BVT Lightmoor Village



Virtual Community Noticeboard

September 2024

Welcome to our virtual community noticeboard

Celebrating Lightmoor Village

September is time to celebrate our wonderful community! The annual Celebrating Lightmoor Village event takes place on Saturday 28th September, from 10am-2pm in the Village Centre.

Join together to celebrate our wonderful Village, with performances, food, music, learn new skills and have lots of fun.

Local stallholders wanted for handmade crafts and food stalls. Just £5 per stall.

Email events@bvt.org.uk for more information



It's time for a Macmillan Coffee Morning and you're invited

Let's do whatever it takes to support people living with cancer.

Place: Bournville House Bistro

Date: Friday 27th September

Time: 10am-11.30am

Contact: Fleur at events@bvt.org.uk

Everyone welcome

Donations of cakes and baked treats are very welcome, thank you for your support.





Macmillan Cancer Support, registered charity in England and Wales (261017), Scotland (SC039907) and the Isle of Man (604). Also operating in Northern Ireland. MAC19933_InvitePoster









September events

BVT Lightmoor Village Events & Activities



Date & time: Starting Wednesday 14th August 2024-4th September 2024.



Location: Around Lightmoor Village



Suitable for: All ages

Lightmoor Village Bird Trail

Follow the trail around Lightmoor Village to search for the beautifully hand painted birds hanging around the Village.

There are 14 in total in different locations across the Village, can you find them all?
The painted birds will be on display at the Celebrating Lightmoor Village event on the 28th September 2024.

Interested?

No need to book, collect a sheet from the Oak Tree Community Centre, or look on our website;











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Date & time: Friday 9th August-Friday 13th September



Location: Lightmoor Village



Suitable for: All ages

Love Lightmoor Village **Photo Competition**

Use your photography skills and show us why you Love Lightmoor Village.

Submit your favourite photo by Friday 13th September and the reasons why you Love Lightmoor Village.

They will be displayed and judged at the Celebrating Lightmoor Village event on Saturday 28th September. Two photo submissions per person.

Interested?

Email your photos, including your name and, age to events@bvt.org.uk













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Date & time: Sunday 8th September 2024 10.30am



Location: Meeting in the Village Centre



Suitable for: All ages

Discover Lightmoor Village walk and picnic

Join us for a walk around the beautiful green and open spaces of Lightmoor Village.

Discover the parks, woodland, lanes and history surrounding our Village, ending in a picnic with some fun garden games.

The walk will include different types of terrain and some hills, sensible shoes should be worn. Bring your own picnic.

Interested?

No need to book, just turn up!











Oak Tree Community Centre

If you are new to Lightmoor Village or have never visited the centre, you may not be aware of the fantastic facilities available to hire at the Oak Tree Community Centre as well as a wide range of events and activities you can take part in.

From birthday parties in the hall, meetings and training rooms or a space for sports, there is a room for all needs.

You can check out the calendar of what's on and view the availability and facilities on our new booking system.

Visit the BVT Lightmoor Village website and follow the link at the top of the page https://bvtlightmoorvillage.org.uk

or go straight to, https://oak.lemonbooking.com















What's on at the Oak Tree Community Centre

Day	Time	Activity	Contact /How to book	
Monday	6pm-7pm	Rainbows for girls age 5-7	Visit: www.girlguiding.org.uk to register	
Monday	6pm-8pm	Temple Martial Arts Kickboxing For children, teens & adults	Tel: 07908 849934 Email: coachran@templemartialarts.co.uk Website: www.temple-martialarts.co.uk	
Tuesday	5.30pm- 6.30pm	Cheer Unleashed Mystic Cheerleading class Age 5+	Tel: 07447 405007 Email: cheerunleashed@gmail.com Website: www.cheerunleashed.co.uk	
Tuesday	6.30pm- 7.30pm	Cheer Unleashed Enchant Cheerleading Class Age 5+		
Wednesday	5.15pm- 6.45pm	Lightmoor Village Youth Group Juniors year 6-8	Tel Emma: 07710 095798 Email: emma.b@sya.org.uk	
Wednesday	7pm- 8.30pm	Lightmoor Village Youth Group Seniors year 9 to age 18		
Thursday	5.30pm- 6.30pm	Kombat Kids Beginners Karate Class	Tel: 07730 899722 Email: enquiries@kombatkids.com Website: www.kombatkids.com	
Thursday	6:30pm- 8pm	Kombat Kids Intermediate Karate Class		
Thursday	6.30pm- 8pm	Brownies For girls age 7-10	Visit: www.girlguiding.org.uk to register	
Friday	6.30pm- 7.30pm	Cheer Unleashed Enchant Cheerleading Class Age 5+	Tel:07447 405007 Email: cheerunleashed@gmail.com Website: www.cheerunleashed.co.uk	
Friday	6pm-7pm 7pm-8pm	FREE Friday Football AFC Telford United Age 6-12 6pm-7pm Age 12-16 7pm-8pm	Multi Use Games Area next to the centre No need to book, just turn up!	
Saturday	10am-12pm	Top Hats Stage School Tiny Toppers age 4-5	Tel: 01952 793949 Email: midlands@tophatstageschool.co.uk	
Saturday	10am-1pm	Top Hats Stage School Top Hatters age 6-17	Website: "	
Sunday	8:40am- 12pm	Little Kickers Various classes & times from 18months to 5 years	Tel: 07545 236917 Email: westmidlands@littlekickers.co.uk Website: www.littlekickers.co.uk	

