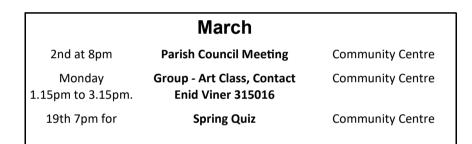
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2nd at 8pm	Parish Council Meeting	Community Centre
Monday 1.15pm to 3.15pm.	Group - Art Class, Contact Enid Viner 315016	Community Centre
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> 10.30am – 12noon	Budbrooke RVS Club for the over 60's	Village Hall



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#### Written communication to:-

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#### **Parish Councillors**

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Kate Dutton 493985 Rhonda Hales 07702 074461 Maggie Treacy 07753 677712 Rob Daffern 07702 493459

Want to hire a room? <u>Community Centre</u> Hannah Gelfs 07825 154286 <u>Village Hall</u> Linda 402404 <u>St Michaels Church Hall</u> Church office 407020. <u>Open Door Café</u> 01926 410446	Budbrooke Charities For information contact Elizabeth Wilkinson, Clerk <sup>budbrookecharities@gmail.com</sup> Or see the website www.budbrookepc.org.uk
THE place to meet THE place to eat Your community café 3 Slade Hill, Hampton Magna www.opendoorcafe.org.uk 01926 410446 Room hire also available	Parish of Saint Charles Borromeo, Mass – Sunday 9am other days see newsletter Parish Priest: Fr Patrick Mileham Parish Tel No: 01926-492263 www.stcharles-borromeo.org.uk

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#### Groups at Budbrooke Community Centre, Hampton Magna

Hampton Magna Katrina Jakewi   Pre-School Gail Turner   Turning Pointe Dance School G7813039636   Hampton Magna Tots Julia Smith   Plates bv Ju Julieann			
School	Katrina Jakeway 07840179493	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday Friday	9.00am – 3.30pm 9.00am – 1.00pm
	er 636	Monday, Fri- day Saturday	4.15pm/5.30pm – 8.30pm 9.00am – 3.30pm
	:h 277	Tuesday	9.30am – 11.20am
	119	Tuesday	6.15pm – 9.15pm
Hampton Magna Brownies Jo Cook 07961856010	010	Wednesday	6.15pm – 7.45pm
1st Hampton Magna Rainbows Aimée Barber hamptonmagna1	Aimée Barber hamptonmagna1strainbows@hotmail.com	Wednesday	Contact for timings
Hampton Magna Scouts Scouts@1stham gsl@1sthamp	Scouts@1sthamptonmagna-scouts.org.uk gsl@1sthamptonmagna-scouts.org.uk	Thursday	mq00.9-mq00.7

Group	Contact Details	Day	Time
Pilates	Kimberley Warwick 07843 570936 kwarwick@hotmail.co.uk	Tuesday	9.30am – 11.30am
Milverton Folk Dance Group (no experience necessary)	Julie Dent 07866961967	Thursday	8.00pm – 10.00pm
RVS Over 60's	Penny Bedford 01926 401017	Third Wednesday of the month	10.00am – 12 noon
Sue Chapman Tuition	01926 821011	Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday	3.45pm - 7.45pm

To hire the village hall, please contact Linda White on 01926 402404

#### **BUDBROOKE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES 1st December 2021 8pm at Budbrooke Community Centre**

BCA – Budbrooke Community Association	PCSO – Police Community Support Officer
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HA – Highways Authority	WALC – Warwickshire Association of Local Councils
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DPI—Disclosable Pecuniary Interests	FB - Facebook

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**Present:** Chairman Cllr M Dutton, A Thomas, R Treacy-Hales, M Treacy-Hales D Bryan, D Shirley. WDC & WCC Cllr J Matecki.

**Public Participation - 15 minutes:** 3 members of the public attended. Items reported included a meeting arranged with Covid 19 response team to do an assessment of the CC to give advice and HEPA filters funding guidance, details have also been passed to the Churches and VH.

