers & Planters £1000
Showstoppers £200
Mucklestone WI £500
Blore Rural History Soc. £100



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Gritting

In the last issue, April/May, we asked for your views on the system your Council devised about gritting those roads that the County Council were unwilling to grit. The 6 responses we received :

Request for a Grit Bin on Pinetrees Lane (to be considered)

Very positive & helped residents get on/off road.

4 separate complaints that particular roads had not been gritted. (these will be responded to in due course)

The gritting route was published in the last issue and it was also pointed out that gritting can be ineffective at the exceptionally low temperatures which we had during the winter.

Your Council will ensure that the route, as published, will be gritted again next winter as it was last.

Brian Tompkins

Brian has been our Borough Councillor for Loggerheads and Whitmore for the past 4 years. He stood down, in May, to concentrate on other work.

We, in the Parish Council and also the residents, would like to express our thanks to Brian for all the hard work, time and effort he has put in on our behalf.

It is fair to say that he brought an energy and commitment that is second to none to our community. He has encouraged every organisation, he has been in touch with, to move forward and in doing so has always been willing to give generously of his time and expertise.

We would like to sincerely wish Brian every success in the future.

Thank You, Brian

Future Meeting Dates

Thursday 23 June

Thursday 28 July

Dates of future meetings will be announced at this meeting.

****Please Check Parish Notice Boards for venue****

MEETINGS COMMENCE IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE PLANNING COMMITTEE WHICH IS AT 7PM

All meetings are open to the public, there is a public participation session prior to the start of the meeting, please come along and share your issues and views with us.

Grants

To apply for a Grant from the Parish Council you can download a form from www.loggerheadsparishcouncil.com Or contact the Clerk.

Closing date for applications: 30 June, 31 October & 29 February

To apply for a Community Chest Grant please download a form from Newcastle under Lyme Borough Council website and when completed please send it to the Clerk at the address on the front of this newsletter.

Be aware that both Grant applications must satisfy the criteria to achieve success.

Retiring Parish Councillors

The following people have not sought re-election this May: Mrs Sam Wallbanks, Mr David Loades, Cllr Ashley Howells, Mr Dan Ellis, Mr Alan Machin, Mr Julian Jackson. Mr Jamie Friend

At the last Parish Council meeting it said that before thanking all those councillors that were standing down it was appropriate to point out how this Council has become more open and receptive to the changing needs of the community during it's last 4 year term. Without the support of all the councillors the community and the work of your council would not have progressed in the way it has.

On behalf of everyone "Thank you all for the time and effort you put in to achieving such a great step forward"

David Loades

Borough Councillor for Loggerheads and Whitmore
Newcastle under Lyme Borough Council

I am honoured to have been elected by the residents of the Loggerheads & Whitmore Ward as their Borough Councillor to represent them on Newcastle Borough Council.

I have lived in the area for over 23 years and have until recently been involved with the Loggerheads Parish Council which has moved forward with the support of the local residents. As a result of Parish Plans residents have laid down their needs and concerns and the local councils have used the feedback positively to gain a bigger voice. I intend as your local Councillor to represent you and to ensure this I will be holding a monthly surgery every 3rd Monday of the month at the Library during the opening of the Loggerheads Community Information Shop on Monday Mornings. Please drop in for a chat at any time from 11.00 to 13.00 when my surgery is open. My other contact details will be published by the Council shortly but I am always contactable on my mobile which is **07960131408** or my main number **01630672046**. Please do not hesitate to contact me.