

Tibberton Times

Newsletter for Tibberton and Cherrington

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A Merry Christmas to All Our Readers!

If you have any items or suggestions for future editions, please get in touch. The 20th of the month is cut-off date for the following month's edition.

Email: tibberton.times@outlook.com

Other sources of information:

The website www.tibbertonshropshire.org contains much useful information about the village, its activities and events. Facebook has Tibberton Talk, with information to which you are welcome to contribute.

Tibberton and Cherrington Parish Council website is

www.tibbertonandcherringtonpc.org.uk

Tibberton Shop – website:

<https://www.tibbertonvillageshop.co.uk>

Community Christmas Event

Tibberton Village Hall - Thursday

12th December starting 1.30pm

Bring the children to see Father Christmas who will be in the village handing out presents. We will have all the usual festivities, including music, trade stands, a raffle, samples of food, cheese, etc. Orders will be taken for wreaths, turkeys and other Christmas goodies.

From 1.30pm until 2.30pm children from the school will be meeting Father Christmas in his grotto in the Village Hall.

From 2.30 until 4pm children from the school will be performing songs and carols.

From 2pm until 7.30pm mulled wine, mince pies, tea and coffee will be available, and the village shop will be open.

From 3pm until 7.30pm goods will be for sale on trade stands in the Village Hall.

Between 6pm and 7pm Tibberton Music will be performing popular Christmas songs in the marquee – everyone can join in – songsheets will be provided.

At 6.30pm Father Christmas will arrive with his elves.

Between 5pm and 7.30pm The Sutherland Arms will be selling Pulled Pork Baps, Stuffing and Apple Sauce **at the Village Hall.**

Thanks to the Village Shop, the WI, the Village Hall, the community, Newport Rotary Lite, and many others.

Order Your Christmas Turkey

Bob Hampton will be taking orders for Christmas Turkeys and Turkey Crowns again this year. These have proved very popular in the past so be sure to place your order in plenty of time. Order forms are in Tibberton Community Shop. Please complete a form with your requirements and contact details, and be sure to leave a £10 deposit. **Last orders 12th December**

Film Show – for children (of all ages)

The Village Hall Trust together with the Village Shop have provided the money for the purchase of a projector and screen for use by various groups.

Our first film showing will be *The Polar Express*, a classic Christmas film for all the family. Bring your children in their pyjamas and a dressing gown for this magical experience.

It will be shown on **Monday December 30th 2024** at 3.00pm. Cost is £3 for one child and £2 for each sibling, which will also cover a cup of squash and a biscuit.

Bring your cushion or a blanket and get comfy. Each child must be accompanied by a responsible adult for the duration of the film. Keep an eye on Tibberton Talk for updates.

Carol Singing round the village

Join us for a walk round the village singing carols, on **Thursday 19th December**, starting at 7pm and ending with a sing-song in the Sutherland Arms at around 9pm. Carol sheets will be provided. Remember to wrap up warm, and bring a torch!

Christingles

We will be making Christingles in the Village Hall at 10am on Monday 23rd December. Please come and join the fun. It usually takes just over an hour, depending on numbers.

Important Meeting

The outline planning application for 85 homes on the edge of Tibberton Village will be discussed at the Parish Council Meeting on 18th December 2024 at 7.00pm in the Village Hall as part of the public session. All residents are welcome to attend.

Tibberton Village Hall

Please see the timetable inside the noticeboard between the hall door and the shop to see what activities and groups are available in the village.

If you wish to book the hall, please contact Ann Harman, tibbertonvillagehall@outlook.com

Mums and Toddlers Group

The Mums and Toddlers Group runs on Monday mornings during term time from 9 until 11. £2 per child and £1 for siblings. If you are interested or would like to help and be involved, please email Debbie on deb.murd1@sky.com The last session for the term will be on Monday 16th December.

Tibberton Bridge Club

Tibberton Bridge Club is a friendly, welcoming club. If you would like to play duplicate bridge on Tuesdays in the Village Hall, starting at 7pm, or you would like more info, please contact Graham Eyles on 550494 or eyles333@gmail.com

Table Tennis in the Village Hall

Tuesdays: social doubles. 11.15am-12.45pm.
Contact Graham on 550494

Thursdays: slightly more competitive singles.
10.30am-11.30am. Contact Lynne on 550557

Knit/Sew/Craft

A warm welcome for everyone can be had on the second and fourth Monday of each month in the Village Hall from 2pm until 4pm. £2. Bring along your knitting, sewing or crafting, or just come along for a cuppa and a chat. Tea, coffee and biscuits provided.

There will be no session on Monday 23rd December.

Tibberton Art Space

Why not come and splosh some paint on canvas or enjoy the slow pace of sketching with a pencil? Have fun, de-stress and exercise your brain. Meets in the Village Hall on Wednesdays from 10am until noon.

Cost £3 per session. Contact Margaret on 07711 816 294 or email:

margaretgallier@hotmail.com

Coffee, Tea and Company

Peter and Ann Harman and Sandra Talbot will be hosting a monthly Pop-In at the Village Hall at 2.30pm on the first Monday of every month, as Rev. Kay Rogers is unavailable currently. Anybody is invited to pop in for a chat.