**Apologies & Declarations of Interest & Dispensations:** Apologies from Cllr Daffern & Cllrs Mrs K Dutton.

**Approve November meeting minute:** Approved and will be signed at the January Meeting.

The following paragraph was amended and now reflects the conversation accurately.

Planning:

**Warwick Parkway objection:** Feedback from Cllr Thomas re. WDC/21CC005. Regulatory Committee attendance: Cllr Thomas advised the proposal was agreed and a 12-month trial period suggested. Chiltern are also preparing a detailed record of accidents that have occurred at Warwick Parkway. A revised planning application is to be submitted by Chiltern in 12 months. Kay to check which email we were using for complaints and how many have been received.

#### **Matters Arising**

WCC Dropped kerb proposals – to be complete by March 2022 Playground Train request – at ordering stage, Cllr Shirley to liaise with Clerk. Tree maintenance reported works scheduled: County Council maintenance Tree Surgeon work needed rear of 50 Slade Hill – supplier agreed A45/A46 Festival Interchange footbridge replacement scheme update 8 October 2021 – response drafted.

BPC Planning Document – comments requested

War Memorial Planting – allocation of additional funds to build raised beds: after discussed PC agreed to excavate the area & plant into the ground. Clerk to include funding for this in the PC budget for 22-23 & PC to finalise a plan for the area to maintain it on a more permanent basis. Cllr M Treacy-Hales to obtain costs for a turf stripper to bring to the PC.

Road from Hampton Magna to Hampton on the Hill – sign warning of oncoming traffic: Clerk to Chase.

Warwick Parkway – update from Jan - 12 month permission with feedback after that. Once it commences suggested an article in the newsletter for residents to submit comments.

Church Farm House, Woodway – refusal of planning permission & costs on appeal (W191573LB). Papers circulated. PC noted.

Streetlights at Daly Avenue discussed previously: Lamppost has been moved and is awaiting re-connection.

Preliminary precept discussions: Chairman to seek confirmation from WDC on some figures.

BPC Planning working document / CIL Funds proposals: Comments requested by Chairman (paper circulated). Chairman reported he has shortened and reworded the document. Clerk to incorporate into precept proposals to ensure there are adequate funds available for work that needs doing.

There is a hole in the roof over the CC Coffee bar which needs addressing and could be incorporated with other projects to include in the precept along with some CIL funds.

Cllr Thomas queried whether the PC had received funds from Miller Funds who had commented in an interview that they were giving money to the PC and funding a cycle route, agreed this was probably a Section 106 agreement



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Contact Robert Middleton for a prompt professional service Local references available payment, the article also mentioned £10,000 towards Styles Close - the PC have not received any communication regarding this. Cllr Bryan also suggested contact Sport England further down the line for contributions to relevant projects.

Draft Housing & Employment Land availability: (paper circulated) - PC noted. Cllrs to consider the paper in more detail.

Planning: Nothing to report

#### Correspondence:

Request for consideration to install outside gym equipment (from resident) Suggested some stats on use from other Gyms in the area would be useful. Clerk to contact WDC.

MP Awards 2022 (paper circulated – deadline for nominations 7th January 2022): Place on Facebook page and website for local people to nominate.

#### Parish Maintenance/Playgrounds

Annual Inspection Report received and circulated - PC received and noted good report.

Grit Bin ordered for HOTH - delivered. Highways have said they wouldn't fill the bin as its on a grit route, Cllr Thomas advised it has previously always been filled. Clerk to query or PC will consider relocation.

Clinton Avenue Trees: in hand - email to County suggested lady had fallen but in fact the lady had slipped.

Fly tipping at HOTH: still not been removed.

Trees in Styles Park: warning signs. Clerk is reviewing details on gate signage, could also include notices for climbing trees.

#### Update from previous meeting

Footpath along Woodway Avenue on even numbers side is deteriorating, this is not down to developer traffic. Further along in Lloyd Close, tarmacced area is crumbling and footpath where it goes into Mayne Close. Footpath in Sumner Close is sloping the wrong way so water is draining into the gardens rather than into the road and builds up. Flooding along Old BB Road, Cllr Thomas reported that the drain by the Gateway is completely blocked but there are very few drains & the drains are higher than the gullies where the water can drain to, long term option is kerbstones or building the road up. Clerk to request Highways to look into this. Cllr Thomas will liaise with Highways if a site visit can

#### be requested.

Potholes bad between 1 & 3 Clinton Avenue and crumbling pavement, general wear & tear but getting worse.

