

THE WESTON WANDERER

VILLAGE NEWS

Church Clock

As some of you may have noticed, the church clock has not been working. The Parish Council have commissioned Time Assured of Mansfield to repair and refurbish several parts as well as service this historic timepiece. The work has now been completed and we are scheduled to install the components and finish the project week commencing 23rd of August.

Footbridge Update

The work to replace the footbridge over Grassthorpe Beck is now complete and looks fantastic. Many thanks to the Area Rights of Way team at Via

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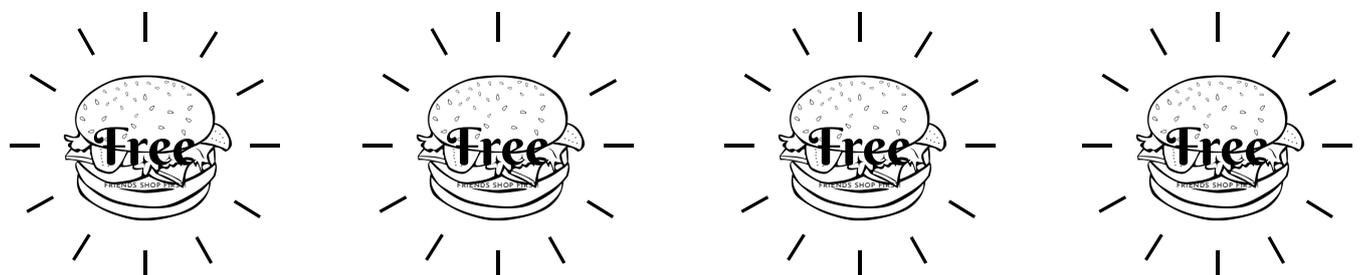
You will see that there is a new recycling bin next to the little library in front of the Village Hall. Attached is a flyer with all the information you need to help the planet and raise some funds for the Hall.

WESTON SUMMER FETE

We are pleased to announce that we will be holding a summer fete in conjunction with the coffee morning on Saturday 10th September.

Current attractions are: Cake stall, bring-n-buy, games, skincare, tombola and local crafts. If you have an idea for, or would like to have a stall at the event please contact Vicki on 07841475103.

To bring us all together we will be having a barbecue and the bar will be open. Below you will find four vouchers for a free Beefburger or Hotdog.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- August 12th –Coffee Morning
- August 15th –Weston Choir restarts
- August 28th–Village Fete (see below)
- September 10th - Coffee Morning
- October 8th–Coffee Morning
- November 12th–Coffee Morning
- November Pie and Pea quiz

Weston Village Hall Charity No. 525522
Clothing Bin Thermometer
April 2021 – March 2022

June 21	£30.60	£200.80
May 21	£109.80	£160.20
April 2021		£50.40

Proceeds from the Clothing Bin 2020 - 2021 has been used to purchase 'Weston Little Library' sited on the Village Hall frontage. **Thank you**

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WESTON PARISH COUNCIL

The last Parish Council meeting before the summer recess took place at the Birds Nest Cafe on the 7th July.

The Parish Council received a presentation from Enso Energy regarding the proposed Solar Farm. Questions were raised by several Councillors. Thanks to Enso for their engagement.

Also thanks to Hall Farm for the use of their superb outside seating area which allowed us to meet in person, even with the rain.

We still have a vacancy on the Parish Council. If you are interested or want to know a little more, please contact the Parish Clerk (contact details below)

Weston Little Library

We are pleased to report that the Little Library is being enjoyed by a number of residents. You may also have noticed that we have fantastic new signage (thanks Colin). Contributions, comments or potential improvements are always welcome.

Safer Neighbourhood Group

The local safer neighbourhood group are back meeting post Covid with Weston being represented by Pauline Laughton

Items discussed at the last meeting (21st July) were :-

Police priorities for our area remain Rural Crime and Education and Speeding matters
Concerns with vehicles speeding on the B1164 Great North Road and local police confirmed that they will be carrying out speed checks in our area.

Police are also still investigating a serious RTA on the 21st July near Weston Mill Farm
Doorstep sales callers are also on the increase in the area. These should be reported to the Police by calling 101, ideally at the time along with vehicle make and registration.

Puzzle time: fill in the missing vowels to make nursery rhymes

1. NTWB CKLM YSH 2. LDK NGC L
3. PPG STHW SL 4. RNG SN DLM NS

Only Connect fans will have an advantage

BROADBAND UPDATE

As you may have seen in the press, the Government have launched their latest broadband strategy. The wait for the launch has delayed the approval of the Weston scheme, however we are hopeful that this will be approved soon.

As soon as we get any information, this will be on the Weston website.

Useful contacts

www.westonparishnotts.org.uk

www.facebook.com/WestonParishNotts

Parish Council : westonpc.notts@gmail.com

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The Great Wall 01636 821257

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If you have other useful contacts or anything to put in the next issue, please let us know

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