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# TARVIN VILLAGE SUMMER FETE

The Tarvin Village Summer Fete will take place on Saturday 10th June this year. The parade of the Fete King and Queen will start from Lower High Street at 11:30am proceeding up the High Street and along Hockenhull Lane to make its way finally to the Community Centre. The fete will take place on the King George V Playing Field and will start from midday.

The Fete will have many attractions for both kids and adults including Stalls, Music, Competitions, Dog show, Tug of War, Rodeo Bull Ride, Fairground, Go Karts, Hog Roast, Bar and much more.

Please come along, lend your support and enjoy the fun.

# **CO-OPTION OF COUNCILLOR**

We are pleased to report that Mr Steve Willey was co-opted onto the Council at the meeting on 24th April 2017 and will serve until the next Parish election, which we expect to be held in May 2019.

# CO-OPTION ONTO THE PARISH COUNCIL

We still have one vacancy. If you are interested in how your Parish is looked after and how it develops then why not consider becoming a Councillor?

The positions are voluntary and take up as much time as you are prepared to give. The commitment is at least to attend the monthly Parish Council meeting held on a Monday evening. Councillors represent the views and concerns of the residents of the Parish to the Parish Council and, through it, to the Borough Council.

You must be over 18 and qualify under one of the provisions of Section 79 of the Local Government Act 1972 below:

- a. Be on the Electoral Register for the Parish, or
- b. Have owned or rented land in the Parish for 12 months, or
- c. Have worked in the Parish for 12 months, or
- d. Have lived in the Parish or within 3 miles thereof during the whole of the 12 months preceding appointment.

If you think that you would enjoy being a Councillor please contact the Clerk or any Councillor for further details.

### **LENGTHSMAN**

The Parish Council is looking to employ a "Lengthsman" for one hour per day, five mornings per week, to include weekends, to remove all litter from the King George V Playing Field. A job share will be considered if you are unable, or unwilling, to cover five mornings per week.

If you are interested in applying for this position please contact either one of the Councillors or the Parish Clerk (details at the end of the newsletter).

### **GRANT AID**

In the last newsletter local voluntary groups were invited to apply for a small grant from the £2,900 available during the present financial year.

At the Council meeting on 24th April the following grants were approved:

- Tarvin Community Centre £1,200
- Tarvin Community Woodland Trust £1,000
- Tarvin Village Summer Fete £300
- Ashton Hayes and Tarvin Flower Club £150
- Tarvin Christmas Market £150
- 2nd Tarvin Brownies £100

#### KING GEORGE V PLAYING FIELD

The Council is pleased to report that the Car Park has been resurfaced, part of the path at the bottom end of the field has been resurfaced, as has part of the children's play area.

A big thank you to the vast majority of local residents who kept off the field when it was closed to the public. Your co-operation was appreciated.

A picnic table is being ordered for the bottom end of the Field and hopefully it will be in place in the very near future.

# **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN**

The Steering Group who have been working on the draft plan for a number of months and believe that they will have taken the plan as far as they can once a few final changes have been made to it.

The plan will then be handed over to the Parish Council who will employ Cheshire Community Action to edit the work to date to ensure that it is technically compliant with Neighbourhood Planning rules.

Members of the Steering Group will be on a stall at the Village Summer Fete to engage in conversation and answer any questions that you may have. There will be a small number of copies of the draft plan available that day for reference.

# PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Our next full Council Meetings will be held on Mondays 26th June, 24th July, and 21st August. All will commence at 7.15pm and will be held in the Edna Rose room at the Community Centre.

Everyone is welcome to attend Council meetings – there is an open forum at the beginning of every meeting, for you to have your say on any subject relevant to the Parish.

You don't have to stay for the whole meeting. Feel free to come/go as is convenient to you.

# **ABOUT YOUR COUNCIL**

Tarvin Parish Council is comprised of the following 9 Councillors – their contact telephone numbers, all dial code 01829, are in brackets:



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Cllr Ben Dean (07789 278827)



Clr Rob Ford (740371)

Cllr Clare Jones (740186)





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Cllr Matthew Pochin (741136)

Cllr Peter Ryan (740576)





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