

*Delivering a brighter, greener future for all*

### A Message from the Mayor

The town council is here to serve the people of Warminster and work with residents. Please speak to us, get involved and tell us what you like and don't like.

The town council needs your input to deliver the best outcomes.

You can find contact details for all councillors on the town council website.

We are continuing to improve the park every year and the council has taken the exciting decision to breathe new life into the play area and construct a splash pad.

Two of my priorities are pushing forward with green issues and listening to the voices of young people.

We are looking at replacing the old heating system in the civic centre with a greener alternative.

There have been some staff changes - Emma is our new Civic Centre Manager and there are several other new staff.



We are taking on a Horticultural apprentice, providing a great opportunity for them and the council.

During my term I will be fundraising for the Wessex Multiple Sclerosis Therapy Centre and Cure DM Myotonic Dystrophy UK. Follow my progress on the Town Council Facebook page. If you would like to make a donation, please contact the town council.

### Out of this world splash pad

During those hot summer days there is nothing better than heading off to the park loaded with swimming cozies and sun cream for some family fun time. Next year an exciting new space themed splash pad will land in Warminster Lake Pleasure Grounds with 12 water features. Keep the children entertained for hours with the twin tipper, a floor tap activator, a leaping arc, a peacock, an arching water fence, a rocket blast, a post activator, a spray shooter cannon, a sea squirt and three hydro blasts. Little ones can also play in the paddling pool area with a sluice gate.

Work begins September 2021, and the splash pad will open in time for the warm weather in 2022.



## **Just some of the things the Town Council is responsible for:**

- The Lake Pleasure Grounds
- The Pavilion Café
- 9 Play Areas
- Hanging baskets
- Street sweeper – ‘Basil Brushes’
- Public Toilets in central car park
- The Obelisk and War Memorial
- Yeates Meadow
- CCTV for Warminster and Westbury

## **Grants to Community Groups**

This year Warminster Town Council has awarded more than £20,000 to help local groups. Councillors agreed to help 17 different organisations ranging from the Copheap volunteers to the Warminster and Westbury Visually Handicapped Club.

Some money is still available from the 2021 – 2022 grants budget, if you are with a local group, which has not already applied for a grant, and you would like to apply, please contact Warminster Town Council.

## **Volunteer Community Speed Watch**

Address speeding in our community and volunteer for the community Speed Watch in Warminster.

Community Speed Watch is a scheme to allow volunteers to monitor the speed of passing vehicles using a hand-held speed detection device. These details are passed to the Police, who will issue a letter to the vehicle owner, advising them of the dangers of speeding, and reminding them of the law. Volunteer today and Email: [admin@warminster-tc.gov.uk](mailto:admin@warminster-tc.gov.uk)

## **Banish litter and “love where you live”**

We’re on a mission to clear litter from our streets and parks. Picking litter is a gratifying way to help clean up the environment and we want to say a huge thank you to the individuals and groups who regularly litter pick on their daily walks or organise litter picks on their patch.

Of course, we all want to prevent littering in the first place that’s why we want to get as many people involved in our litter picks as possible. Now that the restrictions are easing,

we are relaunching the Community Litter Picks and we would love you to join us. Become a litter champion for as little as an hour and take pride in your community. Litter pickers, hi vis, refuse bags and gloves are supplied. Watch out for Community Litter Pick dates on our website.

## **Volunteer CCTV**

We are looking for CCTV volunteers to support the monitoring of the CCTV system and make a valuable contribution to our community.

Do you have:

- Strong powers of concentration.
- Good communication skills.
- Are you discreet?
- Able to react quickly and calmly.

If you are interested in this fulfilling role, please contact Warminster Town Council.

## **Pavilion Café**

The Pavilion Café is open during the summer from 10am – 5pm every day. Enjoy delicious snacks, sausage rolls, cakes, ice creams and hot and cold drinks.

## **Find us:**

**Please see our website for councillor contact details:**

[www.warminster-tc.gov.uk](http://www.warminster-tc.gov.uk)

**Warminster Lake Pleasure Grounds Facebook page:**

<https://www.facebook.com/warminsterpark>

**Warminster Town Council and Civic Centre Facebook page:**

<https://www.facebook.com/warminstertowncouncil>

**Instagram:**

<https://www.instagram.com/warminstertown>

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