



News and Updates from Totland Parish Council April 2020

Parish Council meeting changes. From January the Parish Council have agreed to meet on the 2nd Monday and bi-monthly. Therefore, dates for 2020 are as follows: Monday 9th March, Monday 11th May, Monday 13th July, Monday 14th September, Monday 9th November. Planning meetings will be called as and when required with Extra Ordinary meetings being called in between should they be required. The Annual Parish Meeting will be held at the end of May, date to follow.

Delivery Service: The Village Bakery are offering a door step delivery service to the over 70's or their Bakery products. They will also be sourcing milk and eggs. Call Dave between 9am and 11am on 716400 or leave a message at any time. Remember to leave your name and telephone number.

Open Spaces: Phase 2 of our Stokes Green project has commenced with the ferns being planted. We have also completed Colwell Common tree planting.

Car Boot Sales: Due to the amount of rain we have had since November the Common is very wet added to this the Coronavirus has put doubt as to whether these will go ahead. Please keep updated on our website and/or Facebook page for regular updates.

Men in Sheds continues to run in Totland and they are open on Thursdays between 2pm and 4pm at Turf Walk (weather dependent), all are welcome.

We also have West Wight Men in Sheds who meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday on the Recreation Ground. You can check out their Facebook page West Wight Men in Sheds to see what they are doing. On Thursday's they will hold a woman only session from 10am to 1pm, is this something you might be interested in, drop in to their shed on the Recreation Ground and see what is going on.

West Wight Timebank pop up eco refill scheme continues to run. You can take your empty plastic bottles to have them refilled with washing up liquid, multipurpose cleaner, liquid soap, shampoo, conditioner, shower gel, laundry liquid and fabric conditioner. Prices are competitive and calculated by volume. Cash only please.

- first Friday of month at St Saviours Church Hall 11-12 in Totland
- fourth Friday of the month at Freshwater Library 2-4 **NEW VENUE**
- last Thursday of the month at West Wight Sports Centre 10-12

Foodbank

The Parish Office will continue to be a Collection Point for the Foodbank and we welcome donations for this very good cause and ask if you can please support.

Reminder: Afton Marsh Recycling Centre open days and times:

- Three days a week; Saturday, Sunday and Monday, including bank holiday Mondays.
- 10am to 6pm.

Other Parish Office Services

The Parish Office continues to offer a photocopying and laminating service.

CONTACT DETAILS: Parish Clerk – Mrs Helen Gibbs - Telephone 756028

Totland Parish Council, Winchester House, The Broadway, Totland Bay, PO39 0AX.

The parish office opening days and times are: Monday 10.30am to 12.30pm and Tuesday to Thursday 9.30am – 12.30pm.

Email: totlandparishco@googlemail.com or follow the Clerk on Twitter [@TotlandClerk](https://twitter.com/TotlandClerk). The parish council also have a Facebook page which is updated regularly.

Ward Councillor John Howe Telephone 753414 or email: john.howe@iow.gov.uk

Your Parish Councillors' are: Chairman Jan Cave, Vince Fennell, John Howe, David Filby, Steve Blamire, Helen Wood, Gareth Wyre and Hilary Bennis.