

The Newsletter of Willington Parish Council

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Help to make Willington Heart Safe



Our project to install two more defibrillators in the village (at The Boot and Willington Hall) is now live on the Spacehive crowd funding platform.

The target is to raise £3429 for two defibrillators with external cabinets which would be available publicly 24/7. We will register them on the British Heart Foundations National Database 'The Circuit' ensuring that the Emergency Services (including North West Ambulance Service) can guide anyone to the nearest defibrillator quickly.

So what can you do to help? Simply visit the link to our project page spacehive.com/willington-heart-safe and make a pledge and/or leave a supportive comment to encourage others to make a pledge. If every household gave just £20 we would reach our target and be able to deliver this project quickly. If we don't hit our target by 1st June your pledge will be returned to you and we will be unable complete the project.

Please give generously (you can tick a box to give anonymously if you wish). And please share the link with friends and family, and encourage them support this project.

Do you own a business? Why not make a tax-deductible donation through your business and promote its name on the on the Spacehive page rather than making an individual pledge?

Do you work for a large company? Many large organisations have a charitable fund that employees can tap into. If this is the case with your organisation, please consider encouraging your company to make a pledge?

Or are you a member of a local group, club or society that you could ask to make a pledge? **Thank you for your support.**

Andrew Nicholas (Chairman, Willington PC)

The Willington Annual Village Meeting 2022



Keep the date free....**Tuesday 17th May 2022 at 19:00** for the Willington Village meeting. The meeting will be at **Willington Hall.**

This annual meeting is held between 1st March and 1st June each year (usually in May). Unfortunately due to Covid we have been unable to assemble for the meeting for the last two years.

The meeting provides the Willington community with an opportunity to come together to discuss what has happened in our village during the past year, and discuss what we would like to happen in the coming years. The Chairman of the Parish Council will provide a short update on the activities of the Parish Council during the past year at the beginning of the meeting.

Everyone is most welcome; please come along. It's your opportunity to discuss the future of Willington and share your views. *Andrew Nicholas (Chairman, Willington PC)*



The Willington Big Jubilee Lunch

Celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee by joining friends and neighbours for **'lunch' on the Green at 2 o'clock on Sunday 5th June**. Tables, and suitably coloured table-cloths and cups will be provided, and of course the Green will be decorated with bunting. Please bring along chairs, food and drinks, and feel free to dress for the occasion in your best patriotic outfit. You can create your own crown to decorate and wear to the lunch by clicking on this link.

https://www.edenprojectcommunities.com/sites/default/files/tbjl_crown_-_a4_template.pdf. And bring along anything else you wish to make this a fun event, for example outdoor games.

To mark this historic event, everyone is also encouraged to decorate their houses over the Jubilee holiday from 2nd to the 5th June.

If you would like to help with the **Willington Big Jubilee Lunch** or need further information, please contact: Bev Crossley (07812 071633), Heather Bailey (07903 263380) or Helen Gill (07525 491962).

We are looking forward to a splendid afternoon.

Bev, Heather and Helen