



News and Updates from Totland Parish Council October 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.

The Colwell Car Boot Sales came to an end in September, and we would like to thank everybody that came along to support these whether you were a buyer or seller. We will be back next year starting in May and run every Saturday until the end of September.

The Beach Buoys at Widdick Chine have been a huge success this year and then had been removed at the end of September, don't worry though because they will be back in May 2022. Colwell launching channel was removed and they will also be back May 2022.

The Totland Christmas Fair will be back on Colwell Common
We are still waiting to hear back as to whether we have been successful for a small grant to carry out works to the roundabout on The Broadway.

Totland Recreation Ground – The Cycle Skill Track is moving forward with plans now being drawn up. If you have any questions relating to this, please contact the Parish Office. We will hold a day of consultation on the Recreation Ground for all who want to see our plans. This date will be advertised in the Parish Office window and on the Website along with other social media pages.
During September we had vandalism to the play equipment with a fire being set in the tunnel. The West Wight Men in Sheds helped to repair this and we thank them for this. Youth have been seen hanging around the park and spilling fizzy drinks down the slide and generally disrespecting the facility and other users. If you know who this is please let the Clerk know or if you can speak with them about the dangers this can cause to small children who enjoy the park.

The New Carnival Company are running Crossing the Bar this month with the Walking Festival look out for posters inviting you to join in.

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

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

CONTACT DETAILS: Parish Clerk – Mrs Helen Gibbs - Telephone 756028
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The parish office opening days and times are: Monday & Tuesday 10am – 1pm and Wednesday & Thursday 9am-12 noon.
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.

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

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