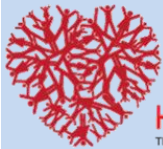




West Moors Parish Council

Autumn 2015 Newsletter



COMMUNITY
HEARTBEAT
The Community HeartBeat Trust

NEW LIFE SAVING DEFIBRILLATOR NOW IN THE VILLAGE

For the added safety of our residents, an emergency defibrillator (AED) has now been installed on the wall outside The Co-Operative on Station Road in the village which was generously donated by Wimborne & Ferndown Lions Club. The Parish Council believe the defibrillator will also potentially benefit the many visitors who cycle or walk through the area. Of course we hope we never need to use any of this equipment in an emergency, but it is reassuring for the community that the equipment is available if required.

An expert training session, by Community Heartbeat, will be held in West Moors Memorial Hall on Wednesday 4th November 2015 between 10.30 am and approximately 12.30 noon. This session will be open to the public who can either be trained in the use of the defibrillator or simply watch how it is done. Anyone who completes the training will be provided with a certificate by post.

This awareness will hopefully give people the knowledge and confidence to act decisively if someone suffers a Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA).

Many thanks again to Wimborne and Ferndown Lions Club for their very generous gift and to The Co-Operative for hosting this life saving equipment.



From left to right; Cllr P Yeo (Chairman); Godwin Micallef (Lions Club); Barry Duxbury (Chairman of the club) and staff member of Co-Op



Remembrance Day approaching- Marshal volunteers required

Are you interested in acting as a volunteer Marshal for the Remembrance Day Parade on Sunday November 8th 2015 in West Moors?

We need volunteers to help with traffic control during the parade along Station Road and service at the War Memorial.

Show your support for service personnel, past and present, by being actively involved. Please contact the Parish office on 01202 861044 or visit the office at 4 Park Way.



What's New?

Official opening of Oakhurst Play Area

It gives West Moors Parish Council great pleasure to announce that the refurbished Oakhurst Play Area in Shaftesbury Road West Moors is now officially open.

A £40,000 facelift, funded fully by West Moors Parish Council, has seen the installation of new, state of the art play equipment some of which is fully inclusive and has been designed to appeal to children under 12 years of age.

The play area was presented to the children of Oakhurst First School's Student Council, their Head Teacher Mrs Melanie Davy and Cllr Jayne Lovegrove by The Parish Council's Chairman, Cllr Penny Yeo on the morning of Wednesday 9th September, 2015.

The students present had the chance to enjoy a special playtime in the sunshine after the new play area was officially opened.

Brand new equipment, eco-surfacing and seating is providing a whole new park for the local children to enjoy.

The play area is for the exclusive use of Oakhurst First School during school times but is open for all to use outside of school hours. The area is closed at 7pm each evening.

Play features include a Multi Play (junior) activity unit, 2 play panels, spinning pole, talk tubes, stepping stones, rope swing, net climber, see saw and a basket swing.



From bottom left to right: Cllr Jayne Lovegrove; Students of Oakhurst First School Council; Mrs Melanie Davy – Headteacher and Chairman of the Parish Council Cllr Mrs Penny Yeo



Students of Oakhurst First

Grants awarded to: East Dorset Environment Partnership (EDEP) West Moors Memorial Hall (WMMH) and East Dorset Citizens Advice Bureau (EDCAB)

EDEP is the successor to the East Dorset Community Partnership. The aims of EDEP are listed in their constitution. Their role is an advisory one and they review and provide sound technical advice on planning policy and larger planning applications that affect the natural environment of East Dorset. All 87,800 East Dorset residents of which West Moors' population of 7664 benefit from EDEP's work.

Planned future work that will benefit West Moors includes the Bournemouth, Dorset & Poole Gypsy and Traveller consultation and detailed assessment of the Environmental Statement that will be submitted with Core Strategy allocation (Blackfield Farm) at the planning application stage. Their first grant from West Moors Parish Council was for £150 and was collected by the EDEP Chairman Mrs Hilary Chittenden on Wednesday 30th September, 2015.

WMMH was awarded £500 towards the maintenance of their car park for 2015/2016.



