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Lyonshall News

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WHAT'S NEW

Keeping you in touch with your community

WELCOME

Welcome to Lyonshall News. Inside you will find matters of interest to you and your community.

This is the first newsletter produced since the COVID19 lockdown and hope it finds you and your family keeping safe and well in these unprecedented times.

Please remember to keep our community safe, follow the current Government advise, consider your neighbours and be kind to one another. Contact us with any queries, comments or suggestions for future content.

**GREAT
REFURBISHMENT
COMPLETED IN THE
MEMORIAL HALL**

**WE LOOK FORWARD
TO USING IT AGAIN**

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Stay Safe  **Keep Healthy**  **Support Local** 

SAFE  **HEREFORDSHIRE**

VILLAGE PLANTING



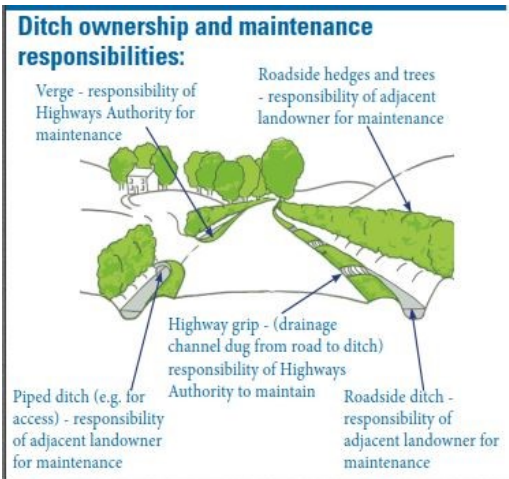
Once again the village flower boxes and roundabout have been beautifully planted by Lyonshall Garden Centre. If you have a planted box near you, please give it some water, especially in this hot weather and don't forget to say hello to the wombles!

ELECTORAL REGISTRATION

You should have received details either by letter, email or text regarding Herefordshire Council annual canvass which you must return, even if there are no changes. You can respond to the canvass online, by text, by phone, or by returning any form sent out to you.

For information contact Herefordshire Council Electoral Services: phone - 01432 260107 or email - canvass@herefordshire.gov.uk

OWNER RESPONSIBILITIES



A huge thank you to parishioners who have kept their hedges trimmed and tidy. A reminder that hedges, ditches and public footpaths are the owners' responsibility to keep clear at all times of the year.

This diagram supplied by Balfour Beatty helps explain the ownership of ditches.

COVID UPDATE

Herefordshire Council has provided a Covid support team to all parishes and volunteers throughout the lockdown period. Now measures are easing this support network is reducing, but Lyonshall volunteer group has decided to continue to support all parishioners by providing essential services to those in need. Thank you to all the volunteers and parishioners involved, including those setting up What's app groups and Facebook pages, which have been a great help.

UPDATE

Lyonshall Parish Council is currently meeting virtually to address parish business. Legislation is now in place to allow virtual meetings which provides a safe environment for Councillors and members of the public to meet.

PLAYGROUND

The Parish Council has decided not to reopen the playground at present following a risk assessment and considerations for the safety of users. This will be reviewed at the next PC meeting in September.

FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE

The Parish Council is currently following government guidance to ensure the safety of volunteers. The group will not be undertaking any maintenance work at present, however, this is under regular review and we are hopeful to resume soon.

GIGACLEAR FIBRE BROADBAND

Gigaclear are working in partnership with Gloucestershire and Herefordshire Councils, to provide ultrafast full fibre broadband to over 70,000 homes and businesses, as part of the Fastershire programme of works. The service is now moving towards Lyonshall and you find more information and can register your interest on [www.https://www.gigaclear.com/fastershire](https://www.gigaclear.com/fastershire).

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Normal activities

IN THE HALL

*Contact organizers for
re-start dates*

Playgroup

Coffee Morning

Bridge Club

Lyonshall bridgeclub.org

Pilates with HelenB

COUNCILLORS

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Rod Bevan	01544 340347
Gill Cowling	01544 340551
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Ray Richards	01544 340563
Andrew Turner	01544 340322
Richard Davies	01544 340517
Becky Bissell (Clerk)	01544 340747
Roger Phillips	01544 340269
(County Councillor)	

Next Parish Council Meetings

Members of Public Welcome

Venue to be confirmed

Thursday 9th Sep 2019 – 7:15pm

Thursday 8th Oct 2019 - 7.15pm

If you would like to contribute to the next issue of Lyonshall News please contact Becky Bissell on 01544 340747 or email lyonshallparishclerk@gmail.com before 15th September 2020.