Friday night football

In partnership with BVT, AFC Telford United foundation, Cllr Raj Mehta and Cllr Ian Preece, Friday night football will continue to take place weekly through March-October.

Qualified coaches from AFC Telford United are at the Multi-Use Games Area in Woodlands Park to help young people learn new and improve their skills.



Under 12 6pm-7pm, 12-16 7pm-8pm. No need to book, just turn up!

Glasses Recyling with the Lions

Thank you to all the residents who have recently donated glasses for the Lions International Project who recycle them to send to children and adults who need them in other countries. Donations have been coming in thick and fast and thanks to you our first box has been filled!



Donations can still be made by dropping your unwanted glasses off at the Oak Tree Community Centre.

Community Book Shop

Did you know the Oak Tree Community Centre have a book swap shop?

Located in the corridor you can help yourself to books or bring your own to swap.

There are books of all types and for all ages. Why not come and take a look for yourself!















Lightmoor Village businesses

Bournville Bistro

The bistro is located inside Bournville House and is open Monday to Friday from 8.30am-1.45pm.



Breakfast Menu

Hot Drinks

Standard Tea or Coffee £1.00 All Bean to Cup Machine Drinks £2.20 Hot Chocolate £2.20

Cold Drinks

 Cans of Pop
 £1.00/£1.20

 Bottle of Water
 £1.00

 Fruit Juice
 £1.00

Meals can be eaten in or taken away. Preorder by calling 0121-667-1023 or message the Facebook page.





Breakfast Menu

Mon-Fri 8.30am-12 noon)

Small Bistro Breakfast £5.50

1 sausage, 1 bacon, Fried Egg, Tomato, Mushrooms, Baked Beans & Toast with standard cup of tea or coffee

Big Bistro Breakfast £7.00

2 sausage, 2 bacon, 2 Fried Egg, Tomato, Mushrooms, Baked Beans & 2 Toast with standard cup of tea or coffee

Vegan Bistro Breakfast £4.50 (ve) (10 minute wait)

2 Vegan sausage, Mushrooms, Tomato, Baked Beans & Toast (add an egg for vegetarian option) £5.30 vith standard cup of tea or coffee

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Mon-Fri 8.30am-12 noon)

Fried Egg Sandwich	£3.00
Beans on Toast	£2.50
Bacon or Sausage Sandwich	£3.00
Tomatoes on Toast	£2.50
Vegan Sausage Sandwich (ve)	£3.00
Fried Egg on Toast	£3.00
Toast & Preserves	£1.90
Cheese on Toast	£3.00
Scrambled Egg on Toast	£3.00
Cereals	£1.50
Toast/Bread & Butter (per slice)	£0.50
2 Crumpets & Butter	£1.50

Optional Extras (each)

Sausage/Bacon/Egg £0.80 Mushroom/Tomato/Beans £0.50







Lightmoor Village businesses

Bournville Bistro

As well as the daily lunch menu there is always a daily special that changes each week.

Roast dinner Wednesdays are very popular as well as Shelley's fresh omelettes! You can eat in or take away and preorders are welcome.

Please call 0121 667 1023 or visit the Bournville Bistro Facebook page.