Request a lamppost at bottom of Blandford Way as there is a very dark section of road, Clerk to request from Highways.

Cllr Matecki - Tree Surgeon, resident in a bungalow - Silver Birch leaves, asked WDC to trim and tidy but they don't own the land so won't do it. Asked whether the PC could consider some work, Clerk is obtaining a quote for some maintenance work. The roots are also causing a problem in the same residents driveway. Also reported flytipping around the parish.

#### Finance

To note bank reconciliation and approve payments: Noted & payments approved. Bank mandate variation – addition of new signatories: Signed.

#### Newsletter/Website/Facebook Items

Items added: Mature Driver Reviews Legality of Electric Scooters WCC – Have Your Say Christmas Waste Refuse Collection MP Awards 2022 Warwickshire Welfare Grant Fund applications to be received by 10th Dec

#### Any Other Business / next meeting arrangements

VH noticeboard: VH Chairman has approached the PC for contribution towards replacement costs. One quotation was produced. Suggested VH apply to WCC Funds (through Cllr Matecki) - Chairman to contact VH Chairman to contact Cllr Matecki.

Next PC meeting Wednesday 5th January.

Meeting closed at 9pm.

# Reminder

It is your responsibility to cut back and maintain overhanging hedges from your property onto public footpaths and highways. Many are causing difficulty for pedestrians, wheelchair users and prams.



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# Budbrooke RVS Club for the over 60's

Happy New Year. The next meeting will be on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 10.30am – 12noon in the Village Hall, Hampton-on-the-Hill.

There will be a bring-and-buy table, a speaker, coffee and a raffle.

The committee have an exciting programme lined up for the next six months.

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#### **BUDBROOKE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES** 5<sup>th</sup> January 2022 at 8pm Budbrooke Community Centre

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#### **Public Participation - 15 minutes**

(a) A member of the public asked how residents will be notified about the forthcoming road closure that will affect Martin Close. Cllr Dutton explained that WCC Highways will post closure notices around the area. The notices will include details of how to access affected properties during the closure. Details have also been posted onto the PC website and Facebook page. (b) The resident also raised the matter of the footpath by the Miller housing site commenting that the only way to cross the A46 is by foot. The resident asked if signage or a footbridge had been considered. Cllr Dutton explained that the matter is an ongoing issue and has been raised with Highways England (HE). HE has turned down the request for signage on the basis that too much signage is a distraction to motorists. A response is in draft form and will be sent to HE shortly. Regarding a footbridge, the one recently constructed near Kenilworth cost £2.4m. The resident commented that she had hoped the developers would have provided a package that allowed for the construction of a bridge or a safe alternative to crossing the A46. Cllr Dutton advised that a package was in place, however the sums are only small and have already been allocated. BPC will continue to discuss with relevant authorities and developers.

In summary the discussions with HE are ongoing and will be placed on the February meeting agenda.

#### Apologies & Declarations of Interest & Dispensations:

Apologies received from ClIrs J Matecki, R Daffern, A Thomas and K Dutton. Approve December meeting minutes: Approved as a true and accurate record. ClIr Dutton to sign at February meeting – Clerk to action. Matters Arising

(a) Styles Park Train –Clerk advised that a meeting was held on 17th December with ClIr Shirley, Reverend Brown and Martin Davies. The location for the train was agreed and a number of questions raised which have been passed to the supplier, Sovereign Play. A site visit with Sovereign has been arranged for Thursday 13th January where the final details will be discussed. Estimated date for delivery and installation is end of March 2022.

(b) Tree Surgeon work at rear of 50 Slade Hill – work due to start w/c 10th January 2022.

(c) A46 crossing – signage. Summary detailed in Public Participation above. Agreed Cllr Dutton will circulate current draft for final comments.