Tibberton Music

Our own Band and Choir meet on Thursdays in the Village Hall at 2pm until 3.30 pm. New members will be very welcome. No auditions, and you don't need to be an expert to join in for a sociable and enjoyable time.

Local Post Box Times

Cherrington: Mon-Fri 9.00am Sat 7.00am

Tibberton:

(main road in the hedge near Back Lane)

Mon-Fri 9.00am Sat 7.00am

(main road opposite Plantation Road)

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Keeping Active

Ladies Keep Fit/Dance

Join Mary Birks on Tuesday mornings during term times between 9.30 and 10.30 in the Village Hall. All ages and abilities welcome. Bring a towel and a mat. Cost: £5.

Yoga

Classes on Monday evenings in the Village Hall. New dates are 2nd and 16th December (not 9th). For booking and payment information or for more info, contact lizhillyyoga@gmail.com, or visit <https://www.lizhillyyoga.com/about>

Home Security

The Parish Council has had a meeting to discuss home security with the local police and PCSOs. A letter outlining the main points can be obtained from the Parish Council website -details on Page 1.

Trading Standards Scams

The Parish Council have received from T&W's Trading Standards Manager a page of useful advice about avoiding scams This will be available from the Parish Council website -details on Page 1.

Recycling and Rubbish Collection

Alternate weeks:

1. red top bin and food waste bin
2. green garden waste, purple top recycling bin and food waste bin

The food waste bin is collected every week

Tibberton: usually Tuesday mornings

Cherrington: usually Friday mornings

Tibberton – December

Tues 3rd, Tues 17th and Tues 31st - Red top,

Tues 10th & **Mon 23rd** Recyc.& Green Bins.

Cherrington – December

Fri 6th and Fri 20th – Red top,

Fri 13th and **Sat 28th** – Recyc. & Green Bins.

Local Bus Times – No.103 Mon-Fri

Tibberton to Newport	Newport to Tibberton
0801 (schooldays only)	0705
0819 (school hol's only)	0720
1019	0835
1149	1050
1359	1220
1634	1600
1829	1850
1929	

The 0801 service is open to all passengers.

Also on schooldays an extra no. 105 bus leaves Burton Borough at 1515 and Adams Grammar at 1519, and arrives at Tibberton at 15-32. Buses take approximately 15 minutes in either direction.

Village Shop Opening Hours & News

Mon to Fri 7.30 to 10.00 and 3.00 to 5.00
 Sat 8.30 to 11.00 and 3.00 to 5.00
 Sun 8.30 to 11.00

Would you like to Volunteer in the shop? The more the merrier! Our Village Shop is offering opportunities to experience what it is like to volunteer, buddying up with an existing volunteer for a shift or two. If this is something you might like to try, maybe with a friend, please contact Lucy via lucytucker1983@hotmail.com for more information and to schedule a session for you.

The shop is launching a prize draw competition in the new year. More details in January.

The Sutherland Arms

Karl and Lauren and Craig and Amy offer a warm welcome, a fine range of Marston's beers, and a varied, tasty menu, including specials from the pizza oven. **Opening Hours – every day:**

Bar Service 12 noon to 11pm
 Food 12 noon to 9pm

A pub quiz is held every month, on the third Sunday, starting at 7.30pm. Maximum 6 people per team, usually £1 per person but come in some sort of Christmas clothing for free entry. Cash Prizes.

Village Calendar for December 2024

Church Services:

December 2024 Services

Sun 1 st	10.30am	Service of the Word
Sun 8 th	9.00am	Holy Communion
Sun 15 th	10.30am	Service of the Word
Sun 22 nd	4.00pm	Carol Service
Tues 24 th	3.00pm	Christingle
Tues 24 th	10.00pm	"Midnight" Holy Communion
Sun 29 th	10.30am	Holy Communion for all six Parishes at St. John's, Bolas

Village Walk

December's walk will be held on Monday 2nd December, starting at 10.30am from the Sutherland Arms car park. Further details from Jane Moore on 550599.

Parish Council

There is a public session at the start of every Parish Council meeting, to which you are all invited. 7pm start in the Village Hall. Agenda and minutes are published on the website: <http://www.Tibbertonandcherringtonpc.org.uk/>
 The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 18th December 2024
 Please come along and join in local affairs.

Village Bike Ride

December's ride will be on Tuesday 17th December, starting from the Sutherland Arms at 11am. Easy pace, about 15 to 20 miles, with a drink/eat break, usually in the middle. All welcome, including e-bikes.

January 2025 Services

Sun 5 th	10.30am	Service of the Word
Sun 12 th	9.00am	Holy Communion
Sun 19 th	10.30am	Service of the Word
Sun 26 th	9.00am	Holy Communion

Note that the Service of Readings and Carols will be held at 4pm in the village Church on Sunday 22nd December, with the Old Rec's accompanying the carols, and refreshments to follow. All welcome!

