



## Burwell Parish Council Newsletter

**July 2015**

### DIARY DATES

<b>Tues 14 July</b> 7.30pm	Full Parish Council Jubilee Reading Rooms
<b>Tues 28 July</b> 7.30pm	Full Parish Council Jubilee Reading Rooms



### BURWELL PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

Helping to keep residents up-to-date with Parish Council issues and activities. This newsletter is available on noticeboards located at the Jubilee Reading Rooms and the Library and on the web-sites: [www.burwellparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.burwellparishcouncil.gov.uk) and [www.burwell.co.uk](http://www.burwell.co.uk)

### NEW PLAY EQUIPMENT

Over the month of July new facilities will be installed at the Recreation Ground. In addition to a basketball/games area with multi-use games walls at either end, a basket or nest swing is being installed. Also three pieces of outdoor gym equipment suitable for adult use will be provided. This will be available for all to use so please all feel free to try out and use this new equipment. In the meantime and during the installation phase please take care when using the area.

At Jubilee Green a 'Nattertube' is also due for installation in July which replaces the play house. This playground is in active use especially at this time of year so we ask users to take care whilst the equipment is being installed.

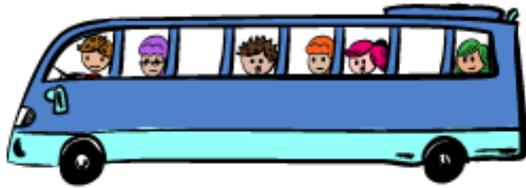
### GARDINER MEMORIAL HALL

A tea dance to celebrate the centenary of the Gardiner Memorial Hall will be held on Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> of July from 2pm to 5pm. Frank and Sue Hancocks are providing an afternoon of dancing for all to enjoy. There will be tea and cake provided. The event is free. We would love to see you there!

### DOG FOULING

Again dog walkers and owners are reminded to clean up after their dogs. In recent weeks there have been particular problems on the Recreation Ground despite dogs not being allowed on the area. Please be mindful of residents and visitors to Burwell and take time to clean up after your dog.

## BURWELL TO ELY MINIBUS SERVICE



Following the discontinuance of Dial-a-ride, the Voluntary Network has taken over the pre-bookable minibus Burwell to Ely service. The Voluntary Network operates various community transport services, offering affordable and accessible services to local residents.

The 15 seat bus is scheduled to run the first Thursday of the month offering users the opportunity to spend two hours in Ely. Passengers need to be members to avail of the service. Details regarding membership can be provided over the telephone when booking.

Fares are adults £5 return, adult bus pass holders and children £2.50 and under 5s are free. Wheelchair users are advised to make their accessibility needs known when booking. For more information or to book your seat call 01638 608 080.

## DEFIBRILLATOR

Following a successful fund-raising event by Mr J Smith of Burwell and funding from Burwell Parish Council, Parish Councillors are currently considering the purchase, and location, of at least one defibrillator for emergency use in the village.



## HEDGE MAINTENANCE

The Parish Office is regularly contacted by members of the public informing them of hedges and bushes that have grown over the footpath making it particularly difficult for those out walking. Please can you help by making sure that footpaths adjacent to your property are clear. Also if there are road signs close to your property, please make sure that they are kept clear of foliage and are visible for drivers to see.

## BURWELL CARNIVAL AND FESTIVAL

Given the great weather currently, the Burwell Carnival and Burwell Festival have attracted great attendances and have been much enjoyed. Our thanks and appreciation is extended to the organising committee, volunteers and participants for making the events a great success.

### CONTACTING THE COUNCIL

- The Parish Office is open every week day morning from 9.00am – 1.00pm
- E-mail: [burwellpc@btconnect.com](mailto:burwellpc@btconnect.com)
- Telephone: 01638 743142
- Letter: Burwell Parish Council,  
Jubilee Reading Room, 99 The Causeway, Burwell CB25 0DU
- Web-site: [www.burwellparishcouncil.gov.uk/](http://www.burwellparishcouncil.gov.uk/)
- Contact details for all Councillors are published on the notice board at the Jubilee Reading Rooms and on the website.