



Council Corner

December 2019 and January 2020

Free Parking for Christmas Shopping on Saturdays

Once again, it will be free to park in Cornwall Council car parks on Saturdays in the lead up to Christmas. From Saturday 30 November 2019 to 21 December 2019 it will be free to park in the Commercial Road and Foundry Square car parks. Cornwall Council has generously committed to one free Saturday and Hayle Town Council has agreed to provide a further three. This year the town council has agreed to cover the costs of hiring the Cornwall Council car parks to encourage people into Hayle and to support the local shops. We hope you enjoy your shopping and we wish you all a Merry Christmas.

Council Vacancy

We have a council vacancy for South Ward. More information is on the council's website. If you would like to get involved and take an active role in shaping the future of Hayle, please contact the Clerk, details below, to have an informal chat to find out what is involved.

Budget and Precept

It is that time of year when the Council sets the budgets and precept for the financial year 2020-2021. There is now so much to consider, due to the ever-increasing number of services that the Town Council provides, that several meetings are required to debate the financial implications for the services and facilities for the forthcoming year.

Current Projects

The council's staff are currently working on several projects. These include developing the plot of land near the allotments in Lethlean Lane into a cemetery, extending the car park provision at Hayle Community Centre for its tenants and users, upgrading the car park on King George V Memorial Walk and exploring options to safeguard the car park for users of the Walk and the swimming pool, continuing to participate in the Community Governance Review and implementing a programme of works to enhance the library, which was transferred to us early this year. This list is not exhaustive and it is in addition to the many routine and ongoing projects/schemes that we work on and the services we deliver.

Events Next Year

The council is considering what it can do to mark the 75th anniversary of VE Day on 8 May 2020. The council has asked that we liaise with local organisations to see if there are any plans already afoot for the weekend of 8 – 10 May 2020. If you are of any way planned celebrations or have any ideas please do not hesitate to get in touch.

As you probably know, the Tour of Britain cycling event will be going through Hayle on Sunday 6 September 2020. The town council has agreed to support and promote the event in any way it can by working with the event promoters and Cornwall Council. This may include putting on additional activities or assisting with the provision of marshals on the day. We'll keep you in the loop as plans are worked up and you may be asked to get involved!

Christmas Opening

The town council office will close on Tuesday 24 December 2019 and reopen on Thursday 2 January 2018. Emails will be checked. Any issues relating to the public conveniences or open spaces should be reported to CORMAC via 0300 1234 100 or 0300 1234 222.

The library will open between Christmas and New Year on Friday 27 and Saturday 28 December 9.30am – 12 noon. Normal service will resume on Friday 3 January 2020.

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