



PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

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CAR PARKING IN HOLMES CHAPEL

The Parish Council objected very strongly to the proposal to introduce charges for parking on Cheshire East Council's car parks in Holmes Chapel. Despite many objections and criticism of the consultation process, a charge of 10p for up to 2 hours will be introduced in January. This only applies to 40 parking spaces at London Road and Parkway.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Two important events to make a note of.

The Parish Council will be inviting senior residents to another **Senior Citizen's Lunch** on a Sunday in late November. Please watch out for notices on the notice boards and at Mrs Kettle's and for more details in next month's magazine.

The **Christmas Lights** illuminating a tree on the Bogbean will be turned on at a ceremony with live seasonal music and refreshments on Tuesday 1st December at 6.30 pm.

DARK NIGHTS AND ROAD SAFETY

Now that the dark evenings are with us again, it is time to remind cyclists, particularly younger ones, that lights on their bikes could quite simply save their lives. Even the most careful driver runs the risk of harming a cyclist who is riding without lights.

The Parish Council asks all parents to please make sure that their child's bike has good lights both front and rear which are clean and in working order. Cyclists, riders and pedestrians can keep themselves safer on the roads in poor light by wearing light coloured or reflective clothing and drivers can play their part by observing the speed limits.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Parish Council – Tuesday 13th October at 7.30.

Due to Goosfest events, the Parish Council meeting will not take place in the Village Hall. Please see notices in the Village Hall foyer and on the board at the end of Bank View one week before the meeting for the venue or contact the Parish Clerk.

Finance Committee – Tuesday 6th October at 7.30 in the Village Hall Committee Room.