Lunch Menu

Mon-Fri 12 noon - 1.45pm

Other Items

Double Egg & Chips £3.50 Double Ham, Egg & Chips £5.50 Portion of Chips £1.50 Crisps £0.80

Puddings £3.50 each

Apple Crumble Apple Pie Jam Sponge Syrup Sponge Spotted Dick Sticky Toffee Pudding

Salted Caramel Sticky Toffee Pudding

Served with Custard or Ice Cream

Ice Cream per scoop £0.75 Flake £0.25

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Cold Sandwiches

 Ham
 £3.50
 Egg Mayo
 £3.00

 BLT
 £4.00
 Cheese
 £3.00

 Ham & Cheese
 £4.00
 Tuna Mayo
 £4.00

 (upgrade to baguette + 80p)
 £4.00
 £4.00

Panini's (served with salad)

 Ham
 £4.50
 Cheese & Tomato
 £4.45

 Cheese
 £4.00
 Bacon & Cheese
 £4.90

 Ham & Cheese
 £4.90
 Tuna Melt
 £5.40

Jacket Potatoes

Cheese/Beans £4.25 Cheese & Beans £4.75 Coleslaw £4.50 Tuna Mayo £4.75

Omelettes

Plain Omelette £3.50 Cheese Omelette £4.00 Cheese & Mushroom £4.50 Cheese & Onion £4.25 Add Ham for an extra £1.00

Weekly Menu example



Steak pie, mash, peas, gravy



Cottage pie, house salad, crusty bread and butter



Roast chicken dinner, roast potatoes, stuffing, mixed veg Yorkshire pudding, gravy



Chilli con carni, rice, sour cream, garlic bread



Battered fish, scampi or fish cakes, chips, mushy peas or House salad, crusty bread and butter











Lightmoor Village businesses

Londis

Our local store has some great offers available and sells a wide range of products.

They are open every day from 6am-10pm.

Visit the Londis Lightmoor Facebook page to see their latest offers.



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ABC Nursery

ABC nursery is based right in the heart of Lightmoor Village and has been rated Outstanding by Ofsted since it opened in 2012. ABC Lightmoor offers a warm, friendly and caring atmosphere for the children.

Call 01952 502572

Hortons Hair Salon

Situated in Lightmoor Village inside Bournville House Hortons Hair Salon is open to the Village.

Call Deb on 07530 674506 to book your appointment or find her on Facebook





Stephs Nail Shack

Stephs nail salon is in the heart of Lightmoor Village.

A personal, warm and comfortable salon in Bournville House, available to all.

Call 07548 928957 to book an appointment or find her on Facebook







Join the Climate Action Hubs Free Sustainable Sundays events, every month, from 11-3pm at Belmont Hall in Wellington.

Everyone is very welcome.

Find out more on their Facebook page
Climate Action Hub







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Community Support

The Oak Tree Community Centre is a donation and collection point for Telford Crisis Support.

You can bring any of the donations on the wish list to the centre and we will pass them on.

If you or someone you know is in crisis and requires support with food, baby and toddler essentials or school wear please contact Telford Crisis Support

Tel: 01952 586 646

email: admin@telfordcrisissupport.org.uk or look on the website telfordcrisissupport.org.uk



In emergencies or out of hours contact **Telford Interfaith Council on** hello@interfaithtelford.org





Telford & Wrekin Council offer free cost of living advice and support.

This includes;

- Benefit payments and finances
- Mental health and wellbeing
- Bills and affordable warmth
- Food, toiletries and clothing
- Support for businesses

For more information take a look at their website https://www.telford.gov.uk/info/21826/cost_of_living

Citizens Advice Telford & Wrekin offer free cost of living, information signposting and advice in communities across Telford.

An advisor visits the Oak Tree Community Centre on the 1st Tuesday of each month from 9.30am-12.30pm.

To book an appointment please call 01952 567193 or visit the website to fill in an initial enquiry form. citizensadvicetelfordandthewrekin.org.uk



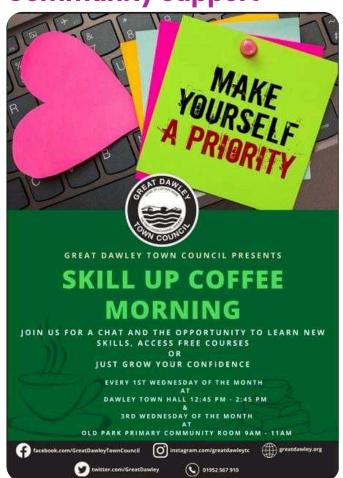








Community Support



Skill up coffee morning

Whether you're eager to explore free local courses, dive into volunteering opportunities, learn new skills, or simply boost your confidence – this is the place to be!

The 1st Wednesday of the month at Dawley Town Hall 12.45-2.45pm

Parent and Carer Support Parents Opening Doors

PODS is a parent and carer led charity, with staff and volunteers who have 'real life' experience to support families who have a child with a disability or additional need

(aged 0 – 25 years).
Join PODS for a variety of activity sessions! Open to all ages, including siblings.

