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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

Don't forget Friday morning coffee in the Memorial Hall. A warm welcome providing an opportunity for the community to come together making important social connections.

Find a pothole—Log it with Herefordshire Council

Herefordshire Council Hotline on **01432 261800** or

www.herefordshire.gov.uk or download the **Hereford Council pothole reporting app** to your mobile.

Footpaths problems: Contact the Footpaths Officer Kate Lomax or the Clerk.

Open Gardens

All around the
village

29th June

11-4pm

Events

See inside

WHATS ON IN LYONSHALL

Lyonshall Social & Events group current schedule:

| Date | Event | Where |
|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| Thursday 6 June 7.30pm | D Day Landing 80th Anniversary - Beacon Lighting | Field above Garden Centre |
| Saturday 8 June 3-6pm | D Day Landing 80th Anniversary - Afternoon Tea & Music | The Memorial Hall |
| Saturday 29 June 11-4pm | Open Gardens | Lyonshall |
| Saturday – August -TBC | Summer BBQ | The Memorial Hall |
| 1st Thursday of each month | Gardening Club | The Memorial Hall |
| 2nd Monday of each month 2 - 4pm | Book Club | The Memorial Hall |

Any queries on any event please contact **Marian Wilson**.

marian4wilson@gmail.com or 07483 850803

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE

Highlights from the Chair's Report 2024 – Lyonshall Parish Meeting

Cllr Steven Futchter continues as chairman, and Andrew Turner vice chair. The Parish Council meet monthly, every second Thursday in the Memorial Hall at 7.30pm. (Occasionally this has to be changed). The Parish Council has 10 members and welcomed new councillor Ollie Hughes this year.

Highway and Traffic issues – the Speed Indicator Devices continue to deter speeding. The Parish Council continues to work on traffic speeding but the size and number of lorries, tractors and trailers still cause problems.

Footpaths – We continue to service and improve the footpaths including the replacement of stiles with dog friendly gates. A small group of volunteers are helping to maintain pathways monthly, usually on the third Monday at 2pm.

In the Playground—New swings and bark have been installed.

Lengthsman Scheme - The Parish Council received grant funding for the Lengthsman scheme to undertake footpaths, mowing, small drainage and parish maintenance works.

(Full reports can be found on www.lyonshall.net)

PUBLIC MEETING UPDATE



YOUR VILLAGE NEEDS YOU!

A meeting was held to allow residents of Lyonshall to discuss and investigate ways of responding to the aftermath of storm Henk in January. The meeting was coordinated by councillors Turner and Cowling and was well attended by 11 residents who we thank very much for attending representing the centre of the village, Webbs Meadow, Holmes Marsh, Burnt Orchard and the wider area. It was a very positive meeting and the general agreement was that there should be a group to respond to any form of emergency in the village and was so named the Major Incident Response Group.

It was agreed that we need to urgently identify and have available contact numbers of the relevant authorities. We also need to compile a list of vulnerable residents and make provision for specific volunteers to be responsible for ensuring their safety or needs during any incident. It was agreed to ask the wider community for volunteers to be available in case of an incident to assist with contacting people, road management and general welfare. It was agreed that through the Parish Council we would approach the Memorial Hall to ask for access if necessary during any emergency. Also that we should look at having designated and trained first aiders on the contact list.

The general outcome was that there is a need for some form of volunteer group to assist in the village during any possible incidents and whilst the parish council can assist and provide support we need more people to come forward to join the group, if you are keen, interested and willing then please contact the clerk or either councillor Turner or Cowling.

NEW WEBSITE

A new subscribers' list is being created for emailing news and events uploaded to the new parish website.

Check it out at www.lyonshall.net

subscribe now even if you were previously registered!

Are you missing out? — **www.lyonshall.net**

Lyonshall has an information packed community website. If you are interested in current news and events then sign up for email news alerts.

Regular Activities

IN THE HALL

*Contact organizers for
information*

Playgroup

Coffee Morning

Bridge Club

Lyonshall bridgeclub.org

Pilates with

HelenB

info@helenbpilates.com

COUNCILLORS

| | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Steven Futchter (Chair) | 01544 340830 |
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| Sandy Lampitt | 01544 340403 |
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| Ray Richards | 01544 340563 |
| Andrew Turner | 01544 340322 |
| Richard Davies | 01544 340517 |
| Oliver Hughes | 07532 128900 |
| Becky Bissell (Clerk) | 01544 340747 |
| Roger Phillips | 01544 340269 |
| (County Councillor) | |

Next Parish Council Meetings

Held in the Hall at 7:30 pm

PC Meeting 13th June

PC Meeting 11th May

No August meeting planned

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 July 2024