



## Poynton Update and News, 24<sup>th</sup> July 2019

### Civic Award Winners 2019

The Town Council would like to congratulate the recipients of the 2019 Certificates of Civic Service and the Certificates of Youth Civic Service which were presented by the Town Mayor, Cllr Mrs Sarah-Jane Gilmore, at the civic reception on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2019. This followed the Civic Service held at St George's Church. Two people will be presented with their award on a future occasion.

The **Civic Service Awards** were presented in recognition of a sustained and significant contribution to the community to:

**Elaine Bailey**, for her tireless support of our veterans, her work with the Poppy Appeal and fundraising at the Royal British Legion.

**Andrew Barnes**, for his volunteer work as an Enhanced Community First Aid Responder, as a governor to Lostock Hall School, fundraising and organising the annual Beer Festival and helping Santa and the Round Table at Christmas.



**Poynton Golden Memories - Edith Clarke, Judy Hatton and Gerald Scriven**, for their fantastic work spearheading the group and their contribution to Poynton's status as a Dementia Friendly Community.

**Di Penny**, for her hard work fundraising and leading a team to transform the Heritage Garden.

**Robert Sabin**, for his hard work and being an integral part of the team who helped shape the Poynton Neighbourhood Plan.

**Liz Wade**, for her volunteer work for the Poynton Christmas Fest, the Poynton Show and Just Drop In.

**Marjorie Wadsworth**, for her work and dedication over the past 50 years with Poynton Players.

The **Youth Civic Awards** were given in recognition of having shown leadership, initiative, enthusiasm and commitment to a worthwhile cause, of benefit to their peer group and/or the wider community to:

**Emilia Bell, Myer Holt, Amy Jervis and Peri Baytan** for their volunteer work helping at 1<sup>st</sup> Poynton Rainbows over the past 2 years.

**Reece Nolan and Alex Archer**, for their volunteer coaching of young swimmers at Poynton Dippers over the past 4 years.

**Rebecca Taylor, Lauren Kerins, Phoebe Kelly Cooper and Emily Wolffsohn**, for their volunteer work helping at 11<sup>th</sup> Poynton Brownies over the past 2 years.



## Planning Applications - Hazelbadge Road and Sprink Farm, Poynton

The Hazelbadge Road development planning application was considered by the Cheshire East Strategic Planning Board on the 27<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Representatives from the Town Council, a ward councillor and residents attended and spoke against the application. The Strategic Planning Board deferred its decision in order for further consideration to be given to a revised parking/drop off area for the school. The Town Council now awaits revised proposals.

The recent consultation for the full planning application for Sprink Farm (Application 19/1972M) for 150 dwellings has closed but relevant documents including the Town Council's responses can be found [here](#).

## Refurbishment of the 18km overhead power line between Macclesfield and Bredbury

Although electricity supplies will not be affected by the work, the car park and nature reserve at Jacksons' Brickworks will be closed between the 24<sup>th</sup> June and 30<sup>th</sup> August, 24 hours a day. There will be no access to the Middlewood Way from the car park during this closure, however it will still be accessible from Pool House Road.

The main programme of work on the lines will take place between 8<sup>th</sup> July and 16<sup>th</sup> August and there will also be some footpath and road closures while the work is being carried out.

Full details can be found in the following National Grid letters, which refer to different sections of the Middlewood Way: [Letter 1](#) and [Letter 2](#). There is a project information document, which you can download from the National Grid [website](#).

## Community Grants

Poynton Summerfest and the Heritage Garden have recently been awarded Town Council grants of £2,000 and £300 respectively. Did you know that the Town Council has a small annual budget allocation for community grants, and a number of awards are made each year to support community events and Poynton-based voluntary organisations or societies? For further information, please contact the Town Clerk on [haf.barlow@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:haf.barlow@poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk)

## Poynton Town Council at Poynton Show, Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August

Poynton Town Council would like to invite the community of Poynton to join them at the forthcoming Poynton Show event where we will have a stall hosted by the Council Community Support Team. The Team will give an insight into the roles and responsibilities that the Town Council's Support Officers will be involved in on a day to day basis. This will be a great opportunity to meet the Team and inform them of any issues that you may be concerned about in our community. Please do drop by and say hello.



## Chester Road Temporary Closure – End of August 2019

Cheshire East Borough Council anticipate works, from the junction with Burton Drive to the junction with Clifford Road, to carry out carriageway structural patching, will take place on the following dates: Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> - Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2019 between 09.30 and 15.30.

Location: <https://roadworks.org?tm=113873859>. Full details: <https://portal.roadworks.org/downloads/tm/ttro-s14-2-5-day-notice-113873859-3169222.pdf>

Pedestrian access to any premises situated within the temporary closure will be maintained at all times. Vehicular access will be maintained for emergency vehicles and residents where possible.

For any enquiries please contact Cheshire East Highways on 0300 123 5020.



