

FORTHCOMING TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Tuesday	1st March	2016	FULL COUNCIL	7.00 pm
Tuesday	8th March	2016	PLANNING COMMITTEE	7.00 pm
Tuesday	8th March	2016	COMMUNITY COMMITTEE	7.15 pm
Tuesday	22nd March	2016	RECREATION & CEMETERY CTTEE.	7.15 pm
Tuesday	5th April	2016	PLANNING COMMITTEE	7.00 pm
Tuesday	5th April	2016	ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE	7.15 pm
Tuesday	12th April	2016	POLICY & RESOURCES CTTEE.	7.00 pm
Tuesday	10th May	2016	STATUTORY ANNUAL MEETING	7.00 pm

Annual Town Meeting 26th April 2016 at The Old Court House commencing 7.30pm

Residents are welcome to attend and observe all public meetings of the Council and its Committees. At each full Council meeting, there is an opportunity for residents to ask questions or make comments to the Council.

There is a notice-board on the wall of the Precinct facing the Market Place which has details about the Town Council, and agendas for meetings are displayed prior to a meeting.

ROOMS FOR HIRE AT THE OLD COURT HOUSE

The Council Chamber is available to hire for £15.00 an hour and is suitable for meetings, training seminars and social events.

A smaller meeting room is available for a maximum of twelve people at a cost of £9.00 an hour;

Local Community Groups and Charities are charged at half the above rates. For further information, contact the Town Council.



CONTACTING THE TOWN COUNCIL

If you have any queries relating to Town Council issues they can be addressed to: Bingham Town Council, The Old Court House, Church Street, Bingham, NG13 8AL.

Office opening hours are: Monday – Thursday: 9.30 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.
Friday: 9.30 a.m. – 12 noon.

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2016-2017 Budget

Bingham Town Council have voted for a zero percent increase in Council Tax Band D equivalent.

The budget for the forthcoming year along with previous year for comparison is shown below.

	Budget 2015/2016	Budget 2016/2017
<u>Revenue</u>		
Allotments	360	360
Cemetery	-650	-3150
Community	1,250	1250
Depot	69,150	69750
Environment	7,090	7090
Finance	99,600	95600
Old Court House	15,850	13430
Property Development	20,000	20000
Promotion	18,150	18050
Recreation	26,765	23888
Budget required	257,565	246,268
Less transitional Grant from RBC	16,090	0
Precept	241,475	246,268
Tax Base	3343.6	3410
Band D property	72.22	72.22

GLASS RECYCLING IN BINGHAM

Please note the following four glass recycling sites are currently available and are "Bring to sites":

1. Newgate Street Car Park
2. Moorbridge Road
3. Jebbs Lane – Bowls Club (access limited to club opening hours)
4. Yueng Sing – No vehicular parking

Additional sites are planned for:

1. Lidl (from mid February)
2. Aldi (date yet to be confirmed)
3. Tesco development yet to be started.

TOWN FAIR 11TH JUNE 2016 10am – 5pm

Preparation for the Town Fair is in progress and if you have any ideas to put forward to enhance the event now is the time to contact the office. An application has already been made for a fly-past. Let us hope the weather is not as wet as last year's as it did dampen the spirits somewhat.

The forms will be available mid March therefore if you are a Community Group and there has been a change in Secretary please contact the office if you do not receive a form.

PARKING WORKING GROUP

The Town Council continues to pursue a long term solution to parking with the 'Old Allotment Site' identified as a suitable site for a new long stay car park. Negotiations continue with 'The Crown', Rushcliffe Borough Council, Nottinghamshire County Council and Network Rail to facilitate this.

The recent parking order will put into place the principle of timed parking and charges. A recommendation has been put forward from BTC for 3hrs. maximum stay in Newgate Street car park with Union Street and Needham Street being long stay car parks. Negotiations are ongoing with Rushcliffe Borough Council on this matter.

RBC LOCAL PLAN CONSULTATION – Green Belt Review

Consultation deadline is Thursday 24th March 2016 at 5pm.

The documents can be viewed on line on Rushcliffe Borough Council website: www.rushcliffe.gov.uk/planningpolicy

HOUSE NAMES

It would appear that if you have a house name rather than traditional consecutive house numbering occasionally emergency services struggle to locate the property ie. is Station House anywhere near the current station. To ensure that your house is easy to identify please ensure that both house names and numbers are easily visible and not covered by overgrown ivy etc.

HM Queen's 90th Birthday Beacon Lighting Ceremony 21st April 2016

Look out for further details on this event; previously each organisation has been given a time to light the beacon in their area and at this stage that information is not available.

HM The Queen starts the Ceremony by lighting the main beacon and then the rest of the country follows area by area.

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ANSWERS TO CHRISTMAS/ NEW YEAR CROSSWORD



COUNCILLOR'S TELEPHONE NUMBERS **- "01949" PREFIX + 7 MOBILE NUMBERS**

Cllr.R.Bird	876570	Cllr G. Davidson	838564
Councillor J.A.Ferguson	837115	Cllr A.R.Harvey	07722613753
Cllr K.F.Hayes-Heath	07899662093	Cllr E.Hutchison	07877737563
Cllr T.Kerry	831445	Cllr A.Langford	07725592656
Cllr S.P.Orr	07876683946	Cllr F. Purdue-Horan	07505461002
Cllr A.C.Shelton	839048	Cllr J. Stockwood	875778
Cllr K.Vallance	07954143192	Cllr C.Williams	07557763882