(d) War Memorial re-wilding project. Cllr M Treacy-Hales is researching costs for a turf stripper.

(e) Draft Housing & Employment Land availability - no further action required.

(f) Various road/pavement issues as raised by Cllr Thomas at the meeting on 1st December – clerk is following up.

(g) Fly Tipping – clerk has reported again. Cllr Dutton advised the location is not on Council land. Clerk to check with WDC.

#### Precept:

After discussion, it was agreed that the Precept request for 2022/23 will be  $\pm 36,720 - to$  be submitted by the clerk by 14th January 2022. It was further agreed that an additional  $\pm 120$  be made in the budget for training,  $\pm 3,000$  for the Community Centre and  $\pm 3,000$  for Planning – clerk to action.

**BPC Planning Document:** 

Cllr Dutton advised he will insert the budget and precept figures into the working document which will be ready for comment by the February PC meeting (Wed 2 Feb 22).

Lobbying for legislation to provide councils with the flexibility to use virtual meeting options

Cllr Dutton explained that flexible meeting arrangements (eg. Zoom) were allowed during the pandemic due to a temporary change in the legal framework which has now ended. Meetings currently must be held in person. A suggested template for lobbying Matt Western has been circulated to councillors. It

#### Groups at The Open Door Meeting Place, Hampton Magna

Day	Event	Description	Time	<b>Contact Details</b>
Monday	Parent Group	Social meet for parents with babies.	10.30am – 12pm	Caroline Edwards 07816 074387
	Twirling Toddlers	Dance and movement	10.30am – 11am	
		classes for little ones 10	Welcome to arrive earlier	Twirling Toddlers
		months old and upwards.	and stay later.	www.twirlingtoddlers.co.uk
Tuesday	Entrust	A café run by young people	8.30am – 12pm	Entrust
		with disabilities on their		
		pathway to employment		
Wednesday	The Open Door	Hosted by volunteers, drop	8.45am – 12pm	Church Centre
		in for a cuppa and a chat.		01926 407020
	Walk & Talk Budbrooke	Weekly walks starting from	11am up to 90min walk	
	Health & Wellbeing Walks	The Open Door. You are	11.30am up to 60 min walk	To book your place please
		welcome to join us for	12pm up to 30 min	contact Caroline Edwards
		coffee afterwards.		07816 074387
	Midweek Moments	Encouraging people to share	3pm – 5pm	
		experiences and make new	1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday in the month	Caroline Edwards
		friendships		07816 074387
Thursday	Entrust	A café run by young people	8.30am – 12pm	Entrust
		with disabilities on their		
		pathway to employment.		
	Spin a Yarn	Friendly 'knit & natter'	10.30am – 11.30am	Church Centre
		group. Bring along your		01926 407020
		own projects or just come		
		for a natter and see what		
		others are working on!		
	Alpha	Exploring questions about	7pm – 9pm	Church Centre
		life and faith over a meal		01926 407020
Friday	The Open Door	Hosted by volunteers, drop	8.45am – 12pm	Church Centre
		in for a cuppa and a chat.		01926 407020

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was agreed that holding on-line meetings would be beneficial for the older and more vulnerable councillors as well as public participants. It was agreed that BPC should submit its own letter – the clerk to agree wording with Chairman. Cllr Dutton has sent his letter to Matt Western and it was agreed that the clerk would re-draft the template for use by residents – to be placed on the website, Facebook and in the newsletter. This will encourage responses from the public and may encourage more residents to attend the meetings if successful. Planning: No actions required.

#### Parish Maintenance/Playgrounds

(a) Annual Playground Report – clerk to recirculate.

(b) Monthly Playground Report – Martin Davies advised the cable will be replaced on the Zip Wire.

(c) Grit  ${\rm Bin}-{\rm agreed}$  the clerk will arrange for the bin to stay at HOTH and BPC will arrange to fill and maintain.

(d) Cllr Bryan commented that the footpath close to the Hampton Trove development has no disabled access and asked whether it is feasible for this to be rectified. The general consensus from the meeting was that it will not be possible due to the very steep gradient.