For more information visit;
https://www.podstelford.org
or email
support@podstelford.org







Community Support

Telford Autism Hub

Telford & Wrekin CVS manage two autism hubs, one for adults and one for children.

Adults

Telford Adult's Autism Hubs main aim is to enable individuals to better understand their autistic identity.

This can be an individual seeking an assessment or general support. It can also be other agencies and businesses wanting to be better placed to meet the needs of Telford's neurodiverse community.

Children

Our Children's Autism Hub is available to children and young people aged 0-18, and their families, who have a formal diagnosis of Autism. For individuals that have other needs, for example, a learning disability, the Autism Hub will provide support in respect of their Autism.

For more information please email; admin@telfordautismhub.org.uk call 01952 916109 or visit the website www.telfordautismhub.org.uk







Parent and Carer Support

At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carer and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This could be conversational onlines are type as your conversational or type as your conversation or ty

What Parents & Carers Need to Know About ATSAPP



WhatsApp is the world's most popular messaging service, with around two billion users exchanging texts, photos, videos and documents, and making voice and video calls. The app offers end-to-end encryption, meaning messages can only be read by the sender and the recipient(s). Not even WhatsApp can read them. Updates to its privacy policy in 2021 reportedly caused millions of users to leave the app.

But the new policy was widely misinterpreted: it only related to WhatsApp's business features, not to personal messages.

'Prize' Scams

WhatsApp users occasionally receive messages from unauthorised third parties or fraudsters pretending to offer prizes – encouraging recipients to click a linkto win. A common scam involves a warning that someone's WhatsApp subscription has run out: aiming to dupe them into disclosing payment details. Other scams include instructions to forward a message to earn a gift or reward.

Enabling Fake News

WhatsApp has unfortunately been linked to accelerating the spread of dangerous rumours. In India, some outbreaks of mob violence were reported to have been sparked by false allegations shared on the app. WhatsApp itself took steps to prevent its users circulating hazardous theories and speculation in the early weeks of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Connections with Strangers

To start a WhatsApp chat, you need the mobile number of the person you want to message (they also need to have the app). WhatsApp can also access the address book on someone's device and recognise which of their contacts use WhatsApp. If your child has given their mobile number to somebody they don't know, that person could then use it to get in touch via WhatsApp.

Ephemeral Messaging

By enabling the 'disappearing messages' aption in a chat, users can send messages that will vanish from WhatsApp after seven days. Parents may want to take note of this new feature, which males monitoring what children are talking about on the app problematic. Equally, if someone sends your child an inappropriate message, once it has disappeared there is no way to prove any wrongdoing.

'Only Admins' and Cyberbullying

Group chats and video calls are great for connecting with multiple people in WhatsApp, but there is always the potential for someone's feelings to be hurt by an unkind comment or joke. The 'only admins' feature gives the admin(s) of a group control over who can send messages. They can, for example, block people from posting in a chat, which could make a child feel excluded and upset.

Live Location Sharing

The 'live location' feature lets users share their current whereabouts, allowing friends to see their movements. WhatsApp describes it as a "simple and secure way to let people know where you are." Indeed, it is a useful method for a child to let loved ones know they are safe. But if your child is in a chat with people they don't know, it means they will be exposing their location to them, too.





Advice for Parents & Carers

Report Potential Scams

Advise your child not to engage with any message that looks suspicious ar too good to be true. When your child receives a message from an unknown number for the first time, they will be given the option to report that number as sporm. They can also report a contact or a group as sporm by topping on the contact or group name to open their profile and scrolling down to 'report sporm'.

Create a Safe Profile

Even though some one would need your child's phone number to add them as a contact, as an extra precaution it's worth altering your young one's profile settings to restrict who can see their photo and status. The options are 'everyone,' my contacts' and 'nobody.' Choosing one of the latter two ensures their profile is protected.

Use Location Features Sparingly

If your child needs to use five location to show you ar their friends where they are, advise them to share their location only for as long as they need to. Whats App gives five location' options of 15 minutes, one hour or eight hours. However, your child can manually choose to stop sharing their position of any time.

Explain about Blocking

If your child receives spam or affersive messages, calls or files from a contact, they should block them. Communication from a blocked contact won't show up on their device and stays undelivered. Blocking same one does not remove them from your child's contact life — they would also need to be deleted from the device's address book. The option to block someone is an their contact info screen.

Leave a Group

If your child is part of a group chot that makes them feel uncomfortable, or has been added to a group that they no longer want to be part of, show them how to use the group's settings to leave. If someone exits a group, the admin can add them back in once, if they leave a second time, it is permanent.

