

Hi All,

An extra special E-Letter mid week.

What is always a busy time of year for all of us has become extremely hectic with all the new things that are bursting around us. This e-letter will be first of two this week -the second will appear over next weekend sometime-not quite sure when.

I will start with a message from Barbara and Tony White, who live in Church Street. Tony had a nasty health incident last week, that turned out to be a stroke. Fortunately, thanks in no small part to the very rapid response to an emergency call, it has had a good outcome, and Tony is now back at home, reasonably well, and out of danger. Barbara and Tony have asked me to pass on their thanks for all the kind wishes and cards that people have sent to Tony, and the kindness that has been shown to them in this difficult time. It is nice to hear good things about our medical services, when the media seem to publish nothing but negative news.

The big news items this week the launch of the new Parish Council Web site, and the launch of an appeal to build a Lych Gate as an entry to our beautiful cemetery. There is a lot of other new stuff too, all of which is detailed in the e-letter below.

John



On Sunday ,at 6.30pm the village celebrated the lighting up of the Christmas Tree (complete with new lights). Chard Band was there to help the celebrations, along with mountains of mince pies and gallons of mulled wine, guaranteeing a good time was had by all. The children enjoyed it too, especially when Father Christmas turned up. Organised by the Street Fair Committee-well done!

WINSHAM E-LETTER




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<p>NEW! Winsham Parish Council has its own Web site</p>	<p>Managed and edited by Teresa Pinder, Parish Clerk <i>(She who must be obeyed!)</i></p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>NEW! An appeal for money to build a multi-function entrance to our beautiful cemetery.</p>	<p>The Winsham LYCH GATE Appeal-a novel approach to fund raising-pay no money now!</p>	<p>Click HERE for all the information</p>
<p>NEW! Winsham-Make it better A new Parish Council initiative</p>	<p>A 'MUST' read for everyone.</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>NEW! 'Winsham on the Web'</p>	<p>All about Winsham's 'on-line ' services. Learn how social media</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>

	has doubled visits to the Winsham Parish Web Site	
COMMUNITY MATTERS	In response to new Parish Council Web Site, the Parish Web site has changed.	Click HERE
WINSHAM'S CHRISTMAS CALENDAR (Some new events have been added)	All the Christmas events in one place (Switch on your speakers!)	Click HERE
WINSHAM GETS A DEFIBRILLATOR	Another good reason for popping along to 'The Bell'	Click HERE
Winsham Defibrillator Fund Raising	Between the 11th and the 18th December, at 'The Bell' raffle tickets can be purchased for a Christmas Cake, donated by Vivian Smith and Rita Brown	Another good reason for popping along to 'The Bell'
WINSHAM SHOP	Christmas Opening	Click HERE
WINSHAM FAMILY CIRCLE More details in Joint Parish Mag-P.9	VILLAGE CHRISTMAS CARD DELIVERY	Proceeds to St. Stephen's Tower Fund Deliver cards to Shop by Friday ,18th Dec. Min. Donation-5p per card.
Wells Cathedral	Carol Service 12th December 6.15 for 7.00pm	Click HERE
Winsham School	Christmas Carols 16th December **** Christmas Fair 5th December ***** School Christmas Play	Click HERE *** Click HERE **** Click HERE

	<p>11th December **** Christmas Fair Donations for Hamper</p>	<p>**** Click HERE</p>
<p>Pick your own Christmas Tree</p>	<p>Staple Farm Staple Fitzpaine 6th December</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>Jubilee Hall Lottery 2015</p>	<p>Final Draw results</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>WINSHAM CALENDAR 2016</p>	<p>NOW ON SALE IN WINSHAM SHOP</p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p>
<p>WINSHAM SCHOOL</p>	<p>Weekly E-Letter</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>CLAPTON & WAYFORD FILM SOC.</p>	<p>Programme for 2015-2016</p>	<p>Click HERE for details</p>
<p>HAWKCHURCH FILM NIGHTS</p>	<p>Programme October -December 2015</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>Market Place</u> on the Parish web Site Lots of new ads!</p>	<p>Sponsored by Winsham Shop-see lots of new ads by local suppliers</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p><u>For all newcomers to the Parish</u></p>	<p>WINSHAM'S 'WELCOME PACK'</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>
<p>St.Stephen's Church Details of services for November and December, and information about coming Church events.</p>		<p>Click HERE for Church Index</p>
<p>Somerset Museums</p>	<p>Gives you details of most of the Museums in</p>	<p>Click HERE</p>

UPDATED-a really useful web site.	Somerset.	
Drimpton Village		Click HERE
Thorncombe Village Trust		Click HERE for link
Thorncombe Parish Web Site		Click HERE for link



Take a picture of your pet-you never know when you will wish you had!

The Winsham e- letter will always help find missing pets.

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