There will be "A Ceremony of Carols – with guest harpist Becki Luff" by The Beaumaris Singers in Tibberton Church on Sunday 15th December from 3.00pm until 5.00pm. Becki is an award winning harpist, and will be joined by Evy King on piano. Tickets are £12 for adults and £6 for under 18s. Tickets available from Choir members or via this link:

<https://buytickets.at/beaumarissingersofnewportshropshire/1452029>

Weekly Events in the Village Hall:

Mondays	9.00 – 11.00	Mums and Toddlers - during term time
Mondays	7.30 – 9.00pm	Yoga – see page 2
Tuesdays	9.30 – 10.30	Ladies Keep Fit / Dance – during term time
Tuesdays	11.15 – 12.45	Doubles Table Tennis
Tuesdays	7 pm	Bridge Club
Wednesdays	10.00 – 12.00	Tibberton Art Space
Thursdays	10.30 am	Singles Table Tennis
Thursdays	2.00 – 3.30 pm	Tibberton Music – Band and Choir

Other Events in December 2024:

Monday 2 nd	10.30am	Village Walk – Meet at Sutherland Arms Car Park
Monday 2 nd	2.30 to 4.00pm	Coffee, Tea and Company in the Village Hall
Monday 9 th	2.00pm	Knit/Sew/Craft in the Village Hall
Thursday 12th	1.30pm	Village Christmas Event
Sunday 15 th	7.30pm	Quiz in the Sutherland Arms
Tuesday 17 th	11.00am	Village Bike Ride from the Sutherland Arms
Wednesday 18th	7.00pm	Parish Council Meeting in the Village Hall
Thursday 19 th	7.00pm	Carol Singing – starting from the Village Hall
Monday 30 th	3.00pm	Film Show in the Village Hall

People to Contact:**Parish Council:**

Chair	Nick Eyles	550133	eyles333@gmail.com
Clerk	Claire Chapman	07938 045947	clerk@tibbertonandcherringtonpc.org.uk
Borough Councillor	Stephen Burrell	07794 213506	stephen.burrell@telford.gov.uk

Telford & Wrekin Council
MyTelford app if possible. Go to T&W's website and choose the "My Telford" option to register or to sign in.

Village Hall:

Chair	Monica Fawcett	550235	
Secretary	Clive Grainger	550582	cliveg77@outlook.com
Bookings	Ann Harman		tibbertonvillagehall@outlook.com

Village Shop:

Secretary	Nick Greenall	550021	
Volunteers	Lucy Beeston		lucytucker1983@hotmail.com
Shop Phone		551321	
Website	https://www.tibbertonvillageshop.co.uk		

All Saints Church:

Rector	Currently Vacant.		
Curate	Rev. Kay Rogers	07378 252716	kay.the6parishes@gmail.com
Parish Administrator	Tue & Thu 10am to 1pm	07835 823832	the6parishes18@gmail.com
Church Wardens	Peter Harman	550070	
	Sandra Davies	541757	
Bell Ringing	Mark Bushby	550716	markallan4691@icloud.com

Tibberton School:

Head of School	Mr Craig Battrick		
Administrator	Laura Broome	387790	A3109@taw.org.uk

Harper Adams University:

Student Conduct and Community Officer – Martin Machin conductandcommunity@harper-adams.ac.uk

Neighbourhood Watch:

Coordinator Vacancy

Support the Businesses who support us

We have space for new ads. If you have a business within Tibberton/Cherrington and would like a couple of lines, contact Tibberton.times@outlook.com

Blossom's Pet Services - a Registered Veterinary Nurse and Clinical Animal Behaviour Student offering pet services in Tibberton and surrounding areas. Fully insured and DBS checked. Contact Bloss at blossomspetservices@gmail.com for more information'

Foot Health Care – by Michelle FHP dip Rfhp. All your foot care needs from nail trimming and thinning, corn/callus removal, fungal nail treatments and much more. £35 for complete treatment – call 07539 214 572

JT Window and Gutter Cleaning. For a free quote, please call 07724 094055

Phil's Travel – Private Hire – Airports and long distance. Fully licensed. Let Phil take the strain of driving. Ring 550750 or 07891 975688 or email: phil@philstravel.co.uk

Relax Cabin – In Cherrington, offering a range of relaxation and pampering treatments including Hot Stone Massage, Facials, Aromatherapy Massage, Swedish Massage and Reflexology. www.relaxcabin.co.uk

Slimming World – Great groups at Newport Cricket Club Thurs 9am and 5.30pm, and at St Peter & Paul Church Hall Newport Saturdays 8.00am and 9.30 am. Ring Debbie for details on 07472 282975.

The Sutherland Arms – meals, drinks, private parties. A warm welcome. Inside and outside seating. Ring 551113 to book.

Sutherland Croft Blinds – for all your Blinds, Shutters, Curtains and Outdoor Shading Needs, give Paul or Michelle a call. 01952 457988 or 07415 280490.

Taskers – Windows and doors – UPVC or composite – installations, repairs or replacements. Contact Brendan on 550757 or 07757 225080

Tibberton Motor Repairs – Servicing and repairs of cars and light commercial vehicles. Contact Graham or Brian on 550521