

A 'flying' visit for the children of Hambrook Primary School

In March, the children of Hambrook Primary school were treated to a visit from the South West National Police Air Service. Children from every class were able to have a look at the helicopter and ask questions to the crew. This was all made possible by the local police beat officers, PC Paula Stone and PCSO Jacqui McCormack.



Winterbourne Police Beat 'Drop In' Sessions

Did you know that the local Police Beat Team hold a 'talk to us' session once a month? Any resident of the Winterbourne Parish is welcome to attend. Sessions take place at The Greenfield Centre. Dates are advertised on the Winterbourne Parish Council Facebook page and shared to local groups.

Our Local Nature Action Plan (LNAP)

Winterbourne Parish Council is responsible for a superb selection of facilities including the wonderful commons in Frenchay and Whiteshill; Tuckett Field and Tuckett Pond; the excellent nature reserves at Monks Pool, Bradley Brook and Huckford Quarry; Newleaze Community Woodland; The Dingle and Jubilee Allotments in Winterbourne Down and the much loved Flaxpits Pond – for more information please visit our website at [Winterbourne Parish Council Leisure Facilities](http://www.winterbourneparishcouncil.co.uk)

We have invested heavily in these wonderful environmental assets and have recently agreed to work with South Gloucestershire Council to create a Local Nature Action Plan (LNAP) as part of our continued commitment to the outstanding environment that makes our Parish such as a popular place to live. We are committed to working with South Gloucestershire Council to produce a Parish Council LNAP to take meaningful action to protect our environment.

This will help to identify our priorities and the actions we want to take to protect and increase nature in our community for years to come. As we develop the LNAP we will be working with a variety of organisations who own and control different aspects within the parish and will be keen to work with other residents of all ages to become a part of this pioneering work.

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PARISH COUNCIL

Message from the Chair, Paul Kembery

'I hope you enjoyed any celebrations you attended for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and coverage on T.V and media. With the warmer weather (hopefully!) over the next few months I do hope you enjoy your summer with other local events and other plans you may have further afield'

Platinum Jubilee Tea Party at The Greenfield Centre

We were delighted to play host to many residents and centre users to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Those attending included students from Elm Park primary school and members of Adorno Community Day Centres. We were very lucky to be able to borrow bunting from the Winterbourne Down Village Carnival Committee, to whom we wish to express our thanks. Our thanks also go to the volunteers who helped on the day and made the afternoon such a lovely experience. Winterbourne Parish Council also donated cakes to local churches and care homes that were hosting events. We would also like to thank the ladies of the Winterbourne Evening WI for their amazing display hung on our flag poles.



THE REMEMBER ME PROJECT

In 2017 Liz Ferguson decided to research the names on the Whiteshill Memorial, Hambrook. Five years on, her passion to try and bring the 53 WW1 & 25 WW2 names "to life" has taken her to 35 cemeteries/memorials in France, Belgium & Italy where she has laid over 40 poppies for our brave local men. There have been more poppies laid in local churchyards. Normandy beckons. For the centenary of the end of WW1 Liz placed information about individual soldiers around the community.

The local home front was incredible as were the local children who picked blackberries for the soldiers jam ration and collected eggs for the wounded.

Research continues and Liz's hope is to still find relatives. Liz is keen to share what she has learned and to give talks in the community complete with her mini museum and freshly baked Trench Cake. Liz says 'I have met some truly wonderful people' for more information regarding THE REMEMBER ME PROJECT please contact Liz Ferguson:

lizferg@btinternet.com or Instagram lizferguson8. Liz will be at the Frenchay Flower Show.



Frenchay Flower Show 2022

After a two year break we are delighted to say that the Frenchay Flower Shower will be returning on Saturday 9th July from 12.30pm.

Many of the Show's much loved old favourites will once again be at the Show including the alpacas, wind bands, Starlight Cheer group and W.I. cream teas. Competitions include flower and vegetable displays, arts, crafts and cookery with prizes for the winners!.



You can download an entry form from their website <https://www.frenchayflowershow.com> or their Facebook page where you can see also the list of classes and find out how to enter. Entry forms are also available at the Frenchay Museum. There will be a great selection of stalls selling plants and a variety of gifts. We really hope that you will join them for the return of this wonderful local event.

Report It to South Gloucestershire

Residents can report issues on a number of issues direct to South Gloucestershire Council through the 'report it' section of their website:

www.southglos.gov.uk/general-information/online-services/report

These include Pot Holes, Graffiti and Fly Tipping. South Gloucestershire Council have recently made prosecutions including a Bristol man who was fined £6,649 after being found guilty of failing in his duty of care when fly tipping was discovered at four different locations across South Gloucestershire.



Blood Donating at The Greenfield Centre

The Greenfield Centre hosts regular Blood Donation sessions. They normally run from 1.00pm to 8.00pm. You can register and check dates on the NHS Blood and Transplant website: www.blood.co.uk