From left to right: Hilary R Chittenden (Chairman of East Dorset Environment Partnership); Cllr P Yeo (Chairman of WMPC); Anne Pogson (Chairman of WMMH)

EDCAB

A grant of £250 was awarded to EDCAB to help maintain the level of service provided for the residents of West Moors. On Tuesday 29th September Pat Temple came into the parish office to personally receive the cheque and Cllr P Yeo offered thanks for the work that they do.



Cllr Penny Yeo (Chairman) and Pat Temple (Advice Manager for EDCAB)

Age is just a number- Meet Rose



Chairman of the Council, Cllr Mrs Penny Yeo presented some flowers to Mrs Rose Paton, as she celebrated her 102nd birthday, on Friday 2nd October. She has only been at Brooke View Nursing Home a few months but has already made an impression. To be strong and smiling at 102 years old is an inspiration to us all.

Sporting Facilities: Football hire

The Parish Council offers adult, 9v9 and mini football pitches for hire at Fryers Playing Field off Bond Avenue. They are available for the community to hire during the playing season on an ad hoc basis, as a seasonal block booking and/or for events and for competitions. All bookings are subject to availability.



Hire charges:

Adult matches:	£54.50
Youth Teams (smaller of the adult pitch):	£28.50
Youth Teams (9 v 9)	£21.50
Mini Soccer (within the 9 v 9 pitch)	£12.50

Call 01202 861044 for more information,
Or Email: westmoorsparish@btconnect.com
Alternatively drop into the parish office at 4 Park Way.

Brockenhurst College bus

For those that are contemplating Colleges this year, Brockenhurst College provides a bus that commutes through West Moors.

The bus number is C18 and picks up from two points.

1. Pinehurst Road, just off the A31, outside the parade of shops at 07.42 am.
2. Outside the Tap and Railway public house on Station Road at 07.46 am.

Also new current Yellow bus timetables are available in the Parish Office for your perusal or collection.

Allotment Update

West Moors Parish Council are working very closely with Sturts Farm to provide allotment plots to the local community and plans are in progress. We will provide further information when it is available.



Anti-Social Behaviour reduced

The Council would like to say how pleased they are that over the Summer Holidays there were no reports of anti-social behavior or vandalism received. This results in a safer feeling amongst West Moors Community and less resources being exhausted within the Local Authorities.



Well done, keep it up!

Food Waste Bags

Biodegradable food waste bags for your kitchen caddy are available to purchase from the parish office. 52 bags on a roll for only £4.



Dog Waste Bags

Biodegradable Dog waste bags are available to purchase from the parish office. 100 bags in a packet for only £2.50



Please remember the importance of picking up your dog waste, due to the increase of dog fouling within West Moors.

A big thank you to those responsible dog owners that do this already.

POLICE UPDATE

Following complaints of vehicles speeding on Pinehurst Road it was arranged for the Community Safety Camera van to be positioned with clear lines of sight towards the dual carriageway. The camera is a very accurate piece of equipment capable of detecting vehicle speed at greater distances and of course it obtains photographic evidence of the speed and the driver. During this time three vehicles were recorded at speeds between 36 and 40 mph and these drivers will receive written notice offering the excellent one day driver improvement training scheme or a fine and 3 points on their licence. As is often the case, most speeding vehicles in residential areas are registered very close to the point at which they were detected committing the offence.

We have also been attending areas of the three main schools following complaints that parents are parking on the yellow zig zags intended to provide a clear area for children's safety. Unbelievably some parents were prepared to carry on as if we weren't there. In response we have established a data base allowing us to record verbal warnings to be followed up by a £50 fine should the offence be committed a second time. The excuse we get offered almost every time is lateness, but it really is inexcusable.

By PC 1496 Julian Humphries and PCSOs Dan Byrne and Adam Fitzwalter

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE PARISH COUNCIL
AND CONTRIBUTE TO YOUR LOCAL
COMMUNITY?
WE CURRENTLY HAVE TWO VACANCIES PLEASE
CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE FOR DETAILS**

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Parish Office Opening Hours:

Monday	10.00 – 1.00
Tuesday	10.00 – 1.00
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday	10.00 – 1.00
Friday	10.00 – 1.00
Saturday	10.00 - 11.00