



News and Updates from Totland Parish Council July 2025

Car Boots – Colwell Common

2025 Car Boots are up and running and to date the weather has been great. They will run every Saturday through to the end of September, weather permitting. As long as it is not raining the Car boots will go ahead and these are supported by 5 local groups; West Wight Men in Sheds who operate from the Recreation Ground Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, West Wight Nursery who are based on Summers Lane, West Wight Youth Football, West Wight Heritage Group who have the shop on Avenue Road and 1st Freshwater/Totland Scout Group also on the Recreation Ground.

Litter Bins

The litter bins on Colwell Common and the Recreation Ground are now being emptied by Biffa Waste Services.

Village Hall

These works continue and we are still aiming to be ready for September. We are talking with many groups who are interested in hiring this hall on a regular basis.

Island Roads

The footpath from Colmar Way to Court Road still remains closed due to dangerous trees. Please do not move the barriers to get by until this situation has been resolved. The Parish Council with the Ward Councillor are in talks about this.

Lids on dog poo bins are also being chased for Colwell Chine Road and the sea wall.

Defibrillator Locations: The Waterfront Bar, Needles Battery, Memorial Hall, Colwell Public toilet block, Christ Church, St Saviours Church/School car park and Totland Parish Office. All are easily accessible 24/7.

Recycling: Afton Marsh Recycling Centre open Saturday, Sunday and Monday – You can take household rubbish, however, you **MUST** book a time online or over the telephone. You **cannot** just turn up; you will be sent away. You can book a same day slot.

Help with recycling centre bookings: Contact information - Contact Waste and Environment 01983 823777

Monday to Thursday 8.30am to 5.00pm and Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm.

CONTACT DETAILS: Parish Clerk – Mrs Helen Gibbs - Telephone 01983 756028

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

The parish office opening days and times are: Monday – Thursday 9.00am to 12.30pm.

Email: clerk@totlandparishcouncil.org.uk. The parish council also have a Facebook page which is updated regularly.

Ward Councillor Chris Jarman – email: chris.jarman@iow.gov.uk

Telephone 0790 500 2834 Ward Councillor Surgeries are held in the office on a Thursday between 9am and 10am. Please check in advance to ensure this is going ahead should you wish to talk with Councillor Jarman.

Parish Council meetings commence at 6.00pm and remain the second Monday of the month subject to change, with no meetings held in August, October or December. Meeting location is now the Village Hall on The Broadway.

Your Parish Councillors' are: Chairman Gareth Wyre, Jan Cave, Vince Fennell, Steve Blamire, Chris Jarman and Elaine Smith.