(e) A member of the public commented that the general state of pavements in the parish is deteriorating. No action at this point.

Warwickshire Search & Rescue

Agreed clerk will send the letter to the Village Hall and both Parish Churches for consideration and direct reply as necessary.

#### Community Centre/Village Hall

(a) Community Centre: A Burns Night event has been scheduled but not yet publicised due to the current COVID situation.

(b) Village Hall: User Groups are now operating again, however no resident events are scheduled. Rhonda to talk with David Brain.

Finance

(a) Bank reconciliation and payments approved.

(b) The bank mandate variation form was re-signed by David Bryan.

Next Meeting - Wednesday 2nd February 2022.



#### Community Economic Recovery Fund opens for local community groups in Warwick district

Warwick District Council has launched a new fund for community groups and not-for-profit organisations in Warwick district that are supporting vulnerable people during the ongoing pandemic.

Grants of up to £3,000 are available to those organisations that are recovering or adapting their service to provide vital support in the community, tackling issues such as loneliness and isolation and delivering support for mental health or financial hardship.

In addition, the fund will also look to support events, projects and initiatives aimed at community commemoration, remembering those who have lost their lives or suffered during the pandemic.

Councillor Judy Falp, Cabinet member for Community Protection, said: "The pandemic has demonstrated the vital work that our local support groups and organisations provide for our communities, but it's also had a detrimental impact on their finances.

"I would encourage as many organisations as possible to come forward and apply for this funding, and I thank them for the continued service they have provided to the most vulnerable in our district."

Full details of the scheme, including eligibility criteria and how to apply, can be found at <u>www.warwickdc.gov.uk/cerf</u>



District Council, Royal Learnington Spa Town Council, Warwick District Creative Compact and the artist Stacey Barnfield.

Royal Learnington Spa's Colour Palettes are planned to be installed before the Games come to the district this July.

This piece of art is being created with funding from Warwick District Council and Coventry and Warwickshire Local Enterprise Partnership (CWLEP), with the support of Royal Leamington Spa Town Council, Warwickshire County Council, Network Rail, Warwick District Creative Compact and Heart of England Community Rail Partnership.

Royal Leamington Spa's Colour Palettes will form part of Warwick District Councils CultureFest, which will showcase and celebrate the incredible arts and heritage venues, artists, and creatives in the area from Saturday 16 July to Sunday 21 August 2022.

Stacey Barnfield is a regional artist who is developing the colour palette artwork to feature in the pedestrian underpass at Learnington Spa Station. He has developed a similar colour palette at Grand Central at New Street Station.

Warwick District will be providing venues for the Lawn Bowls and Para Lawn Bowls at Royal Learnington Spa's Victoria Park and the Cycling Road Race start/ finish at St Nicholas Park, Warwick, as part of this year's Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games.

#### For further information on CultureFest visit www.warwickdc.gov.uk/culturefest





#### Re Extended Access GP Clinics

The NHS locally are holding GP clinics in the evenings and weekends for acute GP appointments and nursing appointments such as smears etc. These are held all over Warwickshire, and on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings clinics will be held at Budbrooke and often staffed by regular Budbrooke GPs. Budbrooke registered patients can book them via reception at the medical centre.

Prescriptions: Dispensary routinely send out text messages when prescriptions are ready to collect or if one of your items are currently unavailable. If you are in a bad signal area or do not have a mobile number please give dispensary 48 hours. You can then assume your prescription is ready for collection. Please leave 4 working days before collecting any controlled drugs unless you receive a text sooner. Please note we are not open at weekends, if you request you medication over the weekend please collect from Wednesday afternoon unless you receive a text message before. Please speak to or email Amy Lyons, Amy.lyons@budbrookemc.nhs.uk, if you have any concerns or special requirements.

#### Face-2-Face appointments:

Please be aware that Budbrooke are offering face to face appointments. If you have been acutely unwell in the last 2 weeks we do ask for a GP to call you first to assess the covid risk before you have a face to face. We are offering a mix of appointments for patient choice. Where appropriate we are doing the same for nursing appointments however some appointments need to be face to face.

