



Council Corner

October and November 2018

Mayor's Sponsored Walk

Close to 40 people participated in the sponsored walk on Sunday 9 September to raise funds for Cornwall Hospice Care, incorporating St Julia's Hospice. Money is still coming in and it seems likely that over £4,000 will be raised, which is amazing considering that fewer people walked this year. Thank you to everyone who took part in or supported the Mayor's Sponsored Walk. It is not too late to donate to this important fundraising event so please keep the money coming in!

Hayle Open Air Swimming Pool

After the hottest summer on record the pool finally closed on 8 September, which rounded off a very successful 2018 season. The solar covers ensured the balmy water temperature tempted even the most timid of swimmers to enter the pool. The Tuesday evenings adult only lane swimming proved to be popular once more and that and the hiring of the pool on Wednesday evenings by a stand up paddle coaching business increased the usage and profile of the pool. Tuesdays by and large were the busier days due to the continuation of the free Tuesday passes for TR27 residents.

War Memorial

The work is due to be completed prior to the centenary which marks the end of the First World War. Cornwall Council is also commencing work to enhance the wider area, including the parking area in front of Hayle Terrace, and it is hoped that this project will also be completed by the end October 2018.

Boundary Review

At the time of writing this the town council has submitted its final proposals to the Boundary Commission to preserve effective representation at County Hall. Thank you to everyone who supported the council's recommendation for two equal divisions to be created 'Hayle North and Gwithian', a division based on Gwithian with part of Hayle, and 'Hayle South and Gwinear', Gwinear plus part of Hayle. We eagerly await the Boundary Commission's decision.

Consultation: Former Hawkins Motors Site – Hayle Terrace

It is not too late for you to get involved and send in your ideas. We anticipate that this site will formally be transferred to the town council later in the year, in accordance with the Section 106 agreement that was put in place when the planning permission for the development of the houses was originally passed. The developers of the site are also obliged to give the town council the sum of £30,000 for the purpose of enhancing the immediate area.

The council wishes to consult with the local community and asks you to submit your ideas for what you would like to see at that spot. Given its proximity to the main road no consideration will be given to a children's play area.

Hayle Civic Service and Parade

This year's event will take place on Sunday 7 October and as usual the Parade will meet and form in the Commercial Road Car Park from 2.30pm. Guests are invited to park in the car park and the Parade will process to St Elwyn's Church for the Civic Service, which starts at 3pm. Following the Service the Parade will return to the Day Care Centre for refreshments.

Hayle Community Centre

Space is available for regular sessions or one-off bookings. Remember that 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.

It is with regret, however, that we have to announce that the Citizens Advice Bureau no longer holds surgeries at the Community Centre – this is due to the lack of qualified and available volunteer advisors.

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