



# TOWN TALK

## Broseley Town Council's Newsletter

### Welcome

Welcome to our new Town Councillor!!

We welcome and congratulate our new Town Councillor, Su Evans-Turner who was co-opted on 11 October 2021. A list of all Councillors' names and contact numbers is given below, together with details of the wards they represent. Town Councillors serve in a voluntary capacity and are elected for a 4-year term of office.

### Play Schemes

This Year's Summer and Autumn Play Schemes were organised by Broseley Town Council and were fully funded by grants from Shropshire Council, this enabled up to 60 children each day to participate in fun activities during the school holidays. The schemes were delivered very well.



### Christmas Play Scheme

We are pleased to announce that we will be facilitating a Christmas themed play scheme between 20 December - 23 December within the Birchmeadow Centre for school aged children 5-10 to book you child's place please visit the Town Council website <https://broseley-tc.gov.uk/christmas-play-scheme>

### Broseley Library

We are back open for browsing, our opening hours are: Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 10:00am – 1:30pm and 1:30pm – 2:00pm.

Children's Rhyme Time returned on Thursday 7 October 2021, if you are interested in joining the sessions please book in with our Library Staff.

### Council Meetings

Full Council meetings are held on the second Tuesday of every month at the Birchmeadow Centre at 7.00pm. Agendas for all meetings are available from the Town Clerk and are displayed on town notice boards and on the Council website.

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## Broseley Muga

Broseley MUGA is back open and available for hire: please call 07746 913170

## Councillor Surgeries

Our upcoming chat to a Councillor events will take place within the Victoria Hall on the following dates:

27 November 2021, 22 January 2022 and 26 February 2022 between 10am – 12pm.

Please Note if you have any questions for your local Police Officers they will be present at our November event. these are drop-in sessions so no appointment is necessary, this is the perfect opportunity for you to put any questions or suggestions you have to your Town Councillors and your Shropshire Councillor, Cllr. Caroline Bagnall.

We look forward to seeing you there!

**Business and Enterprises in Broseley** – Our aim is to help promote and develop businesses, this event will be held at the Victoria Hall alongside the Councillor Surgery in November between 9am -1pm.

## Senior Citizens “Welcome Back” Event

The Covid pandemic has had a detrimental effect on everyone’s lives but especially the elderly population, it was great to encourage them to gain confidence to get out again and to enjoy a social event with their friends and family, who they may not have seen in some time.

In partnership with the friendly bus we facilitated a welcome back party for the Town’s senior citizens, on Sunday 10 October 2021.

The event was delivered extremely well, this was a fantastic team effort, thank you to all Involved.

We are hopeful to organise another event for Senior Citizens next year.

## Christmas Lights

Switch on day is Saturday 27 November, and we’re delighted to announce that alongside the Christmas Lights event, the great team at Friendly Bus are organising a Pop Up Market, under the Broseley Bounces Back initiative. This will be held in the Victoria Hall. A huge thank you to the Christmas Lights Committee for all of their hard work putting this event together.

## Citizen of the Year

Town Councillors considered nominees, and awarded **Gail Hall** as this year’s Citizen of the year and **Flora Swankie** for young Citizen of the Year, both have given a huge amount of their spare time to volunteer within our Town, and to make the Town a better place, their fundraising efforts were also notable. Well done both!!

There will be an event on 11 December 2021 within the Birchmeadow Centre, where the Town Mayor will present Gail and Flora with an award for the recognition.

## Let there be light

Whitehall Gardens is an unadopted road and is home to around 12 properties. This month the elderly residents welcomed the installation of 4 solar powered street lights fully funded by Broseley Town Council, with help from Cllr. Roy Childs pursuing with this project, this has made an instant change to the resident’s environment.

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