Delete Accidental Messages

If your child has posted a message in the wrong chat or sent a message that they immediately regret, they can delete it. Top and hold an the message, choose 'delete' and then 'delete far everyone: Whats App allows seven minutes to delete a message after it's sent - but it's important to remember that recipients may have seen (and taken a screenshot of a message before it was related.

Fact-Check Messages

You can now fact-check messages that have been forwarded at least five times in WhatsApp, by double-tapping the magnifying glass ican to the right of the message. From there, your child can launch a Google search and decide for themselves whether the message was accurate or not. It's a good way to encourage young people to question things they see online.

Meet Our Expert

Parven Kaur is a social media expert and digital media consultantwho is passionate about improving digital literacy for parents and children. She has extensive experience in the social media arena and is the founder of Kids N Clicks: a web resource that helps parents and children thrive in a digital world.















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Support for people 50+

Forum 50+ is a small charity supporting people over 50 in the Telford & Wrekin area, helping them to maintain wellbeing and independence through increased access to information, support, activities and opportunities to build new connections and engage in social activity within their communities.



Our Aims:

- Tackle loneliness, and isolation, helping people to build connections and resilience and to feel better supported.
- Provide information to local people about services, support, advice, activities, volunteering, current issues and consultation opportunities.
- Help people to participate in regular activities increasing social interaction, well-being and confidence.
- Promote the needs and concerns of older people so that they may be heard and accounted for in the planning of services and facilities, and address inequality.
- Provide opportunities for people to learn and gain confidence in the use of technology.
- Offer opportunities for volunteering.

What we offer:

- Befriending services including our Telephone Chat Scheme and face to face befriending.
- Regular social groups.
- Weekly exercise classes.
- Computer support and tuition.
- A range of volunteering roles and opportunities to get involved.
- Free membership and regular newsletters.
- Helping you to have a say.
- Campaigning through our action groups.

For more information, please call 07932 828333 or 07552 975676 Alternatively visit our website www.forum50plus.org.uk





Action for Happiness

The mission of Action for Happiness is to help people create a happier world, with a culture that prioritises happiness and kindness.

You can sign up to their monthly calendars that have a different theme each month. www.actionforhappiness.org





Armed Forces Network

The Armed Forces network meet on the 2nd Thursday of the month at The Grazing Cow in Lawley.

Lightmoor Village residents are very welcome to join.

Please email; LawleyStewardship@bvt.org.uk if you would like to know more.







Your Parish Councils and Councillors

Lightmoor Village is represented by two Parish Councils, with Woodlands Lane being the boundary.

The west side of the Village is The Gorge Parish Council and east side is Dawley Hamlets Parish Council.



The Gorge Parish Council

If you wish to contact the parish council, you can do so by contacting the clerk by telephone or email.

Tel: 01952 883192

Email: clerk@thegorgeparishcouncil.gov.uk

Cllr Alan Taylor is the Councillor for the Lightmoor Ward and is also The Parish Council Chair. He attends the Lightmoor Village Delivery Group and Lightmoor Village Estate Managment Committee to bring The Gorge and Lightmoor Village together.



There is a vacancy for the Lightmoor Ward, Lightmoor Village residents are invited to join the parish as a local councillor, please contact them for more information.



If you wish to contact the parish council, you can do so by contacting the clerk by telephone or email.

Tel: 07941 212311

Email: clerk@dawley-hamlets.org

Cllr Zona Harrington, Cllr Raj Mehta and Cllr Ian Preece are Parish Councillors for the Horsehay Ward that Lightmoor Village is part of.

Cllr Kate Barnes attends the Lightmoor Village Delivery Group and Cllr Mehta attends the Lightmoor Village Estate Managment Committee.



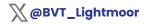






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Telford & Wrekin Council Borough Councillors



Protect, care and invest to create a better borough

The Borough of Telford & Wrekin Council is divided into 32 wards and 54 Councillors or Members. Some wards have a single Councillor, others have two or three. Councillors are elected to represent all the residents in their ward.

Local Councillors are elected by the community to decide how the council should carry out its various activities. They represent public interest as well as individuals living within the ward in which he or she has been elected to serve a term of office.

They have regular contact with the general public through council meetings, telephone calls or surgeries.

Lightmoor Village is part of the Horsehay and Lightmoor Ward. Our Borough Councillors are:



Cllr Raj Mehta



Clir lan Preece

Cllr Raj Mehta rajash.mehta@telford.gov.uk

Cllr lan Preece ian.preece@telford.gov.uk

If you have something you'd like to share with the Lightmoor Village community in October please let us know.

You can pop into the Oak Tree Community Centre or email us at:

events@bvt.org.uk



