



## Poynton Update and News, 17<sup>th</sup> January 2019

### Planning application, 199 Chester Road, Poynton

The Town Council has been notified that the reserved matters planning application for appearance, landscaping, layout and scale for the development at 199 Chester Road, Poynton has been submitted to Cheshire East Council. The last date for submitting comments is the 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2019. To view the planning documents for this application use the link [here](#) and application number 18/6078M.

### Greater Manchester launches Spatial Framework consultation

Local residents are being encouraged to give their views on Greater Manchester's Plan for homes, jobs and the environment after it was approved by Greater Manchester Leaders.

The consultation for the Greater Manchester Spatial Framework (GMSF) is now open and will close on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2019. You can give your views on the new plan for homes, jobs and the environment here: [www.gmconsult.org](http://www.gmconsult.org)

### Air quality monitoring

The Town Council is considering installing a diffusion tube to monitor air quality and has identified the junction of Fountain Place with Park Avenue and the junction of Burton Drive with Chester Road as possible suitable locations. If you live at one of these locations where traffic is frequently standing and would be interested in accommodating a diffusion tube in your garden, please contact Haf Barlow, Deputy Town Clerk, on [haf.barlow@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:haf.barlow@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk) or 01625 872238.

### Hockley Park new play equipment

The old multi-play unit (twin towers and bridge structure) at Hockley Park is being replaced with a more up-to-date structure in time for the school Easter Holidays.

This installation completes the refurbishment of Hockley Park which started with funding from WREN back in 2016. Since then a new double cradle swing unit was installed and funded by Poynton Town Council at the request of residents. The multi-play unit has been funded using S106 monies from the Waitrose development on Park Lane. S106 monies are contributions from local developments.

Work will start in February to remove the old unit with the new equipment and rubber safety surface being installed at the end of March or the start of April.

### Tree work on the Inclines

In line with the Town Council's Inclines Management Plan tree felling and planting is due to take place by the end of March. Residents who live near the works will be informed nearer the time. Any closure of the pathways will be mitigated by diversions where possible. For further information, please contact the Operations Manager, Phil Cunningham, on [phil.cunningham@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:phil.cunningham@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk) or 01625 872238.

### Councillor surgery on 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 6<sup>th</sup> April 2019

Your chance to meet your local Cheshire East and Poynton Town Councillor and Police Community Support Officer to raise any issues about Poynton. Drop-in from 10am to 11am or make an appointment for 11am, 11.20am or 11.40am on 01625 872238.



## Poynton Area Community Partnership (PACP)

The Poynton Area Community Partnership is part of a network of partnerships across Cheshire East, and is an independent group of like-minded councillors, officers and volunteers who represent the interests of Poynton, Adlington, Disley, Mottram St Andrew, Prestbury, Kettleshulme and Pott Shrigley.

Cheshire East Borough Council is also represented. Thanks to funding from Cheshire East the PACP has produced and distributed a useful "Guide To Local Interest, Activity and Hobby Groups", with 56 entries. In addition it has also paid for transport to enable residents to attend falls prevention classes; funded room hire for a carers group's singalong sessions; made a contribution towards some furniture for a village hall; helped fund a community minibus, and is helping with the costs of running a local youth club.

The PACP's vision is to make its residents and neighbourhoods better connected, to support civic pride projects, to promote health and wellbeing, and work to reduce social isolation. Voluntary groups and organisations in those parishes listed above can apply to the PACP for modest grants. Projects need to be aligned to the aims outlined above, and grant applications are fairly evaluated by a PACP sub-committee.

For more information and grant application forms please click <https://www.poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk/poynton-area-community-partnership.htm> Alternatively, e-mail [val.burlison@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:val.burlison@cheshireeast.gov.uk) or call her on 01625 374950.

## Consultation on delivering adult social care services - Care4CE

Care4CE is Cheshire East Councils' internal adult social care provider and provides services to a cross section of society. The services operated by Care4CE are Day Opportunities, Supported Living, Short Breaks, Dementia Reablement, Mental Health Reablement and Shared Lives. The objective of this consultation is to seek the views of residents, service users, carers, staff and anyone else with an interest in Care4CE on the future ways of delivering services.



[Find out more about the options being considered for the future delivery of Care4CE](#)  
[Have your say on the options being considered for the future delivery of Care4CE](#)

There are four public meetings to be held on the following dates and times. Each meeting is expected to last approximately 90 minutes. If you would like to attend, please register via email at [caringcommunications@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:caringcommunications@cheshireeast.gov.uk)

Macclesfield Old Town Hall, 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019, a meeting at 13:00 and another at 17:00.  
Crewe Municipal Building, 21<sup>st</sup> February 2019, a meeting at 13:00 and another at 17:00.  
The consultation will close at 5pm on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

## Can you help? Poynton – A Dementia Friendly Community

In Cheshire East there are estimated to be 5,730 people over the age of 65 living with dementia. 65% are likely to be women and 1 in 20 people over 65 has a form of dementia. Poynton Dementia Steering Group (P.D.S.G.) is a group of volunteers and representatives from different organisations led by Poynton Town Council, who work hard to make Poynton a Dementia Friendly Community. The group raise awareness about dementia and supports people living with dementia and their carers and our activities have been recognised by The Alzheimer's Society as good practice and shared with others.



The group is looking for a volunteer who can help support it with this work. This is a new opportunity and the role involves encouraging engagement with the community and businesses as well as supporting P.D.S.G. meetings. Information about dementia is available so you do not need to be an expert.

