

## **News and Updates from Totland Parish Council November 2021**

Parish Council meetings until December will be held at the Totland Bay Bowling Club which is by the Recreation Ground. Meetings will commence at 7pm and Totland residents are welcome.

**Remembrance Sunday**: This year the Royal British Legion West Wight Branch Annual Service of Remembrance will be held at the Totland War Memorial on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November. The parade will muster by the War Memorial at 10.45am. The Last Post will be sounded at 11.00am followed by a two minute silence and Reveille. The wreath laying ceremony will then take place and on completion, there will be a Remembrance Sunday service at Christchurch, Church Hill. All are welcome to attend.

Totland Recreation Ground – The Cycle Skill Track consultation days in October were well received and if you did not have a chance to come along to this, please drop into the Parish Office to see the plans and have your say.

The path from Stokes Green down to the seafront has been closed for now. The surface needs repairing, and we expect this to reopen early Spring.

**Defibrillator Locations:** The Waterfront Bar, Needles Battery, Memorial Hall and Colwell Public toilet block. All are easily accessible.

The West Wight Men in Sheds raised enough money through the Car Boots on Colwell Common this year to purchase a defibrillator which has been positioned outside the Parish Office on The Broadway.

## **Foodbank**

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

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

**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 & Tuesday 10am – 1pm and Wednesday & Thursday 9am-12 noon.

Email: <a href="mailto:clerk@totlandparishcouncil.org.uk">clerk@totlandparishcouncil.org.uk</a> or follow the Clerk on Twitter <a href="mailto:@TotlandClerk">@TotlandClerk</a>. The parish council also have a Facebook page which is updated regularly.

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

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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.