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"With the Commonwealth Games coming to Learnington this year, this is a wonderful project to enhance the pedestrian underpass at Learnington Spa station and welcome the many visitors to the town with vibrant artwork.

The project is a great way for residents to get involved, and we're looking forward to hearing suggestions on what the artwork should feature."

#### Artist Stacey Barnfield said:

"The Colour Palette artworks are all about celebrating local; the areas we grew up in, the people who inspire us, the places we love and the buildings we cherish. It's wonderful that the Royal Learnington Spa Colour Palettes are being shaped by residents of the town and my thanks go out to everyone who submits a suggestion.

I can't wait to see what will feature on the final artworks. They promise to be fascinating and interesting designs packed with wonderful – and colourful – references that will welcome visitors to the town in their thousands every day." Councillor Susan Rasmussen, Mayor of Royal Learnington Spa, said:

"This project is a celebration of the rich and varied colours of Royal Leamington Spa and our commitment to the creation of exciting community art across our town. It is also an excellent opportunity to engage with and involve residents to find out which local features or folk they think should be included in this artwork at such an important visitor gateway into Royal Leamington Spa."

Julia Singleton-Tasker, Community Rail Partnership Officer for Heart of England Community Rail Partnership, said:

"Royal Leamington Spa is a hugely creative town, and there could be no better way for visitors to be welcomed into the town than by a community-informed piece of art that reflects the very place they've come to see. The CRP is delighted to be supporting this project by collaborating with local artists to create workshops for schools where we can inspire young people and give them an opportunity to have a voice in the development of this piece of public art."

To submit your suggestions, complete this short online form at <u>www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/RLSColourPalette/</u> by Saturday 12 February 2022.

All submissions will be reviewed by a panel of representatives from Warwick

### Help develop a new piece of public art for Royal Learnington Spa!

Warwick District Council is looking for your suggestions on people, places, objects, or things you associate with Royal Learnington Spa. The information you provide will help shape the development of a new piece of public art, planned to be installed in the pedestrian underpass at Learnington Spa Station, which will be seen by 1,000's of people during this year's Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games.

The Royal Learnington Spa Colour Palettes art piece will be made up of number of large colour swatches with each one representing and celebrating one of seven themes relating to the town:

- 1. Arts and Culture
- 2. Innovation
- 3. Sports and Leisure
- 4. Nature and Natural Environment
- 5. Entertainment
- 6. History
- 7. Community

Your suggestions will be used to inform the creation of the artwork, which will showcase what the town has to offer people visiting Royal Learnington Spa, for example, the Royal Pump Rooms, Royal Spa Centre, Jephson Gardens.

Councillor Liam Bartlett, Warwick District Council Portfolio Holder for Culture, Tourism & Leisure, said:

"The Royal Learnington Spa Colour Palettes will be a great visual improvement for the gateway into the town. Welcoming visitors and spectators from all over the world during this year's Commonwealth Games. This piece of public art will showcase what we are proud of in Royal Learnington Spa and provide a fantastic opportunity for the people of the district to be part of this project."

Sarah Windrum, Chair of Coventry and Warwickshire Local Enterprise Partnership (CWLEP), said:



The Occupier Re: Arras Boulevard/ Marten Close Hampton Magna Communities Group

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#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Dear Sir /Madam

17 January 2022

Arras Boulevard/ Marten Close, Hampton Magna – Upcoming Carriageway Resurfacing Works

Carriageway resurfacing work is due to commence on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2022 and are programmed to take 9 days in total. A road closure will be in place and a diversion signed when works are taking place. Working hours during the week are anticipated to be 09.00 – 15.30. There are no weekend works currently planned. Please see plan on reverse of this letter for extent of works.