For an informal chat or more information about the volunteer role, please contact Sharon Duke on 01625 872238 or [sharon.duke@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:sharon.duke@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk)



## Scam mail

### What is scam mail?

- Scam mail is illegal mail
- Scam mail targets the most vulnerable people
- Scam mail is not normal advertising mail

### What to look out for if someone you know is receiving a large amount of mail?

Are they sending money in response to this mail? If so, they could be a target of scammers.

Should you be concerned that someone you know is in receipt of scam mail, or you think you are, please write to Royal Mail at FREEPOST SCAM MAIL, enclosing any items that are suspected of being scam mail or call the Royal Mail Scam Mail Helpline on 0800 0113466 or email [scam.mail@royalmail.com](mailto:scam.mail@royalmail.com)



## HM Revenue and Customs Alert

Action Fraud has experienced an increase in the reporting of malicious calls, voicemails, text messages and emails to members of the public purporting to be from HMRC requesting payment for unpaid tax. Action Fraud is the UK's national reporting centre for fraud and cybercrime where you should report fraud if you have been scammed, defrauded or experienced cyber crime.

The fraudsters state that as a result of their non-payment of tax or other duty, the victim is liable to prosecution or other legal proceedings such as repossession of belongings to settle the balance but can avoid this by arranging for payment to be made immediately by a method such as bank transfer or by iTunes gift cards. Once the money is paid the suspects sever all contact.

Contact HMRC directly for information about your personal tax situation if you receive such a message. This is their web-site link: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/hm-revenue-customs> For further information contact Action Fraud on 03001232040 or sign up to Cheshire Police Alert using the following link <https://www.cheshirepolicealert.co.uk/pages/1423/1/Register.html>

## Rough Sleepers Service

Cheshire East Council have a new Rough Sleepers Outreach Worker team who will respond to reports of people sleeping rough, assessing the individual's housing and other needs such as health, education, employment and income maximisation and ultimately assisting those individuals into suitable emergency and then longer term accommodation options. To contact them telephone 0300 123 5017 or email [CheshireEastRSI@Cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:CheshireEastRSI@Cheshireeast.gov.uk) or find more information on [www.streetlink.org.uk](http://www.streetlink.org.uk)

## Could you save a life?

Community Resuscitation Officers from North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust delivered two sessions at The Centre on the 11<sup>th</sup> December when 37 local residents were trained to deliver effective cardiopulmonary resuscitation (C.P.R) and use defibrillators (A.E.D's). They are also looking to recruit Community First Responders for Poynton. As a volunteer you will receive extensive training to respond to emergencies. For more information or to apply please email Alison Baxendale [cfr.recruitment@nwas.nhs.uk](mailto:cfr.recruitment@nwas.nhs.uk) or telephone 01772 903989.





### Retro Party, Mayor's fundraising event, Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January, 7.30pm

Join Poynton's Mayor in fundraising for parent teacher association projects at Lower Park, Worth, Vernon and Lostock Hall schools. All are invited to a retro party at Poynton Royal British Legion, Saturday 26th January, 7.30pm. Dancing, DJ and fancy dress. Tickets are £5 and available from Mates DIY or Poynton Royal British Legion.

### New hirer at the Civic Hall

Thursdays 8pm Ceroc. Ceroc is a fun, friendly dance class and social night with a wide range of different dance styles which are easy to learn, sociable and fun. Classes are catered towards a range of different ability levels, from nervous first timer to dance floor master. Welcome to individuals, partners or groups. For more information contact [dance@cerocaddiction.com](mailto:dance@cerocaddiction.com) or Maja on 07983 703166 [www.ceroc.com/24/131/ceroc-poynton?id=96](http://www.ceroc.com/24/131/ceroc-poynton?id=96) [www.facebook.com/pg/CerocAddictionPoynton](https://www.facebook.com/pg/CerocAddictionPoynton)

### Council Community Support Officer appointed

The Town Council welcomes Louise Freeman, who joins Gary Thurgoland and James Hails in the Council Community Support team.

### Activities and events at the Civic Hall

#### January 2019

Mon 21 <sup>st</sup>	8pm	Community, Order and Public Safety Committee
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Retro Party, Poynton British Legion. Tickets £5 from Poynton British Legion or Mates DIY. Fundraising for local schools.
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	8pm -11pm	Poynton Ceilidh. £9/£4.50. Tickets on the door or <a href="http://www.poyntonceilidh.co.uk">www.poyntonceilidh.co.uk</a>
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm 8.15pm	Planning and Environment Committee Finance & General Purposes Committee Meeting

#### February 2019

Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	10am to 12 noon	Joint Town Council, Cheshire East Council and Police working together surgery. Details above
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Management and Establishment Committee
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	1pm - 9pm	Blood Service - appointments only: <a href="http://www.blood.co.uk">www.blood.co.uk</a> , 0161 251 4200
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Planning and Environment Committee Meeting
Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup>	8pm -11pm	Poynton Ceilidh. £9/£4.50. Tickets on the door or <a href="http://www.poyntonceilidh.co.uk">www.poyntonceilidh.co.uk</a>
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Town Council Meeting

#### March 2019

Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	10am to 12 noon	Joint Town Council, Cheshire East Council and Police working together surgery. Details above
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Facilities, Infrastructure and Economic Development Committee Meeting

Liz Osborn, Town Clerk

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