## Poynton Milestone Repair Update

The cast iron metal plate that was attached to the damaged milestone has now been taken away for refurbishment. It has been sand blasted and powder coated to protect it for hopefully another 150 years. A new stone is being cut at a local quarry, which will broadly match the previous design and the refurbished metal plate will then be re-attached and installed in the late Summer.



## Cheshire Chat

NHS Eastern Cheshire CCG are pleased to invite you to their first Cheshire Chat, an opportunity to have a conversation with local health leaders and share your thoughts on local healthcare and help to shape the future of local health services. Cheshire Chat is an additional public engagement forum in Eastern Cheshire that has been introduced as part of the joined up working that is being done with NHS South Cheshire, Vale Royal and West Cheshire Commissioning Groups and in response to the first joint [operational plan](#) across Cheshire. This session is open to the public, interested organisations and partners. They will use the comments you share to support and shape commissioning in the future.

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August, 3.30pm - 5.00pm. Boardroom 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor - [New Alderley House, Victoria Road, Macclesfield SK10 3BL](#). For more information, please email Melanie Baker [melanie.baker12@nhs.net](mailto:melanie.baker12@nhs.net) or Charles Malkin [c.malkin@nhs.net](mailto:c.malkin@nhs.net). Alternatively call on 01625 663824.

## Home From Home Friendship Group

A number of organisations are working in partnership to provide a place for people who are lonely to meet with others in a welcoming, safe environment to enjoy a cuppa and a chat. Activities will be tailored to individuals interests and health and wellbeing advice will also be available.

Home from Home is every other Thursday at 1.30pm – 3.30pm, Poynton Civic Hall. The next few sessions are on the following dates – 1<sup>st</sup> Aug, 15<sup>th</sup> Aug, 29<sup>th</sup> Aug, 12<sup>th</sup> Sept and 26<sup>th</sup> Sept.

To book a place, please contact the Local Area Co-ordinators on 07826 902227 or 07973 949187 who will support people to attend the group, if needed.



## Know your numbers blood pressure training, 16<sup>th</sup> August

Poynton Civic Hall is a Connected Communities Centre and has been awarded blood pressure monitors and training for volunteers in support of 'Know your Numbers', Blood Pressure UK's flagship campaign. The campaign will be from 9<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> September 2019. Training takes place at St Johns Church, Macclesfield (Wilwick Lane, Macclesfield SK11 8RS) on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2019, 10am -1pm. It is being provided by Halton Borough Council Health Improvement Team with the course accredited by City and Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Health and Adult Social Care. If you are interested, please book by emailing [communities@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:communities@cheshireeast.gov.uk) stating that you are representing Poynton's Connected Communities Centre. To discuss further, please contact Sharon Duke, Communities Co-ordinator at Poynton Town Council on 01625 872238.

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## Your next Councillor surgery is on 7<sup>th</sup> September 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 at Poynton Civic Hall from 10am to 11am or make an appointment for 11am, 11.20am or 11.40am on 01625 872238.

## New maths classes at the Civic Hall - starting 10<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Number confidence courses for primary aged children are coming to the Civic Hall in the Autumn. The five week course, costing £75, is based on key National Curriculum skills and is run by a qualified teacher. For more information please contact [learntolovemaths@gmail.com](mailto:learntolovemaths@gmail.com)

## Citizens Advice, amended operating times at Poynton Civic Hall

Tuesday 9.00am —10.00am Appointments only, contact 01625 432847

Tuesday 10.00am —1.00pm Drop-in

Wednesday (remains unchanged) 6pm – 8pm Drop-in

Thursday 9.00am —11.00am Appointments only, contact 01625 432847

Thursday 11.00am —1.00pm Drop-in

## Activities and events at the Civic Hall

### July 2019

Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Mayor's Fundraising Quiz, Poynton Workmens Club. £10 per team of 4. Tickets from Mate's DIY or Poynton Civic Hall.
Mon 29 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Finance and General Purposes Committee meeting

### August 2019

Tues 6 <sup>th</sup>	11.30 - 12.15	**NEW** Zumba Gold, weekly class. Contact Fiona for more information 07894 534653
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Planning and Environment Committee meeting
Sat 24 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Poynton Show, Poynton Pool, SK12 1BS. Tickets available from <a href="http://www.poyntonshow.co.uk">www.poyntonshow.co.uk</a> or Mates DIY and Civic Centre Car park, one week before the show. Tickets also available on the gate.
Fri 30 <sup>th</sup>	1pm - 9pm	Blood Service - appointments only: <a href="http://www.blood.co.uk">www.blood.co.uk</a> , 0161 251 4200

### September 2019

Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup>	8pm	Community, Order and Public Safety Committee meeting
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	10am to 12 noon	Joint Town Council, Cheshire East Council and Police working together surgery. Drop-in 10am to 11am. Call 01625 872238 for appointments at 11am, 11.20am, 11.40am
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Planning and Environment Committee
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Facilities, Infrastructure and Economic Development Committee meeting
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup>	8pm	Town Council meeting
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Planning and Environment Committee

Haf Barlow, Town Clerk

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