The proposed programme of works is as follows:

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> January. Remove existing road surface & lay first layer of new surface (Section A) Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> January. Remove existing road surface & lay first layer of new surface (Section B) Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> January – Replace existing ironwork. (Section A & B) Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> January. Remove existing road surface & lay first layer of new surface. Replace existing ironwork & kerbs, Lay final surface (Section C) Monday 31<sup>et</sup> January – Tuesday 1<sup>et</sup> February. Lay final surface and complete lining (Section A & B). Complete

Monday 31\* January – Tuesday 1\* February. Lay final surface and complete lining (Section A & B). Complete lining (Section C)

Access for pedestrians will not be affected. Vehicle access for residents will be maintained where possible. Please however anticipate and plan for delays. When travelling through the works, please be aware of temporary road surfaces and raised ironwork and drive slowly. Please ensure that vehicles are parked outside of the site extents during planned working hours.

If during the works you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the contractors Surfacing Manager Paul Kelly who will be in a position to deal with your concerns directly on telephone number 07837- 319323 (08:30 – 16:30hrs). If you require any further information or wish to discuss the works, please contact me.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we regret that the whole of Marten Close will not be resurfaced as part of the upcoming works. We are currently planning for Marten Close to be completed in March 2022.

Kind Regards

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# Grants available to hospitality and leisure businesses affected by Omicron

There's some welcome news for businesses across the district, as the latest round of Government grants announced in December are now available to apply for through Warwick District Council.

These new grants, are one-off payments of up to £6000 aimed at supporting rated eligible businesses in the hospitality and leisure sector affected by the Omicron variant, those eligible for payment include, but are not limited to:

- Public Houses/Restaurants/cafes
- Cinemas/Theatres/Tourist attractions/Night clubs
- Hotels/B+Bs/Holiday homes

As this is a new scheme with new eligibility criteria, the Council is encouraging businesses falling within the hospitality, leisure and accommodation categories to check the terms and conditions and submit an application as soon as possible.

Councillor Jan Matecki, Portfolio Holder for Homes, Health and Wellbeing, said:

"This is possibly a final opportunity for hospitality and leisure businesses who were affected by restrictions and fall in custom, particularly over the festive season to receive the support they need to get them back up and running."

"These are grants, not loans and can be applied for in a safe and secure way. Thousands of businesses have already benefitted through the previous schemes the Council has administered, with more than £55 million distributed to local organisations."

"I would urge all businesses in this sector to take five minutes to check they're eligible and get their application to us."

Applications will close strictly at 5pm on 21 February 2022, due to the enhanced checks that are needed the Council is unable to accept applications after this time.

# Full details including the application form can be found at www.warwickdc.gov.uk/omicrongrants

# Queen's Baton Relay – the search is on for inspirational people to carry the Baton

Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games organisers have launched a recruitment campaign to find "Batonbearers" for the Birmingham 2022 Queen's Baton Relay in England. Do you know someone in Warwick District who is an inspiration? Please nominate them.

The Queen's Baton Relay is a Commonwealth Games tradition that builds anticipation for the upcoming Games by celebrating, connecting, and exciting communities across the Commonwealth, shining a light on untold stories and unsung heroes from the places it visits.

Warwick District Council is encouraging nominations from residents who meet the following criteria: always willing to take on a challenge, have a unique and inspiring story, an inspiration who positively challenges others to achieve their best or is enthusiastic about making a positive impact within their community.

Councillor Liam Bartlett, Portfolio Holder for Culture, Tourism and Leisure, said:

"This is a great opportunity to celebrate an individual who is working in and supporting their community. They could be a coach who dedicates their spare time to coaching young people, or perhaps you know of a neighbour who has been doing the shopping for a vulnerable person since the start of the pandemic? If you know someone who you think should be a batonbearer, please nominate them; it would be fantastic to see local residents being recognised and recruited for this prestigious role."

Nominations can be made at the Birmingham 2022 website by submitting 100 words or less on how the nominee is making a difference in your community and why they deserve to be a Batonbearer, all nominations must be aged 12 or over as of 2 June 2022.

The Baton is currently on an epic journey across the Commonwealth, visiting Europe, Africa, Oceania, the Caribbean and the Americas. The final part of the journey travels the length and breadth of England for 25 days before the Relay officially ends at the Opening Ceremony of the Commonwealth Games on 28 July 2022.

To submit a nomination, visit: www.birmingham2022.com/queens-baton-relay/batonbearer-nominations/

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