



Council Corner

August and September 2016

Hayle Town Council is holding a photo competition!

Send us your favourite photo of Hayle for your chance to have it featured on the front cover of the next edition of the Hayle Town Guide (Spring, 2017). Runners up photos may also be used on the internal pages of the guide. The photographer of all entries used will be acknowledged in print.

The competition is open to everyone. You can enter a maximum of five images; please make sure that each one faithfully represents the scene as you saw it and that you provide a brief description of the view and/or location (your photos may include people). The closing date for entries is 30 September 2016.

Please note that copyright of the images will remain with the photographer, but by submitting you grant permission to Hayle Town Council to use the images in any promotional material and free of charge.

Please email your photos as JPEG files of between 8MB and 15MB (240dpi to 300dpi) each to the town council office at townclerk@hayletowncouncil.net. Don't forget to give us your name, address, and a contact email address/telephone number.

Walk the Walk – Mayor's Sponsored Walk

The Mayor's sponsored walk will take place on Sunday 11 September 2016 with a choice of a two or five mile route, so please keep a lookout for further information in the press and on the Council's notice boards. Sponsorship and registration forms are available from the Town Council Office and St Julia's Fundraising Office. The money raised will be donated to Cornwall Hospice Care.

We will also require help on the day so if you feel you could spare an afternoon to volunteer as a marshal please get in touch.

Hayle Library and One Shop Service

Hayle Town Council has been approached to consider taking on the Hayle Library and the services (including Tourist Information) that are provided from the building as part of Cornwall Council's devolution programme. Cornwall Council has to save money and the future of the town's library is under threat and so the Town Council is carrying out a survey to see what the residents of Hayle want. Please take the time and complete it - <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/haylelibrary>.

Hayle Open Air Swimming Pool

This year the pool underwent a bit of a 'facelift' and is looking absolutely lovely. Once again, a huge number of hours of toil were given by The Friends of Hayle Pool to help it look its best prior to opening for the season, thank you. The Council also utilised the money that was raised through the Western Power Less is More Project and the M & S Renewable Fund. The pool was drained, deep cleaned and repainted and then filled with fresh water and the order has been placed for solar heat retaining covers and new benches, which are expected to be installed shortly.

The pool is open daily from 11am till 6pm. Tickets, season tickets, loyalty cards and Free Tuesday Cards are all available from the pool office. The last day of this season is Sunday 11th September.

Public Conveniences

Unfortunately, the instances of vandalism and misuse continue. The repair and maintenance costs are far higher than anticipated and this is largely due to vandalism and large items, such as nappies, being flushed down the toilets causing blockages, particularly on the Recreation Ground. Please encourage all users to respect the facilities and use the bins provided or this Council may have to consider closing some/all of the toilets.

There have been ongoing problems with the facilities on Commercial Road. Please accept our apologies for the delay in sorting. As a temporary measure the one operational toilet has been made unisex and therefore available for all.

Hayle Community Centre

Space is available for regular sessions or one off bookings. Remember that the CAB, Adult Education and others hold regular sessions and surgeries. Many people also use the facility to host parties! Contact the Town Clerk's office for details of services and available space.

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