



News and Updates from Totland Parish Council February 2023

Warm Spaces at the Memorial Hall – small hall

Totland Parish Council have teamed together with the Memorial Hall and the Friday Market to offer a Warm Space between 9.00am and 12 noon starting Friday 6th January 2023. There will be free tea, coffee and biscuits available in the small hall and comfortable seating. You will also be able to charge your phone, relax and have a chat with us. The West Wight Community Connector, Adam, will attend most weeks between 9am and 10am also to help with problems you may have. Please also remember the Food Bank at Colwell Baptist Church hall is also open on Fridays only.

Due to how the bank holidays work out this year and the additional one for May, we have a change of meeting dates. The April meeting will be the 1st Monday and there will be no May meeting. The Annual Parish Meeting will be Tuesday 28th March 2023 in the Church Hall.

We are looking to build a team of volunteers for our planters around the village. We currently have a few who do a great job and we would like to add to this. We have 4 troughs outside the Parish Office and if you would like to look after 1 please pop in and have a chat to the Clerk.

The Car Boots for 2023 will be advertised shortly with some changes to the host. This has become very popular over the years and Councillors would like to give other Totland charities a chance this year. They will continue to run every Saturday.

****** NEW Emailing List ******

Councillors are building an emailing list for Totland residents in order that we can communicate with you quicker. Information will only ever come from Totland Parish Council and no junk email will be involved. If this is something you would be interested in joining, please email totlandmail@gmail.com with your name, address and postcode.

Defibrillator Locations: The Waterfront Bar, Needles Battery, Memorial Hall, Colwell Public toilet block and Totland Parish Office. All are easily accessible 24/7.

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

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 9.30am to 12.30pm.
Email: clerk@totlandparishcouncil.org.uk 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 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.

Your Parish Councillors' are: Chairman Jan Cave, Vince Fennell, John Howe, Steve Blamire, Helen Wood, Gareth Wyre, Hilary Benns and Chris Jarman.